Addendum

to

The Newfoundland Rare Plant Project Including an Update to the Rare Vascular Plants of the Island of Newfoundland

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The affiliations of a significant number of program participants have changed since the completion of the report.

Also, the following names of government departments and institutions have changed:

Name used in report	New name
Inland Fish and Wildlife Division, NL	Wildlife Division, NL Department of
Department of Tourism Culture and	Environment and Conservation
Recreation	
Parks and Natural Areas Division, NL	Parks and Natural Areas Division, NL
Department of Tourism Culture and	Department of Environment and
Recreation	Conservation
Provincial Museum of Newfoundland and	The Rooms, Provincial Museum
Labrador	
NL Department of Forest Resources and	NL Department of Natural Resources
Agrifoods	

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The vascular plant specimens given to the Parks and Natural Areas Division were later passed on to The Rooms, Provincial Museum (formerly known as the Provincial Museum of Newfoundland and Labrador)

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An article about historic rare species that were re-located, as well as species newly discovered in Newfoundland, was published in the Journal "Rhodora" in 2004, see reference below.

Djan-Chékar, N., L. Brouillet, C. Hanel, S. Hay and J. E. Maunder. 2004. Vascular Plants of the Island of Newfoundland, Canada: Recent Additions and Rediscoveries. Rhodora, 106:167-177.

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The Species Status Advisory Committee (SSAC) was established in September 2003 under the Endangered Species Act to evaluate the status of species of provincial concern. At the time of this update, the SSAC had recommended listing of four vascular plant species evaluated at the federal level by the Committee on the Status of Endangered Wildlife in Canada (COSEWIC) and evaluated 17 additional vascular plant species; all of them were on the rare plant list in this report.

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A recovery strategy for barrens willow (Salix jejuna) was completed in October 2003.

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At the time of writing, 179 of the 298 rare plant species have a photograph on the "Digital Flora of Newfoundland and Labrador" website

(http://www.nfmuseum.com/flora.htm). Photographs of rare vascular plant species are still being added periodically.