

# Corrigendum to the Article Herpetological Diversity of Timor-Leste: Updates and a Review of Species Distributions by O'Shea *et al.* (2015)

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During the entry of specimen data from the paper by O'Shea *et al.* (2015) into the database at the National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution (USNM), one of us (KAT) realized that several errors existed, likely stemming from inverted specimen numbers, typos, or inadvertently skipping lines while transferring information from lines in a spreadsheet. We here present the corrected entries, listed in the same taxon order as in the original paper.

**Genus *Fejervarya*** Two sets of specimen numbers were affected by numeric inversion or a typo. We listed USNM 759284–86 in error when we should have listed USNM 579284–86. Secondly, the series we listed as USNM 279293–96 should correctly have been shown as USNM 579293–96.

***Limnonectes timorensis*** The specimen accessioned as USNM 580473 was listed in error as USNM 580371 in the species account, but it was listed correctly in the caption to Figure 6A.

***Litoria everetti*** The specimen accessioned as USNM 579394 was listed incorrectly as USNM 579408 in the species account, but it was identified correctly in the caption to Figure 7.

***Gehyra mutilata*** We cited USNM 579425 as a voucher specimen for *G. mutilata* from Locality 6, the confluence of the Comoro and Bemós Rivers (Liquiça District). This is incorrect, as this specimen was later identified as *Hemidactylus frenatus*.

***Hemidactylus frenatus*** We inadvertently created two errors in the account of the common house gecko. (1) We listed USNM 579431 correctly as a specimen from Locality 6 (see above), but then also included it in the range of specimens from Lautém District (Localities 26 and 27). This specimen should not have been listed a second time, and the correct numbers for Lautém specimens of *H. frenatus* are USNM 579428–30 and 579432–40. (2) We cited USNM 579726 as a voucher of *H. frenatus* for Dili District. This specimen is actually an individual of *Gehyra mutilata*. There are many vouchers of *H. frenatus* listed correctly as collected in Dili District, but this was not one of them.

***Hemidactylus tenkatei*** USNM 579733 was incorrectly listed as a specimen of *H. tenkatei*. It was subsequently identified as *H. frenatus*. This means that at the present time we have no verifiable record of *H. tenkatei* from the Metinaro mangrove swamp.

***Cerberus schneiderii*** In this account, we listed USNM 580525–26 as vouchers for the Metinaro mangrove swamp locality. These two USNM numbers should be associated with two specimens of the skink *Eutropis* cf. *multifasciata*, and they are correctly listed in that account. There are four specimens of *C. schneiderii* from the Metinaro mangrove swamp locality and they are correctly listed as USNM 581173–76.

## Reference

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