DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE CANBERRA

Amendments, agreed in Incheon, Republic of Korea on 6 November 2012, to the Annex to the Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government Japan for the Protection of Migratory Birds and Birds in Danger of Extinction and their Environment, done at Tokyo on 6 February 1974

Not yet in force [2014] ATNIF 17

Head agreement: [1981] ATS 6

(AUSTRALIAN INITIATING NOTE)

Tokyo, (date)

Excellency,

I have the honour to refer to the *Agreement between the Government of Japan and the Government of Australia for the Protection of Migratory Birds and Birds in Danger of Extinction and their Environment*, signed at Tokyo on 6 February 1974 ("the Agreement") and to refer to the recent discussions and agreement between the competent authorities of the two Governments to review and amend the Annex to the Agreement. Recommended amendments include taxonomic changes, the removal of vagrant species and the addition of confirmed migratory species.

I have the honour to confirm that the recommended amendments are acceptable to the Australian Government.

I therefore have the honour, pursuant to Articles I(2)(b) and I(2)(c) of the Agreement, to propose that the Annex to the Agreement be replaced by the amended Annex enclosed with this Note.

If the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of Japan, I have the honour to propose that this Note, together with the enclosed Annex, and the confirmatory Note in reply from Your Excellency shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments to amend the Annex to the Agreement, which shall enter into force three months after the date of Your Excellency's Note in reply.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

Enclosure: Annex

/Sgd./ (name) Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Australia to Japan

His Excellency (name) Minister of Foreign Affairs

of Japan

(JAPANESE NOTE IN REPLY)

Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Excellency's Note of, which reads as follows:

".....AUSTRALIAN PROPOSING NOTE....."

I have the honour to confirm that the foregoing proposal is acceptable to the Government of Japan and that Your Excellency's Note, together with the enclosed Annex, and this Note in reply shall constitute an agreement between the two Governments to amend the Annex to the Agreement, which shall enter into force three months after the date of this Note.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

Enclosure: Annex

/Sgd./ (name) Minister of Foreign Affairs of Japan

His Excellency (name) Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Australia to Japan

This Note is done in the Japanese and English languages.

Annex

JAMBA Common Name (Australian

Number	common name in parentheses, where different)	parentheses, where different)
1	Streaked Shearwater	Calonectris leucomelas
2	Wedge-tailed Shearwater	Puffinus pacificus (Ardenna pacifica)
3	Flesh-footed Shearwater	Puffinus carneipes (Ardenna carneipes)
4	Sooty Shearwater	Puffinus griseus (Ardenna grisea)
5	Short-tailed Shearwater	Puffinus tenuirostris (Ardenna tenuirostris)
6	Bulwer's Petrel	Bulweria bulwerii
7	Wilson's Storm-Petrel	Oceanites oceanicus
8	Swinhoe's Storm-Petrel	Oceanodroma monorhis (Hydrobates monorhis)
9	Matsudaira's Storm-Petrel	Oceanodroma matsudairae (Hydrobates matsudairae)
10	Red-tailed Tropicbird	Phaethon rubricauda
11	White-tailed Tropicbird	Phaethon lepturus
12	Brown Booby	Sula leucogaster
13	Masked Booby	Sula dactylatra
14	Red-footed Booby	Sula sula
15	Great Frigatebird	Fregata minor
16	Lesser Frigatebird	Fregata ariel
17	Garganey	Anas querquedula
18	Little Ringed Plover	Charadrius dubius
19	Mongolian Plover (Lesser Sand Plover)	Charadrius mongolus
20	Greater Sand Plover	Charadrius leschenaultii
21	Oriental Plover	Charadrius veredus
22	Pacific Golden Plover	Pluvialis fulva
23	Grey Plover	Pluvialis squatarola
24	Ruddy Turnstone	Arenaria interpres
25	Red-necked Stint	Calidris ruficollis
26	Long-toed Stint	Calidris subminuta

Scientific Name (Australian scientific name in

27	Pectoral Sandpiper	Calidris melanotos
28	Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	Calidris acuminata
29	Curlew Sandpiper	Calidris ferruginea
30	Red Knot	Calidris canutus
31	Great Knot	Calidris tenuirostris
32	Sanderling	Calidris alba
33	Ruff	Philomachus pugnax
34	Broad-billed Sandpiper	Limicola falcinellus
35	Asian Dowitcher	Limnodromus semipalmatus
36	Common Redshank	Tringa totanus
37	Marsh Sandpiper	Tringa stagnatilis
38	Common Greenshank	Tringa nebularia
39	Wood Sandpiper	Tringa glareola
40	Grey-tailed Tattler	Heteroscelus brevipes (Tringa brevipes)
41	Wandering Tattler	Heteroscelus incanus (Tringa incana)
42	Common Sandpiper	Actitis hypoleucos
43	Terek Sandpiper	Xenus cinereus
44	Black-tailed Godwit	Limosa limosa
45	Bar-tailed Godwit	Limosa lapponica
46	Eastern Curlew	Numenius madagascariensis
47	Whimbrel	Numenius phaeopus
48	Little Curlew	Numenius minutus
49	Pin-tailed Snipe	Gallinago stenura
50	Swinhoe's Snipe	Gallinago megala
51	Latham's Snipe	Gallinago hardwickii
52	Red-necked Phalarope	Phalaropus lobatus
53	Oriental Pratincole	Glareola maldivarum
54	South Polar Skua	Stercorarius maccormicki
55	Pomarine Jaeger	Stercorarius pomarinus
56	Arctic Jaeger	Stercorarius parasiticus
57	Long-tailed Jaeger	Stercorarius longicaudus

 59 Caspian Tern Sterna caspia (Hydroprogne caspia) 60 Greater Crested Tern (Crested Tern (Crested Tern of Crested Tern)
61 Common Tern <i>Sterna hirundo</i>
62 Roseate Tern <i>Sterna dougallii</i>
63 Black-naped Tern Sterna sumatrana
64Bridled TernSterna anaethetus (Onychoprion anaethetus)
65 Little Tern <i>Sterna albifrons (Sternula albifrons)</i>
66Common NoddyAnous stolidus
67 Oriental Cuckoo <i>Cuculus optatus</i>
68 White-throated Needletail <i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>
69Fork-tailed SwiftApus pacificus
70Barn SwallowHirundo rustica
71Red-rumped SwallowHirundo daurica (Cecropis daurica)
72 Oriental Reed Warbler Acrocephalus orientalis
73Yellow WagtailMotacilla flava
74Grey WagtailMotacilla cinerea