



## Correction to: First record of the white root rot fungus *Dematophora necatrix* on indigenous South African trees

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The article was originally published with an error in the second affiliation. It incorrectly listed the affiliation as “South African National Bioaffiliationersity Institute (SANBI), Pretoria, South Africa.” The correct affiliation is “South African National Biodiversity Institute (SANBI), Pretoria, South Africa.” The publisher and author apologize for any confusion caused and appreciates the understanding of the readers. The original article has been corrected.

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