Order CHARACIFORMES Muckfish

Family TARUMANIIDAE

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Tarumania walkerae, holotype, 81.6 mm SL. From: de Pinna, M. C. C., J. Zuanon, L. H. Rapp Py-Daniel and P. Petry. 2017. A new family of neotropical freshwater fishes from deep fossorial Amazonian habitat, with a reappraisal of morphological characiform phylogeny (Teleostei: Ostariophysi). Zoological Journal of the Linnean Society 182 (1): 76–106. [First published online, pp. 1–31, 11 Aug. 2017; volume number and pages added in January 2018.]

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-ia (L. suffix), belonging to: the river Tarumã-Mirim, tributary of the lower Rio Negro, Manaus, Brazil, type locality

Tarumania walkerae de Pinna, Zuanon, Rapp Py-Daniel & Petry 2017 in honor of "eminent" limnologist Ilse Walker, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia (Manaus), for her lifelong contribution to the knowledge of Amazonian ecology and for collecting the first (and for some years, only) known specimen in 1999