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BUFF-FACED PYGMY-PARROT, Micropsittacus pusio

Psittacidae (074.059)

Guinea-Bissau, 2007, not yet cataloged, label

Length: 3 inches, sexes alike, resident. Green with a buff face

and a deep-blue crown.

Habitat: lowland forest and dense savanna.

Range: New Guinea.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Hand-

book of the Birds of the World, Volume 4.



BREHM'S TIGER-PARROT, *Psittacella brehmii* Psittacidae (074.107)

Guinea-Bissau, 2007, not yet cataloged, 500 francs

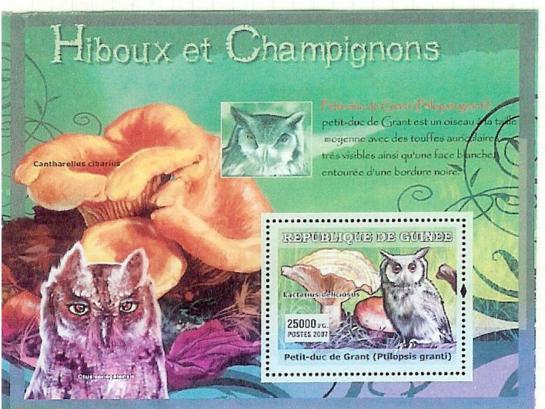
Length: 10 inches, resident. The male (shown on the stamp) is green with a chocolate-brown head and black bars on the back; the female has black and yellow barring on the upper breast.

Habitat: upland forests and borders.

Range: New Guinea.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook

of the Birds of the World, Volume 4.



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SOUTHERN WHITE-FACED OWL, *Ptilopsis granti* Strigidae (078.072)

Guinea, 2007, not yet cataloged, 7500 and 25000f

Length: 9 inches, sexes alike, resident. Gray above and streaked below with a black-bordered white face and bright orange eyes.

Habitat: savanna, woodland, forest edges and clearings.

Range: Africa south of the Equator.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of the Birds of the World, Volume 5.



Range: Caroline Islands.

CAROLINE ISLANDS SWIFTLET, *Aerodramus inquietus* Apodidae (084.037)

Micronesia, 1991,149e, 29 cents

Length: 4.5 inches, sexes alike, resident. Dark above and below with pale underwings.

Habitat: Breeds in caves; found over open country and forests.

Reference: Chantler, P and G. Driessens. Swifts.



CRESTED TREESWIFT, Hemiprocne coronatus

Hemiprocnidae (085.001) Bhutan, 1989, SS795, 25 nu

Length: 9 inches, largely resident. The male (on the stamp) is blue- gray above and pale below with a

long forked tail, crest and a reddish face; the female (in the

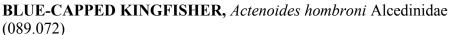
surrounds) lacks the reddish face.

Habitat: forests, cultivated areas and gardens.

Range: India to southern Burma and Vietnam. Birds in western

India move east and south in winter.

Reference: Chantler, P and G. Driessens. Swifts.



Philippines, 2007, not yet cataloged, 20p

Length: 11 inches, resident. The male (shown on the stamp) is blue above and rufous below, ear coverts and hindneck with a white chin; the female has a green cap and back.

Habitat: forest. Range: Mindanao, Philippines.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of the

Birds of the World, Volume 6.



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DUPONT'S LARK, *Chersophilus duponti* Alaudidae (120.051) Spain, 2007, not yet cataloged, 0.30 euro

Length: 7 inches, sexes similar, resident. Rufous brown above and whiteish belly with a streaked breast and neck and a long curved bill.

Habitat: open plains.

Range: Spain and North Africa.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of the Birds

of the World, Volume 9.



NEW CALEDONIAN CUCKOO-SHRIKE, Coracina analis

Campephagidae (123.022)

New Caledonia, 2007, not yet cataloged, 75 francs

Length: 10 to 11 inches, sexes alike but the female is smaller, resident.

Lead gray with rufous-chestnut undertail.

Habitat: dense montane primary forest.

Range: New Caledonia.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of

the Birds of the World, Volume 10.



GRAY-CHINNED MINIVET, *Pericrocotus solaris* Campiphagidae (123.080)

China (Taiwan), 2007, not yet cataloged, \$3.50

Length: 7 inches, resident. The male (shown on the stamp) is leaden black above and orangy (yellow in the female) below, back, rump, and wing patches with gray cheeks.

Habitat: open forest and forest edges.

Range: Eastern Himalayas to Taiwan and Borneo.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of the

Birds of the World, Volume 10.

RED-VENTED BULBUL, *Pycnonotus cafer* Pycnonotidae (126.023) Fiji, 2007, not yet cataloged, 50 cents

Length: 8 inches, sexes similar, resident. Scaly with a black head and red vent

Habitat: drier woodland and scrub.

Range: Pakistan to northern Thailand and Sri Lanka. Introduced in many

countries.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott and J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of the Birds of the World, Volume 10.

