

SHORT COMMUNICATION

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The bee fauna of Chukotka represented by eight *Bombus* species [1,3,4] and *Evylaeus briseis eomontanus* (Ebmer, 2006) [2]. During an examination the material of the bees deposited in the collection of the Zoological Museum, Moscow University, four species of Megachilidae from Central Chukotka were found and identified. These species are newly recorded from this region.

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***Hoplitis (Formicapis) robusta* (Nylander, 1848)**

MATERIAL. Russia: Chukotka, Balaganchik River, 24.VII 1994, 1 ♀; 9-14.VI 1995, 2 ♀ (P. Tomkovich).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia: Chukotka (new record), Magadanskaya oblast', Amurskaya oblast', Yakutia, Irkutskaya oblast', European part. – Mongolia, Europe, North America.

***Osmia (Melanosmia) nigriventris* (Zetterstedt, 1838)**

MATERIAL. Russia: Chukotka, Balaganchik River, 9-18.VI 1995, 1 ♀, 2 ♂ (P. Tomkovich).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia: Chukotka (new record), Magadanskaya oblast', Kamchatskii krai, Khabarovskii krai, Amurskaya oblast', Primorskii krai, Yakutia, North Ural, European part. – Europe.

***Osmia (Melanosmia) maritima* Friese, 1885**

MATERIAL. Russia: Chukotka, Balaganchik River, 18.VI 1995, 3 ♀; 6.VII 1995, 1 ♀; 24.VII 1995, 2 ♀; 14-18.VI 1996, 3 ♀ (P. Tomkovich).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia: Chukotka (new record), Kamchatskii krai, Khabarovskii krai, Primorskii krai, Sakhalin, Yakutia, Chitinskaya oblast', European part. – North and Central Europe.

***Osmia (Melanosmia) uncinata* Gerstaecker, 1869**

MATERIAL. Russia: Chukotka, Balaganchik River, 12.VII 1995, 1 ♂ (P. Tomkovich).

DISTRIBUTION. Russia: Chukotka (new record), Magadanskaya oblast', Khabarovskii krai, Amurskaya oblast', Primorskii krai, Yakutia, Irkutskaya oblast', European part. – North and Central Europe.

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