Review List: As in past reports, the Review List is provided to indicate those birds the observer might encounter that the Committee is most interested in reviewing. These are species that, in general, do not occur annually in Illinois, or that are extremely rare in all but a few counties in the state. The current review list was approved at the 8 Feb 1998 Committee meeting. Three species accepted in Bohlen 1989 are still pending acceptance by Committee review; these species are asterisked (*) here. The IORC requests and welcomes evidence concerning all records for the following species: Pacific and Yellow-billed Loon; Clark's Grebe; Northern Gannet; Brown Pelican; Neotropic Cormorant; Anhinga; Magnificent Frigatebird; Tricolored Heron; Reddish Egret; White, Glossy, and White-faced Ibis; Wood Stork; Fulvous Whistling-Duck; Brant; Garganey; Cinnamon Teal; Eurasian Wigeon; Tufted Duck; Common and King Eider; Barrow's Goldeneye; Harlequin Duck (except L. Michigan); Black Vulture (except Shawnee NF); Swallowtailed and White-tailed Kite; Mississippi Kite (except Mississippi R. north to Adams Co.); Swainson's Hawk (except Kane and southern McHenry Cos.); Ferruginous Hawk; Gyrfalcon; Prairie Falcon; Black Rail; Purple Gallinule; Whooping Crane; Snowy Plover; Whimbrel (except L. Michigan); Long-billed Curlew; Sharp-tailed, Purple, and Curlew Sandpiper; Ruff; Pomarine, Parasitic, and Long-tailed* Jaeger; Black-headed, Mew, California, Slaty-backed, Western, Glaucous-winged, Ross's, and Ivory Gull; Gull-billed, Royal, Sandwich, Arctic, and Large-billed Tern; Dovekie; Ancient Murrelet; Bandtailed Pigeon; Eurasian Collared-Dove; Common Ground-Dove; Groove-billed Ani; Barn, Northern Hawk, Burrowing, and Boreal Owl; Broad-billed and Rufous Hummingbird; Williamson's Sapsucker; Black-backed Woodpecker; Western Wood-Pewee; Say's Phoebe; Vermilion, Ash-throated, and Scissor-tailed Flycatcher; Violet-green Swallow; Western Scrub-Jay; Steller's Jay*; Clark's Nutcracker; Black-billed Magpie; Boreal Chickadee; Rock Wren; Northern Wheatear; Townsend's Solitaire; Mountain Bluebird; Bicknell's* and Varied Thrush; Sage and Curve-billed Thrasher; Bohemian Waxwing; Sprague's Pipit; Black-throated Gray, Townsend's, Kirtland's, Swainson's, and MacGillivray's Warbler; Hepatic and Western Tanager; Black-headed Grosbeak; Lazuli and Painted Bunting; Green-tailed Towhee; Bachman's, Cassin's, Brewer's, and Black-throated Sparrow; Lark Bunting; Golden-crowned Sparrow; Chestnut-collared Longspur; Great-tailed Grackle; Bullock's Oriole; Graycrowned Rosy-Finch; Pine Grosbeak; and Hoary Redpoll.

Eleven species have been removed since the last published review list (Goetz 1990), but are treated here under the headings of Review List Species, with their revised status noted. These are: Red-throated Loon; Rednecked and Western Grebe; Yellow Rail; Black-necked Stilt; Red Phalarope; Little, Iceland, and Lesser Black-backed Gull; Black-legged Kittiwake; Sabine's Gull; and Western Kingbird. Note further that the recently resurrected species Spotted Towhee was included in recent unpublished review lists, but it is herein removed.

In addition to the above listing, any species not accepted in Bohlen 1989 should be documented. Documentation of regular species may be appropriate when they occur out of season, i.e., exceptionally early arrival or late departure dates or extraordinarily high numbers for migratory species. Documentation for high counts should provide evidence justifying the number of birds reported. All first state nesting records should also be documented.

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¹Three record numbers appear under both Accepted and Unaccepted Records: 1995.059 is accepted (as a Parasitic Jaeger) and unaccepted (as a Long-tailed Jaeger); and the record numbers 1996.015 (Barrow's Goldeneye) and 1996.017 (Mississippi Kite) apply to two individuals in each case, only one of which was accepted.

² Two of the 103 record numbers for 1996—numbers "080" and "092"—are suppressed.

³ This is the spelling in the fortieth supplement (1995) to the AOU check-list (Auk 112:824), but throughout its history the AOU has vacillated between this spelling and "woodhouseii".