

# Contribution to the Knowledge of the Jewel Beetles (Coleoptera: Buprestidae) of the Balkan Peninsula. II.

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**Abstract:** The concept of OBENBERGER (1942) concerning the systematic position of *Chalcophorella* (*s. str.*), *Stigmatophorella* TOYAMA, 1986, and *Rossiella* OBENBERGER, 1942, as a subgenera of *Chalcophorella* KERREMANS, 1903, is discussed and supported. Elevation to species rank for *Anthaxia* (*Anthaxia*) *spatuligera* OBENBERGER, 1924 (formerly a subspecies of *A. midas*) is proposed. *Anthaxia* (*Cratomerus*) *eugeniae* GANGLBAUER, 1885, is a new species to the Bulgarian fauna. *Anthaxia* (*Haplantaxia*) *kiesenwetteri* MARSEUL, 1865, and *Anthaxia* (*Anthaxia*) *bicolor bicolor* FALDERMANN, 1835, are new records for Croatia. A new locality in Bulgaria (East Rhodopes) for *Anthaxia* (*Anthaxia*) *midas midas* KIESENWETTER, 1857, is reported.

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