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## New species of *Anabarhynchus* Macquart (Diptera: Therevidae) from arid and monsoon tropical Australia

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### Abstract

*Anabarhynchus* Macquart (1848) is a species-rich gen of therevine Therevidae, with over 90 species described from Australia alone. Over the past two decades, extensive and intensive malaise trap surveys have revealed that the continent contains many additional species to the previous 94 species known; making that genus one of the most species-rich therevid genera in the world. Specimens of these new species are deposited in Australian collections, notably the Australian Museum (AM), Australian National Insect Collection (ANIC), and the Queensland Museum (QM). Here we describe, diagnose and illustrate ten new species in the genus *Anabarhynchus* as follows: *Anabarhynchus doncollessi* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus ewamin* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus lyneborgi* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus parilus* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus parkeri* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus pilbara* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus ravenshoensis* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus shiptonsflatensis* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus tribulationensis* sp. n., *Anabarhynchus weipaensis* sp. n. These new species add to the faunas known from arid and monsoon tropical Australia.

**Key words:** Therevidae, *Anabarhynchus*, Stiletto flies, Australia, Pilbara, Donald Colless

### Introduction

The genus *Anabarhynchus* Macquart (1848) is one of the most species-rich genera of stiletto flies (Diptera: Therevidae). Australia has 94 described species of *Anabarhynchus* (Lyneborg 2001) and New Zealand has 62 species of *Anabarhynchus* and three species of *Megathereva* Lyneborg 1992 (Lyneborg 1992). One species of *Anabarhynchus* is found in New Caledonia and Vanuatu in the New Hebrides and another in Irian Jaya and Papua