Zagai Island (Dungeness) Bird Checklist

Torres Strait Australia.

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#n	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Orange-footed Scrubfowl	Megapodius reinwardt	Res bre	Р,	1,
2.	Striated Heron	Butorides striatus	Res bre	Р,	1,
3.	Collared Kingfisher	Todiramphus chloris	Res?	Р,	1,
4.	Varied Honeyeater	Lichenostomus versicolor	Res bre	P Does not co-exist with Spotted Honeyeater,	1,
5.	Shining Flycatcher	Myiagra alecto	Res bre?	P 1875,	1,

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Ecological status

End = Endemic to Island unless otherwise stated, **Res bre** = Resident breeder, **Res** = resident ie breeding not proven or not likely. For seabirds it means they have or should be found in that area: note other refs. **Vag** = Vagrant, **Res/mig** = Part of population migratory, **Sum mig** = Summer migrant, **Win mig** = Winter migrant, **Spr/Aut mig** = Passage migrant in Spring and Autumn, **Intro** = Introduced.

Abundance

R = rare, S = scarce, UC = uncommon, MC = moderately common, LC = locally common, C = common, VC = very common, A = abundant.

Colour coding applies only to one species on a particular list. eg. An abundance comment in red for the Brown Booby refers to the Ref # in Red for that species only.

Alternate Island Names & alternate common Bird Names are recorded in two separate spreadsheet files.

REFERENCES

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