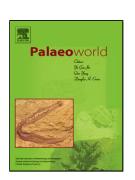
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Abstract

Four recently collected mammal specimens from the Upper Cretaceous (Santonian–?Campanian) Bostobe Formation in the northeastern Aral Sea Region, Kazakhstan are attributed to Asioryctitheria indet. (an edentulous dentary fragment) and the zhelestid *Parazhelestes* sp. cf. *P. mynbulakensis* (a maxillary fragment with a double-rooted canine, an M1, and a dentary fragment including m3). These new records double the known mammal fauna from this formation, which previously included the zhelestid *Zhalmouzia bazhanovi* and Zhelestidae indet. The taxonomic and ecological structure of the mammal assemblage from the Bostobe Formation

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