

## Replacement name for a junior primary homonym in *Empis* Linnaeus (Diptera: Empididae)

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It has recently come to our attention that the name *Empis* (*Enoplempis*) *occidentalis* Sinclair, Brooks & Cumming (2025: 16) (Diptera: Empididae) is a junior primary homonym of *Empis occidentalis* Daugeron & Plant (in Daugeron *et al.* 2009: 645). The junior primary homonym is an invalid name according to Article 57.2 of the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature (ICZN, 1999) and *Empis* (*Enoplempis*) *neoccidentalis* **nom. nov.** is here proposed as a replacement name as required by Article 60.3 (ICZN, 1999) of the *Code*. The new specific name is a combination of *neo* for new and *occidentalis* meaning western.

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