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***Neosataria*, replacement name for *Sataria* Annandale, 1920 (Mollusca: Gastropoda: Bithyniidae), preoccupied by *Sataria* Roewer, 1915 (Arachnida: Opiliones: Sclerosomatidae)**

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The family Bithyniidae is represented in tropical Asia by the following genera, *Bithynia*, *Digonistoma*, *Mysorella*, *Parabithynia*, *Emmerciopsis*, *Hydrobioides*, *Parafossarulus*, *Pseudovivipara*, *Sataria* and *Wattebladia* (Dudgeon 1999; Pyron & Brown 2015).

Annandale (1920) established the new monotypic bithyniid genus *Sataria* to accommodate a species described by Blanford (1880) as *Bithynia evezardi*. This species is endemic to the northern Western Ghats and reported only from Mahabaleshwar, Satara District and Khandala, Pune District, of the state Maharashtra, India (Annandale 1920, 1921; Subba Rao, 1989; Pati & Talmale 2005; Madhyastha 2013). Recently we discovered that *Sataria* Annandale, 1920 is a junior homonym of *Sataria* Roewer, 1915 (Arachnida: Opiliones: Sclerosomatidae), which is also a genus endemic to the Western Ghats (India) and reported from Lohagad and Khandala, Pune District, Panchagani, Satara District and Helvak, Koyna Hills, Satara District of the state of Maharashtra, and from Tramway, Cochin State (now in Thrissur District) of the Kerala, India (Roewer 1915, 1921; Crawford 1992; Hallan 2005; Das & Bastawade 2006).

In accordance with Article 60 of the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature (ICZN 1999, fourth edition), we propose the new name *Neosataria* to replace *Sataria* Annandale, 1920.

Genus *Neosataria* nom. nov. pro *Sataria* Annandale, 1920 (Mollusca: Gastropoda: Bithyniidae), preoccupied by *Sataria* Roewer, 1915 (Arachnida: Opiliones: Sclerosomatidae).

Type species. *Bithynia evezardi* Blanford 1880 by original monotypy under *Sataria* Annandale, 1920, only species currently referred to this genus.

Etymology. From the preexisting name *Sataria*, derived from the name of the Satara District (Maharashtra, India), and the prefix “Neo-” from the Greek νέος (*neos*), ‘new’; gender feminine.

Summary of nomenclatural changes

***Neosataria* new replacement name for *Sataria* Annandale, 1920 (nec Roewer, 1915).**

***Neosataria evezardi* (Blanford 1880) comb. nov.** for *Sataria evezardi* (Blanford 1880).

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