

**DEEP-SEA FISHES FROM THE ANDAMAN SEA BY R/V CHAKRATONG TONGYAI
DURING 1996–2000. PART 4: ORDER ARGENTINIFORMES**

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ABSTRACT: Taxonomy of the order Argentiniformes was studied based on specimens collected by R/V Chakratong Tongyai from the deep-sea waters of the Andaman Sea. These specimens were classified into eight species belonging to three families and seven genera, including a single argentinid *Glossanodon* sp. (*sensu* Psomadakis *et al.* 2019), a single platytroctid *Platytroctes mirus* (Lloyd, 1909), and six alepocephalids *Alepocephalus bicolor* Alcock, 1891, *Alepocephalus owstoni* Tanaka, 1908, *Bajacalifornia calcarata* (Weber, 1913), *Leptoderma* cf. *retopinna* Fowler, 1943, *Microphotolepis schmidtii* (Angel and Verrier, 1931) and *Rouleina squamilatera* (Alcock, 1898). The present study represents the first records of *P. mirus*, *A. owstoni*, *B. calcarata* and *M. schmidtii* from the Andaman Sea.

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