



# ISO 639/MA Quarterly Newsletter

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The ISO 639 Maintenance Agency uses this newsletter to inform subscribers of the changes to ISO 639, "Code for individual languages and language groups" that are up for consideration by the MA in a future meeting, and to report on the decisions made in recent meetings. This edition of the newsletter announces that:

- 6 new Change Requests have been posted for public comment
- 2 previous Change Requests have been adopted

## Newly posted change requests

The following change requests are newly registered and are now open for public comment through **June 30**. Submit your comments by email to [iso639-3@sil.org](mailto:iso639-3@sil.org). All of the language code elements that would be affected by the proposed change are enumerated. Click on a link to see the full documentation of the change request.

[2023-001](#), Update [eko] Koti

- **Proposed.** [eko] Koti. Expand by merging dialects into Koti
- **Proposed.** [nte] Nathembo. Deprecate as a dialect: Merge into Koti [eko]

[2023-002](#), Update [mmi] Musar

- **Proposed.** [mmi] Musar. Change the reference name: Old value = Musar, New value = Hember Avu

[2023-003](#), Update [bqj] Bilakura

- **Proposed.** [bqj] Bilakura. Change the reference name: Old value = Bilakura, New value = Karian

[2023-004](#), Deprecate [dek] Dek

- **Proposed.** [dek] Dek. Deprecate as duplicate: Merge into Suma [sqm] as duplicate

[2023-005](#), Update [daz] Dao

- **Proposed.** [daz] Dao. Change the reference name: Old value = Dao, New value = Moi-Wadea

[2023-006](#), Create [ynb] Yamben

- **Proposed.** [ynb] *Unassigned*. Create new language: Reference name = Yamben, Type = Living

## Changes that have been adopted

The following change requests have been adopted by the Maintenance Agency. They affect the language code elements that are enumerated. Click on a link to see the full documentation for the request or the code element.

[2019-052](#), Update [dgr] Tlichó

- [\[dgr\]](#) Tlichó. Change the reference name: Old value = Dogrib, New value = Tlichó
- [\[dgr\]](#) Tlichó. Add additional name: New value = Dogrib

[2021-001](#), Create [isv] Interslavic

- [\[isv\]](#) *Unassigned*. Create new language: Reference name = Interslavic, Type = Constructed