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***Linteroceras* nom. nov.—a New Replacement Name  
for the Genus *Linter* Shimansky, 1968 (Nautiloidea; Carboniferous)**

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Shimansky (1968) proposed the name *Linter* Shimansky for a genus of Early Carboniferous nautiloids. Shimansky placed this genus in the family Pseudactinoceratidae Schindewolf, 1943, order Actinocerida. The genus includes two valid species: the type species *Linter incommoda* Shimansky, 1968 and *L. deflexum* (Trautschold, 1867). However, the generic name *Linter* Shimansky, 1968 is preoccupied: it was used by Stephenson (Stephenson, 1937) for the Late Cretaceous bivalve genus *Linter* Stephenson, 1937 (Bivalvia, Pteriomorpha, Arcida).

Herein, in accordance with ICZN Article 60.3 (*International...*, 1999), a new replacement name *Linteroceras* Mironenko, nom. nov. is proposed for the genus *Linter* Shimansky, 1968. The genus name is derived the Latin word “*linter*” (boat) (the stem also used by Shimansky (1968)) and *ceras* (Greek—horn), traditionally used in many generic names of fossil cephalopods and should be treated as neuter.

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