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Dear Pittie,

I am very thankful to you for your keen interest in my note (Supplementary note on herpetofauna of Gir forests) and drawing out mistake in the note. I am regretting for it.

Followings are the clarification.

# Narve et. al., 1997, Tiger Paper 24(1): 17-22.

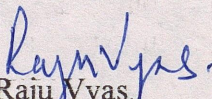
# Malabar whistling thrus scientific name is *Myiophonus horsfieldii*.

In addition, the note is not published as I submitted it. The editor of Zoos' Print Journal vomited some of the discussion part from the original manuscript, with out inform me. The note not express my view regarding the Western Ghats fauna extended up to 24° latitude in past by geological changes.

Again, I am thankful to you for showing deep interest in my work and publication.

Wish you all the best.

Sincerely

  
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