

IORC EVALUATION FORM

Record #: 2013.016

Name of bird form: Mottled Duck

Date of review: various

Circulation number: 1st

Committee member name: Josh Engel

Vote: A-E

Comments:

Committee member name: Dan Kassebaum

Vote: A-E(p)

Comments:

Committee member name: Travis Mahan

Vote: A-E(p)

Comments:

Committee member name: Keith McMullen

Vote: A-S(1)

Comments:

Committee member name: Paul Sweet

Vote: A-E(p)

Comments:

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Record #: 2013.016

Name of bird form: Mottled Duck

Committee member name: Doug Stotz

Date of review: 3 June 2015

Circulation number: 1st

Vote: A-E(photos)

Comments:

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Record #: 2013.016

Name of bird form: Mottled Duck

Committee member name: Geoffrey Williamson

Date of review: 10 October 2013

Circulation number: 1st

Vote: A-E(ph)

Comments:

Note buffy face without streaking, blue-hued speculum, and body feathering not as dark as for American Black Duck (and with broad buff edges on the covert and body feathers), all of which separate these birds from American Black Duck. Also note absence of white in the tail, no anterior white speculum border, yellow bill, and black spot at base of bill, ruling out Mexican Duck and Mallard. The broad white posterior speculum border on the left wing of one individual, and slightly broad white posterior speculum border on the right wing of the other, seem somewhat unusual.

