

REPORT FORM

This form is intended as a convenience in reporting observations of species on the LBRC Review List. The LBRC recommends the use of this form or this format when submitting records for review (to assure that all information involving an observation is accounted for). Attach additional sheets if necessary. Please print or type. Attach drawings, photographs, or tape recordings, if available. Include all photos if an obscurely marked species. When completed, mail to: LBRC Secretary, c/o Museum of Natural Science, 119 Foster Hall, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803-3216.

1. English and scientific name: Black-whiskered Vireo (*Vireo altiloquus*)
2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2ad. in breeding plumage): 1 adult
3. Locality: Louisiana state Cameron parish
Johnson Bayou Woods
specific locality
4. Date(s) when seen: APRIL 24, 1984
5. Times of day when seen: ?
mid day
6. Reporting observer and address: Ronald J. Stein
Box 943 C N.W. 4th. St.
Reserve, LA 70084
7. Other observers accompanying reporter who also identified the bird:
Melvin Weber
8. Other observers who independently identified the bird:
Joseph Kennedy
9. Light conditions (position of bird in relation to shade and to direction and amount of light): overhead view (good light)
10. Optical equipment (type, power, condition):
10x50 Bino.
11. Distance to bird: as close as 20'
12. Duration of observation: several minutes
13. Habitat: Chenier (hackberry trees)
14. Behavior (flying, feeding, resting, etc. - include and stress any habits used in identification): Feeding in trees

15. Description (Include only what was actually seen, not what "should" have been seen). Include if possible: total length or relative size compared to other species present or familiar species; body bulk; shape, bill, eye, leg and plumage characteristics. Stress features that separate it from similar species:

Back olive, top of head grayish, white eyebrow stripe with black line above & below stripe, Black whisker stripe well seen and noted, red eye, large bill, whitish breast with yellowish flanks.

16. Voice: Song heard by Joseph Kennedy (per. comm.)

17. Similar species (include how they are eliminated by your observations):

Compared with Red-eyed Vireos nearby. Larger bill and prominent whisker mark noted by all observers.

18. Photographs or tape recordings obtained (By whom? Attached?):

No

19. Previous experience with this species:

None

20. Aids: List books, illustrations, birders, etc. used in identification:

a) at time of observation: Peterson, Golden Gull

b) after observation: " " "

21. This description written from: _____ notes made during observation; _____ notes made after observation (date: _____); memory.

22. Are you positive of your identification? YES. If not, explain:

23. Signature of reporter: Ronald J. Stein

24. Date and time of writing this account: 9:45 AM 5/17/90