

## MEMORANDUM

January 9, 1980  
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TO : All Banders

FROM : Chief, Bird Banding Laboratory  
Office of Migratory Bird Management  
Laurel, Maryland 20811

SUBJECT: 1. EOY Report  
2. Subpermittees current names and addresses  
3. Banding tabulation for 1978  
4. Pen and ink changes to Vol. I, Part V  
5. Banding schedule preparation  
6. Return of auxiliary markers to banders  
7. Band ordering  
8. Returns to same 10-minute block  
9. Banding association meetings

1. Enclosed is your End-of-the-Year Banding Report form (EOY). Please complete and return this form immediately. It is due in the Bird Banding Laboratory not later than January 31, 1980.

2. Also enclosed are listing copies of subpermittees' names and current addresses. These apply only to masters who have subpermittees. Discrepancies should be reported preferably along with your End-of-the-Year Banding Report.

3. A species tabulation of your 1978 banding accomplishments is enclosed if any banding was done under your permit and the banding data were in our files by November 1979. This is a check for accuracy of data in addition to Bird Banding Laboratory clerks', biologists' and computer edits. Please compare the listing data against your records and advise us of any discrepancies. Rebanded birds are not included in the summary and a double-banded bird is counted as one bird.

4. Please make the following pen-and-ink changes in the Bird Banding Manual, Vol. I, Part 5:

Page	Species No.	Species	Change	
			Wrong Size	Proper Size
5A-13	332.0	Sharp-shinned Hawk	♀3B-3A, ♂2-3	♀3B-3A-3, ♂2-3
5A-13	343.0	Broad-winged Hawk	5	5-6
5A-14	356.0	Peregrine Falcon	♀7B, ♂7A	♀7A- ♂6

5. All additional status codes marked with an asterisk require an explanation in the "remarks" section of the schedule. Also, please use the "remarks" section to explain age-sex methods (i.e., laporatomy). When preparing schedules, please use the common name and corresponding AOU/Sp.No. as given in the Bird Banding Manual, Vol. I.

6. Recoveries of auxiliary-marked birds sometimes have the markers returned with the report. Banders who want their markers returned to them should so advise us in writing by February 15, 1980. Any markers obviously showing fading, wear or other problems will be routinely returned to the bander.

7. Once you order a particular band size and receive notice that we are out-of-stock, please do not reorder. All orders are held and will be filled as soon as bands are available. If you are uncertain as to the status of your order, please call or write but do not reorder.

8. We are not currently processing returns to the same 10-minute block of banding. When submitting Bird Banding Recovery Reports (Form 3-1807) please screen out return records and retain them until some future date when we may process them. The only exceptions are records of unusual interest, such as longevity or unusual seasonal occurrence. Dr. Barry Noon, Office of Migratory Bird Habitat and Research Lab, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Laurel, MD 20811 (telephone 301 776-4880, X280), is researching the use of bird band return information in population analysis. If you have a large accumulation of band return data on any one or several bird species and are interested in providing data to or cooperating with Barry's study, please write to him.

If you are reporting a recovery for someone else and would like a report for your records please indicate that a report should be sent to both the band finder and reporter. We do not send reports to the reporter unless requested.

9. The Western Bird Banding Association will hold its annual meeting jointly with the Cooper and Wilson Ornithological Societies at Corpus Christi, Texas, March 19-23, 1980. Please contact Ralph Moldenhauer, Department of Life Sciences, Sam Huston State University, Huntsville, Texas 77340.

The Eastern Bird Banding Association's annual meeting will be held at Lake George, New York, on April 25-27, 1980. For further information, please contact Valerie Freer, RFD 1, Box 21G, Ellenville, NY 12428.

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Enclosures

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service  
 Office of Migratory Bird Management  
 • Bird Banding Laboratory  
 Laurel, Maryland 20811

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END-OF-THE-YEAR BANDING REPORT - CALENDAR YEAR 1979

Indicate necessary corrections to label at left:

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Is this your permanent address? YES  NO

Please give telephone numbers: (Include A/C)

Office: \_\_\_\_\_ Home: \_\_\_\_\_

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Master/Station Permits Only: Please print the name of the "Responsible Individual" if not included in label above.

PLEASE READ NOTICE ON BACK.

THIS REPORT IS DUE IN THE BIRD BANDING LABORATORY ON JANUARY 31, 1980. FAILURE TO SUBMIT THIS REPORT WILL BE CONSIDERED JUSTIFICATION FOR REVOCATION OF YOUR PERMIT.

Please answer BOTH SIDES of this form by checking the appropriate boxes.

- |   |    | YES                      | NO                       |
|---|----|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| A. Did you or your subpermittees band birds under this permit during 1979?<br>If "NO" omit B and G.   | 6  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| B. _____ schedules been submitted for all F&W bands used under this permit in 1979?<br>If "NO" explain: _____   | 7  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| C. Does your permit authorize the use of auxiliary markers? If "YES" indicate below those you no longer need and want to DELETE from your authorizations. | 8  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| D. Does your permit authorize you to band: (1) Waterfowl?   | 9  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) Endangered Species? If "YES" give<br>End. Sp. Permit # _____  | 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) Eagles?   | 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| E. Are you authorized to band: (1) In Canada?   | 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) In other than Canada and the U.S.?  | 13 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| F. Are there any subpermits issued under your Master Permit? If "YES" enter total number active as of 12/31/79 in blocks 15-16.                           | 14 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Example: 1 subpermittee = 01 

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10 subpermittees = 10

- G. During 1979, approximately \_\_\_\_\_ birds of about \_\_\_\_\_ species were banded under this Master Permit. (Totals need not be exact - e.g., 100, 200 birds; 20, 50 species.)
- H. If your permit expires during 1980, do you need it renewed? YES  NO

(Continued on Reverse)

I. During 1979, did you or your subpermittees publish articles related to banding activities? If "YES" indicate in boxes below the total number of communications in each type medium.

YES NO  
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1. Newspaper articles	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	20	21
2. Magazine articles	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	22	23
3. Scientific journal articles	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	24	25
4. Radio or T.V. programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	26	27
5. Other: (describe) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please attach copies or a list of the articles published during 1979, including full citation. Include articles published by non-banders, if the subject matter chiefly resulted from your banding. Do not include progress or administrative reports.

J. Briefly summarize your 1979 banding and what you plan to accomplish in the future.

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In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (PL93-579), please be advised that:

1. The gathering of information on migratory birds and their uses is authorized by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703-711) and the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956 (16 U.S.C. 742d). The requested information is required as a condition of your migratory bird permit.
  2. Information from this report will be used to further the understanding, management, and utilization of the North American migratory bird resource, by Federal, State, and private conservation organizations, and the Canadian Wildlife Service.
  3. Failure to answer all questions fully may be sufficient cause for the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service to revoke your permit.
  4. In the event there is indicated a violation of a statute, regulations, rule, order or license, whether civil, criminal, or regulatory in nature, the requested information may be transferred to the appropriate Federal, State, local, or foreign agency charged with investigating or prosecuting such violations.
  5. In the event of litigation involving the records or the subject matter of the records, the requested information may be transferred to the U. S. Department of Justice.
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Signature

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Permit Number

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Date

FOR BIRD BANDING/EDP USE ONLY - Permittee Category Codes

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|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Individual -- U.S. | 2. Station -- U.S. | 3. State -- U.S. | 4. Refuge -- U.S.          |
| 5. SAC -- U.S.        | 6. W.E.B.          | 7. SRA -- U.S.   | 8. State Supv. USFWS--U.S. |

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