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Replacement name for the Genus *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 and the subfamily Halticinae KIRKALDY, 1902 of Miridae (Insecta, Hemiptera)

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Abstract

A replacement name, *Barbarosia* (nom. nov.) is proposed for the genus *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 in the family Miridae. It is a junior subjective homonym of *Halticidea* HORN 1893, according to article 53b of the Zoological Code. The subfamily Halticinae KIRKALDY, 1902 is a junior synonym for Labopinae REUTER, 1883.

Zusammenfassung

Für die Gattung *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 in der Familie Miridae wird der Name *Barbarosia* (nom. nov.) vorgeschlagen, da *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 ein Homonym zu *Halticidea* HORN 1893 nach Artikel 53 b der Nomenklaturregeln darstellt. Halticinae KIRKALDY, 1902 ist ein Synonym für Labopinae REUTER, 1883.

Family: Miridae HAIN, 1831

Previously, Halticinae KIRKALDY and Pilophorini concerned to Subfamily Orthotylinae. Halticinae KIRKALDY was proposed as a new subfamily-group name by WAGNER in 1973 because of differential male genitalia of Halticinae. Therefore, Labopini has been known a junior synonym for Halticinae, but this is not true. Because, Labopini is the valid name for this family-group in accordance with the Principle of Priority, Labopini is the oldest available name for this group under the Article 23-d of International Code of Zoological Nomenclature.

For this reason, I propose as the valid name for this family-group, Labopinae REUTER, 1883 (stat. nov.) instead of Halticinae KIRKALDY, 1902. Consequently, Halticinae KIRKALDY, 1902, is a junior synonym for Labopinae REUTER, 1883.

Subfamily: Labopinae REUTER, 1883 stat. nov.

Syn.: Halticinae KIRKALDY, 1902 (WAGNER, 1973) (Syn.n.)

The genus *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 is belonging to Subfamilia Labopinae REUTER, 1883.

Halticidae was proposed by REUTER in 1901 (Ofvers. finska Vetensk. Soc. Förh., 43, 172. (Hemiptera)).

Halticidea REUTER, 1901 is junior subjective Homonym of *Halticidea* HORN, 1893 Trans. Am. ent. Soc., 20: 59, 61 (Coleoptera) and under the Article 53-b it must be rejected and replaced.

I propose a replacement name, *Barbarosia* (nom. nov.) for *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 after the original autor, with the type species *Halticidea punctulata* REUTER, 1901: Ofvers. finska Vetensk. Soc., Förh. 43(1900/01): 173.

***Barbarosia* (nom.nov.)**

The subjective replacement name for *Halticidea* REUTER, 1901.

Type-species: *Halticidea punctulata* REUTER, 1901. Ofvers. finska Vetensk. Soc. Förh., 43(1900-/1901): 173 (♀); SEIDENSTÜCKER, 1958, Istanb. Univ. Fen. Fak. Mecm. (B) 23(1-2): 120-121 (♂).

***Halticidea* REUTER, 1901 (syn.nov.)**

Ofvers. finska Vetensk. Soc. Förh., 43: 172 (Hemiptera)

Halticidea REUTER, 1901 is invalid, as it is junior homonym of *Halticidea* HORN, 1893 (Coleoptera).

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