OPINION 1193

CERATOPHYSELLA BÖRNER, 1932 (INSECTA, COLLEMBOLA) CONSERVED

RULING.—(1) Under the plenary powers, the generic name Cystioceras Börner in Schille, 1912, is hereby suppressed for the purposes of the Law of Priority but not for those of the Law of Homonymy.

(2) The generic name Ceratophysella Börner, 1932 (gender: feminine), type species, by monotypy, Podura armata Nicolet, [1842], is hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology with the Name Number 2135.

(3) The specific name armata Nicolet, [1842], as published in the binomen Podura armata (specific name of type species of Ceratophysella Börner, 1932), is hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology with the Name Number 2765.

(4) The generic name Cystioceras Börner in Schille, 1912, as suppressed under the plenary powers in (1) above, is hereby placed on the Official Index of Rejected and Invalid Generic Names in Zoology with the Name Number 2119.

HISTORY OF THE CASE Z.N.(S.)2120

An application for the conservation of the generic name Ceratophysella Börner, 1932 was first received from Dr. Peter Bellinger (University of California, Northridge) and Dr. Willem Ellis (University of Amsterdam) on 10 April 1975. It was sent to the printer on 16 May 1975 and published on 30 January 1976 in Bull. zool. Nom. vol. 32, pp. 274–276. Public notice of the possible use of the plenary powers in the case was given in the same part of the Bulletin as well as to the statutory serials, to five general and seven entomological serials. The application was supported by Dr. H. Janetschek (Universität Innsbruck) and Dr. J. Rusek (Prague, Institute of Entomology). No adverse comment was received.

DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

On 5 September 1980 the members of the Commission were invited to vote under the Three-Month Rule on V.P.(80)29 for or against the proposals set out in Bull. zool. Nom. vol. 32, p. 275. At the close of the voting period on 5 December 1980, the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative Votes — twenty-one (21), receiving in the following order: Melville, Holthuis, Willink, Mroczkowski, Brinck, Starobogatov, Trjapitzin, Lehtinen, Hahn, Tortonese, Corliss,
Habe, Ride, Welch, Alvarado, Cogger, Sabrosky, Heppell, Nye, Halvorsen, Bayer
Negative Vote: Dupuis
Vokes was on leave of absence. No votes were returned by Bernardi, Binder and Kraus.

ORIGINAL REFERENCES

The following are the original references for names placed on Official Lists and an Official Index by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

armata, Podura, Nicolet, [1842], Neue Denkschr. allg. Schweiz.
Gesellschaft, vol. 6, p. 57
Ceratophyssella Börner, 1932 in Brohmer, Fauna von Deutschland,
4th edit., p. 140
Cystioceras Börner in Schille, 1912, Spraw. Komisji Fysiogr, Kraju,
vol. 46, pp. 126–127.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the votes cast on V.P.(80)29 were cast as set out above, that the request contained in that voting paper has been duly accepted under the plenary powers, and that the decision so taken, being the decision of the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature, is truly recorded in the present Opinion No. 1193.

R.V. MELVILLE
Secretary
International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature
London
16 March 1981

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