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To : All Bird Banding Cooperators

April 21, 1961

From : Bird Banding Office, Patuxent Wildlife Research Center,
Laurel, Maryland

Subject: Revision of Bird Banding Schedule

In order to proceed with a mechanized system of processing banding schedules and band recoveries, it will be necessary to change procedures in which bandings are reported on schedules. Aside from the advantages to the Bird Banding Office, the changes will be of help to most banders and will facilitate record keeping and answering inquiries. Species totals previously prepared direct from schedules will now be prepared from punch cards and tabulating equipment and therefore reporting by species, as in the past, is no longer required.

Attached is a copy of the proposed revision of the bird banding schedule (form 3-860) with instructions. All non-game bird bandings for calendar year 1961 will be reported on the revised form. Until supplies of the new form are available game bird bandings should be reported as heretofore.

Major Changes

1. Schedules will be prepared by band number rather than by species. The use of 100 consecutive bands will be reported on each schedule, regardless of the number of species represented.
2. Hand reared and Experimental birds may be reported on the same schedule with normal birds.
3. A maximum of 100 band numbers can be reported on one sheet, and each schedule sheet will have the last 2 digits of the band number pre-printed--01 thru 50 on the face and 51 thru 00 on the back.
4. Provision is made for inclusive band numbers reported per sheet to be listed in the top right corner. This entry will be used to file the sheet by band number.
5. All band numbers must be listed (and therefore used) in sequence within a given 100 bands. Two different prefix numbers (even same band size) cannot be reported on the same sheet.

M T A B
Permit No. 5609

Banding Schedule
3-860 (rev. 1961)

Bander Theodore M. Sperry

thru
Incl. Band Nos.

-Banding Locations-

A Paradocs, Pittsburg, Kansas C
B 050 substation, Pittsburg, Kan.
(4 mi. SW. of station A) D

Band Prefix:	Common Name	AOU #	S	Age-Sex	F	State Prov.	Lat-Long	Loc	Date
01	Green Heron	201	3		3	Kan	372-0944		
02	Sparrow Hawk	360							
03	Red-tailed Hawk	337							
04	Bobwhite	289							
05	Sora	214							
06	Mourning Dove	316							
07	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	387							
08	Black-billed Cuckoo	388							
09	Screech Owl	373							
10	Chuck-will's-widow	416							
11	Whip-poor-will	417							
12	Chimney Swift	423							
13	Ruby-throated Hummingbird	428							
14	Yellow-shafted Flicker	412							
15	Red-bellied Woodpecker	409							
16	Red-headed Woodpecker	406							
17	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	402							
18	Hairy Woodpecker	393							
19	Downy Woodpecker	394							
20	Great Crested Flycatcher	452							
21	Eastern Phoebe	456							
22	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	463							
23	Acadian Flycatcher	465							
24	Least Flycatcher	467							
25	Eastern Wood Pewee	461							
26	Barn Swallow	613							
27	Blue Jay	477							
28	Carolina Chickadee	736							
29	Tufted Titmouse	731							
30	Brown Creeper	726							
31	House Wren	721							
32	Winter Wren	722							
33	Bewick's Wren	719							
34	Carolina Wren	718							
35	Mockingbird	703							
36	Catbird	704							
37	Brown Thrasher	705							
38	Robin	761							
39	Wood Thrush	755							
40	Hermite Thrush	759							
41	Swainson's Thrush	758							
42	Gray-cheeked Thrush	757							
43	Eastern Bluebird	766							
44	Townsend's Solitaire	754							
45	Golden-crowned Kinglet	748							
46	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	749							
47	Loggerhead Shrike	622							
48	Starling	493							
49	Bell's Vireo	633							
50	Solitary Vireo	629							

Band Prefix:	Common Name	AOU #	S	Age-Sex	F	State Prov.	Lat-Long	Loc	Date
51	Red-eyed Vireo	624	3		3	Kan.	372-0944		
52	Warbling Vireo	627							
53	Black-and-white Warbler	636							
54	Golden-winged Warbler	642							
55	Tennessee Warbler	647							
56	Orange-crowned Warbler	646							
57	Nashville Warbler	645							
58	Yellow Warbler	652							
59	Magnolia Warbler	657							
60	Myrtle Warbler	655							
61	Blackpoll Warbler	661							
62	Ovenbird	674							
63	Northern Waterthrush	675							
64	Louisiana Waterthrush	676							
65	Kentucky Warbler	677							
66	Connecticut Warbler	678							
67	Mourning Warbler	679							
68	Yellowthroat	681							
69	Yellow-breasted Chat	683							
70	Wilson's Warbler	685							
71	Canada Warbler	686							
72	American Redstart	687							
73	House Sparrow	688.2							
74	Eastern Meadowlark	501							
75	Orchard Oriole	506							
76	Baltimore Oriole	507							
77	Common Grackle	511							
78	Brown-headed Cowbird	495							
79	Cardinal	593							
80	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	595							
81	Indigo Bunting	598							
82	Painted Bunting	601							
83	Purple Finch	517							
84	American Goldfinch	529							
(arcticus) 85	Rufous-sided Towhee	588							
86	Lark Sparrow	552							
87	Slate-colored Junco	567							
88	Oregon Junco (montanus)	567f							
89	Tree Sparrow	559							
90	Field Sparrow	563							
91	Harris' Sparrow	553							
92	White-crowned Sparrow	554							
(gambelii) 93	White-crowned Sparrow	554a							
94	White-throated Sparrow	558							
95	Fox Sparrow	585							
96	Lincoln's Sparrow	583							
97	Swamp Sparrow	584							
98	Song Sparrow	581							
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Remarks