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CONSERVATION OF THE ENDANGERED NORTHERN SWAMP YABBY – *GRAMASTACUS* [] (DECAPODA: PARASTACIDAE), A LOWLAND FRESHWATER CRAYFISH FROM THE CENTRAL AND MID NORTH COASTS, NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA

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INTRODUCTION

Common Name.—The Northern Swamp Yabby (McCormack & Horwitz 2010).

Conservation Status.— *Gramastacus* [] McCormack & Horwitz 2010 (Fig. 1) is not currently listed on any State, Federal or International conservation listing. However, a recent assessment of the conservation status of the Northern Swamp Crayfish considered that a listing of ‘**Endangered**’ was appropriate under current IUCN criteria (Coughran and Furse 2009). The conservation assessment noted that further information is urgently required on the species, in order to both refine its conservation status and enable specific conservation and management programs.

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