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Cheshire and Wirral Ornithological Society

www.cawos.org

Reg. Charity No. 702484

RARITY FORM

* Download further forms from www.cawos.org *

Species:
Number of birds:
Age/Sex:

NAME: _____ CAWOS ID No: _____
ADDRESS: _____
TEL NO: _____ E-MAIL: _____

Date received	Initials
Accepted:	Yes/No

Locality:

Date(s) of **your** observations:

Times:

Total duration:

Earlier / later dates by others (if known):

First and last dates (if known):

Who found it?

Who first identified it?

Any other observers?

Who else is reporting it?

Was it trapped for ringing?

Ringer:

Date:

Locality:

Was it photographed?

Photographer:

Optical aids used:

Distance from bird:

Weather conditions:

Sea conditions if relevant:

Previous experience of species:

Experience of similar species:

Is the record 100% certain?

Any who disagree?

Please use the reverse of this form for your description

Include account of the relevant circumstances of the observation and a detailed description of the bird(s), preferably based on notes taken at the time of the observation before reference to books. Also include any peculiar features, e.g. feathers missing with moult, albinism, etc.

Send National Rarities to County Recorder: Hugh Pulsford, 6 Buttermere Drive, Great Warford, SK9 7WA
Send County Rarities to Rarities Secretary: Jane Turner, Quaintways, Marine Rd, Hoylake, Wirral, CH47 2AS
or send via the Records Secretary, Tony Parker, if also submitting paper record forms.