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**Subject:** Modifications to Schedule 1 of the Species at Risk Act

Hello,

I am writing to inform you that 40 species at risk have recently been registered under the *Species at Risk Act*; **15 of these species are found in British Columbia.**

The listing order for 31 species at risk was published in *Canada Gazette*, part II on March 6, 2019 and the listing order for 9 migratory bird species at risk was published in *Canada Gazette*, part II on May 29, 2019. You can find the orders and accompanying *Regulatory Impact Analysis Statements* at <http://gazette.gc.ca/rp-pr/p2/2019/2019-03-06/html/sor-dors52-eng.html> and at <http://www.gazette.gc.ca/rp-pr/p2/2019/2019-05-29/html/sor-dors145-eng.html> for the migratory bird species.

The following BC species are included in the orders:

Legal Population Name	Scientific Name	Previous Status	New Status	Range
<b>Species being added to Schedule 1 of SARA</b>				
<b>Birds</b>				
Black Swift	<i>Cypseloides niger</i>	None	Endangered	British Columbia, Alberta
Cassin's Auklet	<i>Ptychoramphus aleuticus</i>	None	Special concern	British Columbia, Pacific Ocean
Evening Grosbeak	<i>Coccothraustes vespertinus</i>	None	Special concern	Everywhere in Canada except Nunavut
Red-necked Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>	None	Special concern	Everywhere in Canada
<b>Molluscs</b>				
Pygmy Slug	<i>Kootenaia burkei</i>	None	Special concern	British Columbia
Sheathed Slug	<i>Zacoleus idahoensis</i>	None	Special concern	British Columbia
<b>Arthropods</b>				
Vivid Dancer	<i>Argia vivida</i>	None	Special concern	British Columbia, Alberta

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<b>Plants</b>				
Toothcup Southern Mountain population <sup>1</sup>	<i>Rotala ramosior</i>	None	Endangered	British Columbia
<b>Lichens</b>				
Mountain Crab-eye	<i>Acrosyphus sphaerophoroides</i>	None	Special concern	British Columbia
<b>Mosses</b>				
Tassel, Tiny	<i>Crossidium seriatum</i>	None	Special concern	British Columbia
<b>Species being reclassified in Schedule 1 of SARA</b>				
<b>Molluscs</b>				
Taildropper, Blue-grey	<i>Prophysaon coeruleum</i>	Endangered	Threatened	British Columbia
<b>Plants</b>				
Phantom Orchid	<i>Cephalanthera austiniae</i>	Threatened	Endangered	British Columbia
Bear's-foot Sanicle	<i>Sanicula arctopoides</i>	Endangered	Threatened	British Columbia
<b>Birds</b>				
Pink-footed Shearwater	<i>Ardenna creatopus</i>	Threatened	Endangered	British Columbia, Pacific Ocean
<b>Species removed from Schedule 1 of SARA</b>				
<b>Mosses</b>				
Pygmy Pocket Moss	<i>Fissidens exilis</i>	Special Concern	Not at risk	British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia

<sup>1</sup> COSEWIC recognized the currently listed Toothcup (*Rotala ramosior*) as two separate wildlife species under SARA. The Order strikes Toothcup (*Rotala ramosior*) from Schedule 1 and adds these new designatable units at the same level of protection.

Please do not hesitate to contact our Pacific region office via email at [ec.ep.rpy-sar.pyr.ec@canada.ca](mailto:ec.ep.rpy-sar.pyr.ec@canada.ca) or by phone at 604-350-1945 if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

**Conservation Planning Unit**

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