

Contribution to Subfamily Clitellariinae (Diptera, Stratiomyidae) Fauna of Turkey

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ABSTRACT

A total of 9 species were identified among 66 specimens collected from Turkey in 1999. Six of these species are new records for the Turkish fauna (*Lasiopa calva* (Meigen, 1822); *Lasiopa villosa* (Fabricius, 1794); *Nemotelus (Nemotelus) notatus* Zetterstedt, 1842; *Oxycera (Camptopelta) meigenii* Staeger, 1844; *Oxycera (Camptopelta) nigricornis* Olivier, 1812; *Pycnomalla splendens* (Fabricius, 1787)). It is also the first record of genus *Pycnomalla* from Turkey. The number of Turkish Clitellariinae species has thus increased to 23.

Key words: Stratiomyidae, Clitellariinae, new records, Fauna, Turkey.

INTRODUCTION

Seventeen species in four genera of subfamily Clitellariinae are known from Turkey. The species that belong to Clitellariinae are *Geitonomyia rudifraci* Berezovsky & Nartshuk, 1993; *Lasiopa balius* (Walker, 1849); *Lasiopa caucasica* (Pleske, 1901); *Lasiopa mannii* Mik, 1882; *Nemotelus argentifer* Loew, 1846; *Nemotelus armeniacus* Pleske in Lindner, 1937; *Nemotelus bipunctatus* Loew, 1846; *Nemotelus brachystomus* Loew, 1846; *Nemotelus curdistanus* Szilády, 1941; *Nemotelus mersinae* Backer, 1915; *Nemotelus obscuripes* Loew, 1871; *Nemotelus pantherinus* (Linnaeus, 1758); *Nemotelus signatus* Frivaldszky in Schiner, 1855; *Oxycera insolata* Kühbandner, 1984; *Oxycera limbata* Loew, 1862; *Oxycera pygmaea* (Fallén, 1817); *Oxycera*