

LOUISIANA BIRD RECORDS COMMITTEE

REPORT FORM

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

1. English and Scientific names: Cinnamon Teal (*Anas Cyanoptera*)
2. Number of individuals, sexes, ages, general plumage (e.g., 2 in alternate plumage):
1 male Cinnamon
3. Locality: Parish: Cameron
Specific Locality: Cameron Prairie—Pintail Loop—Off hwy 27 East side of loop in Canal.

4. Date(s) when observed: Dec 2 2014

5. Time(s) of day when observed: 11: 30 am

6. Reporting observer and address: Billy Jones 202 Seamon Rd Lake Charles, La. 70611

7. Other observers accompanying reporter who also *identified* the bird(s):
None took pictures
8. Other observers who independently identified the bird(s): Jeanie Pouson, Michael Musumeche they told me about bird and location

9. Light conditions (position of bird in relation to shade and to direction and amount of light): Cloudy overcast

10. Optical equipment (type, power, condition): Nikon d7100 Sigma 500mm lens also sony Binos

11. Distance to bird(s): less than 50 ft.

12. Duration of observation: 90 sec

13. Habitat: Marsh

14. Behavior of bird / circumstances of observation (flying, feeding, resting; include and stress habits used in identification; relate events surrounding observation): Feeding and then flying away

15. Description (include only what was actually seen, *not what "should" have been seen*; include if possible: total length/relative size compared to other familiar species, body bulk, shape, proportions, bill, eye, leg, and plumage characteristics. Stress features that separate it from similar species): No mistaking the male

16. Voice: Did not hear it

17. Similar species (include how they were eliminated by your observation): Nothing is similar.

18. Photographs or tape recordings obtained? (by whom? attached?): Billy Jones

19. Previous experience with this species: observed on previous occasions in year past.

20. Identification aids: (list books, illustrations, other birders, etc. used in identification):

a. at time of observation: None just took pictures

b. after observation: Very familiar with species

21. This description is written from: _____ notes made during the observation (____notes attached?); _____ notes made after the observation (date: _____); _____ memory.

22. Are you positive of your identification if not, explain: Yes there's nothing else it can be and other birders agree

23. Date: _12-02-2014_____ Time: __ 11:30 AM. _____

24. May the LBRC have permission to display this report or portions of this report on its website? _____ Yes _____

If yes, may we include your name with the report? __ Yes _____

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