Validation of the name *Anemone pendulisepala* (Ranunculaceae)

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*Anemone pendulisepala* Lee (2003: 2), a species endemic to Korea, has been widely recognized in taxonomic literature (e.g. Lee 2006, Lee et al. 2006, 2012, Oh et al. 2016). However, its name was not validly published by Lee (2003), because, contrary to Art. 40.7 of ICN (McNeill et al. 2012), he did not indicate the herbarium in which the type was conserved.

Lee (2003) provided a Latin description for *Anemone pendulisepala* and designated a single gathering (*Y.N. Lee & Y.S. Kim s.n.*, 12 May 2003) as the type. We have successfully traced this gathering from the Herbarium of the National Institute of Biological Resources (KB), Korea, where Lee’s collections are currently deposited by donation (Son et al. 2016). Here *A. pendulisepala* is validated by reference to the previously published description by Lee (2003) and by indicating the herbarium in which the holotype is conserved. According to Art. 46.3 of ICN (McNeill et al. 2012), this name should be attributed to Lee.

*Anemone pendulisepala* Lee, sp. nov.  
**Type:**—KOREA. Gangwon-do, Mt. Taebaek, 12 May 2003, *Y.N. Lee & Y.S. Kim s.n.* (holotype KB, barcode NIBRVP0000191509!).

**Description:** Lee (2003: 2).

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