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SUMMARY (page 7)

- *Glis glis* and *Dryomys nitedula* were not found in **bird** boxes around Madjarovo, but in **bat** boxes.

CHAPTER 3: BAT RECORDS (page 15-24)

- In paragraph 3.2 (results) is mentioned that the roost found of *Tadarida teniotis* appeared to be the first record of a roost in Bulgaria. This is correct. What isn't mentioned in the report is that the same goes for *Myotis Mystacinus* s.l. (cf *aurascens*).
- Page 18 states: “*the sibling species Myotis blythi also occurs in the area*”. This is not correct. There are no data that suggest that the sibling species *Myotis blythi* occurs in the region around Madjarovo.

CHAPTER 5: RECORDS OF OWL PELLETS (page 35-37)

- In the text of chapter 5 the village of **Odzintsi** is mentioned. However, the correct name of the village is **Odrintsi**.

CHAPTER 6: RECORDS OF OTHER MAMMALS (page 39-44)

- *Mustela erminea* is not known for the recent Bulgarian mammal fauna. It is not very likely that droppings of the species were actually found in the southern part of Bulgaria. Uncertain evidences like droppings are a very questionable way of establishing the presence of a certain species in the area. Probably the droppings did not belong to *Mustela erminea* at all. The droppings were not collected and unfortunately no picture is taken of it.

Many thanks to Teodora Ivanova for reporting the mistakes made in the report.

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