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SUGGESTIONS FOR STATE BIRD LIST

1. DIVIDE STATE INTO ZONES--MINIMUM 6 TO MAXIMUM OF 12--AS MAY BE DETERMINED BY CHECK OF OBSERVATION RECORDS.
2. REPORT BIRDS ON BASIS OF:
 - A. NESTING.
 - B. PERMANENT RESIDENT.
 - C. MIGRANT SPRING & FALL.
 - D. MIGRANT SPRING ONLY.
 - E. MIGRANT-FALL ONLY.
 - F. WINTER RESIDENT.
 - G. SOMETIMES REMAINS IN WINTER.
3. REPORT BIRDS ON BASIS OF RELATIVE ABUNDANCE, GIVEN IN SIMPLE NUMERICAL ORDER: -- EXAMPLE:
 1. ABUNDANT--LIKE ROBIN.
 2. ABUNDANT--IN FLOCKS--LIKE GRACKLE.
 3. COMMON--LIKE BLUE JAY.
 4. COMMON--NOT IN LARGE NUMBERS (NUTHATCH).
 5. NOT COMMON-- (BLUE WINGED WARBLER).
 6. RARE.
 7. ERRATIC IN NUMBERS--NOT COMMON (WAXWING OR CROSSBILL).
 8. ACCIDENTAL.