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A new combination of Eria By Jay Pfahl

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Eria leonardoi [Ferreras & W Suarez] Pfahl 2015

TYPE: Luzon, nueva Ecija, Municipality of Gabaldon, Mt. Mingan, U Ferreras 457

[holotype PUH 14585]

Basionym: *Mycaranthes leonardoi* Ferreras & W.Suarez, Austral. Orchid Rev. 74(6): 36 2009

Common Name: Leonardo Co's Eria

Flower Size: .28" [7mm]

Found in Nueva Ecija of the Philippines at elevations around 1500 meters as a medium sized, cool growing epiphyte with semipendulous, curved stems carrying 14, linear-lanceolate leaves that blooms on 3, peduncle to 6.2" [15 .5 cm] long, longest to 9.2" [23 cm] long overall, white pubescent, to 8, acuminate, sterile bracts, densely many flowered inflorescence with strongly acuminate floral bracts and carrying nodding flowers. . This is a new combination that has now been published 3/9/12 and is legal by new regs with XVIII INTERNATIONAL BOTANICAL CONGRESS, MELBOURNE, 18-22 JULY 2011.