

considered questionable (L. J. Vitt, pers. comm.). However, Webb (1970. Reptiles of Oklahoma. Univ. Oklahoma Press, Norman, Oklahoma. 370 pp.) included the older record without actually examining the specimen. In addition, Secor and Carpenter (1984. Oklahoma Herpetol. Soc. Spec. Publ. No. 3:1-57) listed the same as a Distribution of Oklahoma Amphibians and Reptiles by Recorded Sightings (DOKARRS) record with it appearing online (<http://www.biosurvey.ou.edu/dbsrch/dokalist.php>). Interestingly, this snake has not yet been collected immediately eastward from adjacent Little River and Sevier counties, Arkansas (Trauth et al. 2004. Amphibians and Reptiles of Arkansas. Univ. Arkansas Press, Fayetteville. 421 pp.) nor has it been taken in Bowie, Fannin, Lamar, and Red River counties immediately southward along the Red River in northeastern Texas (Dixon 2000. Amphibians and Reptiles of Texas. Univ. Texas A&M Univ. Press, College Station. 421 pp.; Werler and Dixon 2000. Texas Snakes: Identification, Distribution, and Natural History. Univ. Texas Press, Austin. 437 pp.).

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FARANCIA ABACURA REINWARDTII (Western Mudsnake). USA: ARKANSAS: SEVIER Co.: off St. Hwy. 70, vic. Cossatot Community College, De Queen (34.025°N, 94.216°W). 30 April 2003. D. Arbour. Verified by S. E. Trauth, Arkansas State University Herpetological Museum (ASUMZ photographic voucher 31223). New county record filling a distributional gap in extreme southwestern Arkansas near previous records from Little River County (Trauth et al. 2004. Amphibians and Reptiles of Arkansas. Univ. Arkansas Press, Fayetteville. 421 pp.). This is one of the few records of *F. a. reinwardtii* from the Interior Highlands of the Ouachita foothills (Trauth, et al., *op cit.*).

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FARANCIA ABACURA REINWARDTII (Western Mudsnake). USA: TEXAS: VAN ZANDT Co.: DOR 59.2 cm SVL snake was found on Van Zandt County Road 2721, 1.28 km N of jct. with US 198, 05 June 2007. The closest permanent body of water to this specimen was a cattle tank within a pasture approximately 30 m away. R. Michael Burger. Verified by Carl J. Franklin. Voucher specimen deposited in University of Texas at Arlington Amphibian and Reptile Diversity Research Center (UTA R 55370). New county record (Dixon 2000. Amphibians and Reptiles of Texas. 2nd ed. Univ. of Texas A&M Press, viii+421 pp.).

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FORDONIA LEUCOBALIA (Crab-eating Snake). THAILAND: RANONG PROVINCE: Kraburi District: mangrove forest near Tham Phrakhayang, Phrakhayang Cave (10.33°N, 98.77°E). 20 October 2002. M. Sumontha. Chulalongkorn University Museum of Zoology, Bangkok (CUMZ R. 2003.16). Verified by A. Aowphol. Freshly ingested adult male (SVL 409 mm, TL 60 mm) regurgitated by an adult female *Bungarus fasciatus* (released; TL ca. 900 mm) caught at 1930 h. First provincial record. Closest Thai record from Phuket Island (Nabhitabhata et al. "2000" 2004. Checklist of Amphibians and Reptiles in Thailand. Office of Environmental Policy and Planning, Bangkok. 152 pp.; Murphy 2007. Homalopsid Snakes. Evolution in the Mud. Krieger Publ. Co., Malabar, Florida. 146 pp.), ca. 100 km southwards. We thank A. Aowphol and K. Thirakhupt for providing working facilities in their institution.

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HETERODON NASICUS (Plains Hognose Snake). USA: COLORADO: BOULDER Co.: Rabbit Mountain Open Space (40.248787°N, 105.224775°W; NAD83). 20 May 2008. Elijah Wostl and Tim Warfel. Photo verified by Lauren J. Livo. University of Colorado Museum Ancillary Collection 166. New County Record (Hammerson 1999. Amphibians and Reptiles of Colorado. 2nd ed. University Press of Colorado, Niwot. 424 pp.).

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HYDROMORPHUS CONCOLOR (Serpiente Acuática). PANAMÁ: PANAMÁ: Distrito de Chimán: Pacific slope of Serranía de Majé (8.8664°N, 78.5871°W; WGS84), 505 m elev. 17 March 2004. Marcos Ponce A. Verified by Mahmood Sasa. Museo de Vertebrados de la Universidad de Panamá (MVUP 1889). New district record, extending the geographic range ca. 98 km (airline) SE of the nearest locality in central Panamá (Ibáñez et al. "1994"[1995]. *Scientia (Panamá)* 9:17-31).

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LAMPROPELTIS ALTERNA (Gray-banded Kingsnake). MEXICO: DURANGO: Municipio de Santiago Papasquiaro: East slope of the Sierra Madre Occidental (25.087°N, 105.542°W, WGS 84), 2218 m elev. 31 July 2007. J. Reyes Velasco and M. J. Ingrassi. Verified by J. A. Campbell. University of Texas Arlington Digital Collection (UTADC 1096). New municipality