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***Iyalepis* nom. nov., a New Replacement Name for *Angarichthys* Sytchevskaya et Yakovlev, 1985 (Pisces, Palaeonisciformes, Coccolepididae)**

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Sytchevskaya and Yakovlev (1985) described a new genus and species of coccolepidid palaeonisc, *Angarichthys rohoni*, from the Early–Middle Jurassic of the Baikal Region (Angara River Basin, locality near the village of Vladimirovka on the Iya River; Chermkhovskaya Formation). However, this generic name was preoccupied by *Angarichthys* Obruchev, 1927 (with the type species *A. hyperboreus* Obr.), a member of the family Homostiidae of the order Pachosteida (Arthrodira). Thus, the generic name *Angarichthys* Sytchevskaya et Yakovlev 1985 is a junior homonym of *Angarichthys* Obruchev, 1927. The new replacement generic name *Iyalepis* Sytchevskaya, nom. nov. with

the type species *I. rohoni* (Sytchevskaya et Yakovlev) is proposed to replace *Angarichthys* Sytchevskaya et Yakovlev 1985. The new generic name is based on the locality on the Iya River.

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