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Eurasian Collared-Dove

Record Number: 98-03
26 Feb 1998

Classification: A-D

*M. Proescholdt

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DOCUMENTATION

Mark Proescholdt, Box 65, Liscomb 50148 [*6/13/98]

REFERENCES

Field Reports: IBL 68:61 Records Committee: IBL 69:89

VOTE: 7 A-D

A-D, Positively identified by call. Nice to have a '98 documentation.

A-D, Call and general size (bulk) noted. Essentially a stakeout!

DOCUMENTATION FORM for excitationally site significant
What species? Eurasian Collared Dove How many? 3
Location? <u>Grinnell</u> - (Poweshiek Gunty)
Type of habitat? along a golf course on overhead wires
When? date(s): Feb. 26, 1998 time: 8:40a.m. to 8:43 a.m. approximately
Who?your name and address: Mark Proescholdt, Bex 65, Liscomb, Itave 50148
others with you:
others before or after you: many before - have been seen since August 198
Describe the bird(s) including only what you observed. Include size, shape, details of all parts (bill, eye, head, neck, back, wing, tail, throat, breast, belly, under tail, legs, feet). Also mention voice and behavior.
Heard soft "Koo-kook-koo" call a few times, saw
it fly a few times.
It had Black bar on nape of neck with white line beside the black bar on nape.
It had a wide tail and white edges on the tail tips
in flight, There was wide white color on the undertail
at the tail tip. It was bulkier than Mourning Doves.
Saw one close by on wires. Later, saw three
together on wires.
Similar species and how eliminated:
Ringed turtle Dove has different call.
Did any one disagree or have reservations about identification?
If yes, explain:
Viewing conditions: give lighting, distance (how measured), and optical equipment: Cloudy, good lighting. Distances estimated at 20 yards, 80 yards, and 60 yards. 8x30 Binocs. Previous experience with species and similar ones: Have seen in Frinnell August November 1997, References and persons consulted before writing description: None
How long before field notes made? Made right this form completed? Feb. 26,1998