

Recent Literature : Reptilia**Whitaker, R.**

1970. Slight reaction from bites of the rear-fanged snakes *Boiga ceylonensis* (Gunther) and *Dryophis nasutus* (Lacèpède).

J. Bombay Nat. Hist. Soc. 67 : 113.

Personal experience of the bites of these snakes shows that only mild swelling or itching occurs. *D. nasutus* is the long thin bright green snake with a sharp nose often on sale at the Bangkok weekend market.

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