

## NEW BIRDS IN THE PHILATELIC AVIARY

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**CINEREOUS TINAMOU**, *Crypturellus cinereus* Tinamidae (011.010)

Surinam, 2009, not yet cataloged, 3 SRD

Length: 12 to 13 inches, sexes alike, resident. Brown with a reddish tinge on the crown and nape.

Habitat: dense undergrowth.

Range: Southeastern Colombia to northeastern Brazil and northern Bolivia.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott & J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of Birds of the World, Volume 1.

**RED-LEGGED TINAMOU**, *Crypturellus erythropus* Tinamidae

Surinam, 2009, not yet cataloged, 1.50 SRD

Length: 11 to 13 inches, sexes similar, resident. Barred brown above and pale below with a gray chest and reddish brown face.

Habitat: thickets, forest and bushy grasslands.

Range: North-central Colombia to northeastern Brazil.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott & J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of Birds of the World, Volume 1.

**VARIEGATED TINAMOU**, *Crypturellus variegatus* Tinamidae

Surinam, 2009, not yet cataloged, 2.50 SRD

Length: 11 to 12 inches, sexes alike, resident. Barred brown above with a black head and rufous neck and breast.

Habitat: forests and thickets.

Range: Amazonia and the littoral of eastern Brazil.

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

Volume 1.

**LITTLE CHACHALACA**, *Ortalis motmot* Cracidae

Surinam, 2009, not yet cataloged, 5.50 SRD

Length: 17 to 22 inches, sexes alike, resident. Rufous-brown above and brownish-ashy below with a chestnut head and light blue bill.

Habitat: forest with a dense undergrowth.

Range: Southern Venezuela, the Guianas and adjacent Brazil.

Reference: Delacoeur, J. and D. Amadon. Curassows and Related Birds.

**MARAIL GUAN**, *Penelope marail* Cracidae The bird on Guyana, 1968, 44 and 74, 10 cents identified as this species in Handbook 106, page 58, is a Spix's Guan, *Penelope jacquacu*.

Surinam, 2009, not yet cataloged, 7.00 SRD

Length: 25 to 27 inches, sexes alike, resident. Glossy olive-green above with a red dewlap, blackish brown head and neck and purplish-red legs.

Habitat: heavy tropical forest usually near water.

Range: Venezuela, the Guianas and adjacent Brazil.

Reference: Delacoeur, J. and D. Amadon. Curassows and Related Birds.



**GRAY PETREL**, *Procellaria cineria* Procellariidae

French Southern and Antarctic Territories, 2009, not yet cataloged, €0.55

Length: 19 to 20 inches, sexes alike, disperses. Dark with a white underbody.

Habitat: marine and pelagic, mainly cold water.

Range: Southern oceans.

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

World, Volume 1.



**ORIENTAL HOBBY** *Falco severus* Falconidae

Guinea, 2008, not yet cataloged, 5000 francs

Length: 10 to 12 inches, sexes alike, partially migratory. Black above and rufous below with a paler chin and throat.

Habitat: forest with clearings.

Range: Breeds from the Himalayas to Hainan, the Philippines, Java and the Solomons. Himalayan birds winter in southern India and Sri Lanka.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott & J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of Birds of the World, Volume 2.

**BROWN-NECKED PARROT**, *Poicephalus robustus* Psittacidae

All three subspecies (lumped in Clements) are now on stamps

Length: 12 to 14 inches, sexes similar but female has a red forehead, resident. Green with a brownish head, neck and throat.

Reference: del Hoyo, J., A. Elliott & J. Sargatal, Eds. Handbook of Birds of the World, Volume 4.

