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Abstract

Rhapidogyna nom. nov. is proposed as a replacement name for *Rhabdogyna* Rosa & Melo, 2024 (Hymenoptera, Apoidea) due to its homonymy with *Rhabdogyna* Millidge, 1985.

Keywords: Burmite, Cretaceous, fossil, Temnogynidae

Resumo

Rhapidogyna nom. nov. é proposto como um novo nome para *Rhabdogyna* Rosa & Melo, 2024 devido à sua homonímia com *Rhabdogyna* Millidge, 1985.

Palavras-chave: Burmito, Cretáceo, fóssil, Temnogynidae

Soon after publication of *Temnogyna* and *Rhabdogyna*, two fossil taxa proposed at genus-level by Rosa & Melo (2024) for inclusions in mid-Cretaceous Burmese amber, we became aware of the homonymy of the latter name with *Rhabdogyna* Millidge, a name applied for a group of South American spiders (see https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2024_in_paleoentomology#Apoidea). In order to remove the homonymy, we propose here a new name for *Rhabdogyna* Rosa & Melo.

Rhapidogyna nom. nov. ([urn:lsid:zoobank.org:act:B91D2CC5-7325-455A-A2D7-86B1875AEED0](https://zoobank.org/act:B91D2CC5-7325-455A-A2D7-86B1875AEED0)) is proposed as a replacement name for *Rhabdogyna* Rosa & Melo, 2024 (Type species: *Rhabdogyna festiva* Rosa & Melo, 2024), due to its homonymy with *Rhabdogyna* Millidge, 1985. In consequence of the new name, we have the following new combinations: *Rhapidogyna elongata* (Rosa & Melo, 2024), *Rhapidogyna festiva* (Rosa & Melo, 2024) and *Rhapidogyna prima* (Rosa & Melo, 2024).

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Conflicts of interest

The authors declare no conflicts of interest.

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