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In a previous issue of this journal, Volume 28, Issue 5, 1993, in the article Evolution and Taxonomy of Positive-Strand RNA Viruses: Implications of Comparative Analysis of Amino Acid Sequences by E. V. Koonin and V. V. Dolja, the authors would like to correct two errors in Table 2 in the published version of that table. They are relatively minor errors and are highlighted in boldface type in this reprinted version of the table.

TABLE 2 Draft of Phylogenetic Taxonomy of Positive-Strand RNA Viruses

| Class | Order | Family | Genera/Groups | Host |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|---|---------------------------|
| I. Picornavirata | Picornavirales | Picornaviridae | Enterovirus Rhinovirus Cardiovirus Aphthovirus Hepatovirus Echovirus (ECHO22) | Vertebrates |
| | | Comoviridae | Comovirus Nepovirus PYFV group | Plants |
| | | Caliciviridae | Calicivirus | Vertebrates |
| | Potyvirales- | Potyviridae | Potyvirus Bymovirus | Plants |
| | | Hypoviridae | HyAV group | Fungi |
| | Sobemovirales | Sobemoviridae | Sobemovirus | Plants |
| | | Luteoviridae | Luteovirus | Plants |
| | | Nodaviridae(?) | Nodavirus | Insects |
| | Spheridiplorna- | Spheridiplorna- | ScV group | Fungi |
| | virales | viridae | LRV group | Protozoa |
| | Arterivirales | Arteriviridae | Arterivirus | Vertebrates |
| | | Coronaviridae | Coronavirus | Vertebrates |
| | | | Torovirus | |
| II. Flavivirata | Flavivirales | Flaviviridae | Flavivirus | Vertebrates Arthropods |
| | Pestivirales | Pestiviridae | Pestivirus | Vertebrates |
| | Carmovirales | Alloluteo- viridae | HCV group Alloluteovirus (BYDV-PAV) | Plants |
| | | Dianthoviridae | Dianthovirus | Plants |
| | | Carmoviridae | Carmovirus | Plants |
| | | | Tombusvirus | |
| | | | Necrovirus | |
| | Levivirales(?) | Leviviridae | Levivirus Allolevivirus | Bacteria |



TABLE 2 (continued) Draft of Phylogenetic Taxonomy of Positive-Strand RNA Viruses

| Class* | Order | Family | Genera/Groups | Host |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| III. Rubivirata | Rubivirales | Rubiviridae | Rubivirus | Vertebrates |
| | | Hepeviridae | HEV group | Vertebrates |
| | | Beneviridae | BNYVV group | Plants |
| | | Alphaviridae | Alphavirus | Vertebrates Insects |
| | Tobamovirales | Tobamoviridae | Tobamovirus | Plants |
| | | | Tobravirus | |
| | | | Hordeivirus | |
| | | | Furovirus (SBWMV) | |
| | | Tricornaviridae | Cucumovirus | Plants |
| | | | Bromovirus | |
| | | | AiMV group | |
| | | | Idaeovirus (RBDV) | |
| | | Closteroviridae | Closterovirus (BYV) | Plants |
| | Tymovirales | Tymoviridae | Tymovirus | Plants |
| | · | Carlaviridae | Carlavirus | |
| | | | Capillovirus (ASGV, | |
| | | | ACLV) | |
| | | Potexviridae | Potexvirus | Plants |

^a The standard Latin forms for the (proposed) names of classes, orders, and families were used. Two of the proposed new family names were constructed using the standard method of adopting the prototype virus name: Hepeviridae after HEPatitis E virus, Beneviridae after BEet NEcrotic yellow vein virus, Hypoviridae after HYPOvirulence-associated virus. Other family names had to be proposed ad hoc: Spheridiplornaviridae (dsRNA-containing viruses with spherical virions) and Alloluteoviridae (for BYDV-PAV, which previously has been included in luteoviruses but has the RdRp related to that of carmoviruses). The proposed genus name Idaeovirus is from Ziegler et al., 1992.