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***Stenoloba ronkayi* Sohn & Tzuoo 2012—a new homonym of *S. ronkayi* Behounek & Kononenko, 2010 and new synonym of *S. glauca* Kononenko & Ronkay 2001. A postscript to the revision of Chinese *Stenoloba* (Lepidoptera, Noctuidae)**

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Stenoloba Staudinger, 1892 is an exclusively East Asian Noctuidae genus of the subfamily Bryophilinae. After global revision of the genus (Kononenko & Ronkay 2000, 2001) the numerous regional revisions and descriptions of separate species appeared (Ronkay 2001; Han & Lu 2007; Han & Kononenko 2009; Behounek & Kononenko 2010; Han *et al.* 2011; Pekarsky 2011; Sohn & Tzuoo 2012; Pekarsky *et al.* 2013; Pekarsky & Saldaitis 2013).

The aim of present correspondence is to fix nomenclature problem found in the recent publication on *Stenoloba*. Two new *Stenoloba* species from Taiwan have recently been described by Sohn and Tzuoo (2012). Among them, *S. ronkayi* Sohn and Tzuoo 2012 is, however, invalid name, being a primary junior homonym (**homonym nova**) of *Stenoloba ronkayi* Behounek & Kononenko, 2010, described two years earlier from North Vietnam (Behounek & Kononenko 2010). Moreover we consider the name *S. ronkayi* Sohn & Tzuoo 2012 as a junior subjective synonym (**synonym nova**) of *S. glauca* Kononenko & Ronkay, 2001, described from North Vietnam (Kononenko & Ronkay 2001). Earlier Han & Kononenko (2009) synonymised *S. kyutekparki* Sohn & Han, 2005, described from South Korea also with *S. glauca*. The characters mentioned by Sohn & Han (2005) in the differential diagnosis of the male *S. kyutekparki* (Figs 2, 6) compared with those of *S. glauca* (Figs 1, 3, 5, 7) and the female of *S. ronkayi* (Sohn & Tzuoo 2012) (Figs 4, 8) compared with *S. glauca* (Fig. 9) by our opinion are not specific and may reflect the individual variability or artefacts appeared during preparing slides or illustration of genitalia. We consider *S. glauca* as widely distributed East Asian species ranging from North Vietnam to South China, Taiwan and South Korea. The species seems to be rather rare, in every collecting places it known by small series or by single specimens.

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***Stenoloba glauca* Kononenko & Ronkay, 2001**

(Figs 1–9)

Stenoloba glauca Kononenko & Ronkay, 2001, *Insecta Koreana*, 18(2): 103, figs 11, 29, 29a. Type locality: North Vietnam, Cha pa, Mt. Fan-si-pan, 1500–1800 m. Holotype: male, preserved in Zoologisches Forschungsinstitut und Museum Alexander Koenig, Bonn, Germany.

Synonymy:

= *Stenoloba kyutekparki* Sohn & Han, 2005, *Tinea*, 19(1): 23, figs 1, 2, 4, 6, 7. Type-locality: S Korea, Mt. Obong-san Chuncheon, Gangwon Province. Holotype: male, preserved in Center for Insect Systematics, Kangwon University, Korea. Synonymised by Han & Kononenko (2009).

= *Stenoloba ronkayi* Sohn & Tzuoo, 2012, **syn. n., hom. n.** *Journal of Asia-Pacific Entomology* 15: 241, figs 1, 5a, 5b. Type-locality: Taiwan, Horng Shiang, Nantou County. Holotype: female, preserved in the National Museum of Natural Science, Taichung, Taiwan.

Nec *Stenoloba ronkayi* Behounek & Kononenko, 2010, *Zootaxa* 2679: 13, figs 27, 45. Type-locality: Vietnam, Prov. Lao Cai, Mt. Fan-si-Pan. Holotype: male, preserved in the Hungarian Natural History Museum, Budapest, Hungary.

Distribution. North Vietnam, South China, Taiwan, South Korea.