

Correction to:
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in Lake Tonga and Mekhada Marsh (north-east
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We, the authors of the above-mentioned article, would like to issue the following corrections regarding certain taxonomic identifications reported in the original version.

After the publication of our article, Dr. Soufyane Bensouilah (Department of Biology, Faculty of Sciences, Amar Telidji Laghouat University, Laghouat, Algeria), an expert in aquatic macroinvertebrates, particularly Odonata, kindly contacted Editorial Office to raise concern about the reported presence of *Cordulegaster* sp. and *Oxygastra curtisii* in our material—species that are not known from Algeria based on current scientific records.

Following his notification, we carefully re-examined our photographic material and confirmed that his observation was correct. The previously assigned identifications were

inaccurate.

Upon re-evaluation:

The two specimens previously attributed to *Cordulegaster* sp. and *Oxygastra curtisii* were re-identified as members of the family Aeshnidae (one of which is *Anax* sp.). A third misidentified specimen was confirmed to belong to the family Dytiscidae (Coleoptera). These corrections do not alter the overall conclusions of our study.

We regret the error and reaffirm our commitment to scientific transparency and accuracy.

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