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*MUREX (SIRATUS) DENEGATUS* JUNG, NEW NAME

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Emily H. Vokes of Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, kindly informs me that *Murex (Siratus) triangularis* Jung (1965, Bull. Amer. Paleontology, v. 49, no. 223, p. 522, pl. 69, fig. 9; pl. 70, figs. 1, 2) from the upper middle Miocene of the Paraguana Peninsula, Venezuela, is preoccupied by *Murex triangularis* Brown (in Thomas Allen, 1818, Trans. Roy. Soc. Edinburgh, v. 8, p.

462, pl. 9, fig. 18), presumably sub-Recent, St. Hospice Peninsula, east of Nice, France; and, *Murex triangularis* Risso (1826, Histoire naturelle des principales productions de l'Europe méridionale, v. 4, p. 196), Recent and sub-Recent, neighborhood of Nice, France. As a substitute name, *Murex (Siratus) denegatus*, is here proposed.

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