Subspecies Names Automatically Created by Rule 46

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Two type subspecies names created automatically under Rule 46 are presented.

In the course of maintaining my own database, I have discovered two type subspecies names that were created automatically under Rule 46 of the Bacteriological Code (1990 revision) (3) and that had not previously been validly published.

Alcaligenes faecalis subsp. *faecalis* Castellani and Chalmers 1919, type strain ATCC 8750, was automatically created by the valid publication of *A. faecalis* subsp. *homari* Austin, Rodgers, Forns, and Colwell 1981 (1), with the nomenclatural type being strain L1 (NCMB 2116 or ATCC 33127).

Staphylococcus schleiferi subsp. *schleiferi* Freney, Brun, Bes,

Meugnier, Grimont, Grimont, Nervi, and Fleurette 1988, type strain N850274 (ATCC 43808), was automatically created by the valid publication of *S. schleiferi* subsp. *coagulans* Igimi et al. 1990 (2), with the nomenclatural type being strain GA211 (JCM 7470).

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