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**Supplementary Material Figure 1 (JPEG Format)**

High-latitude biostratigraphic scheme for Neogene radiolarians, modified/collated after Lazarus (1990, 1992), Abelmann (1992) and Takemura (1992).

**Supplementary Material Table 1 (EXCEL Format)**

Zonal definitions for the middle-latitude radiolarian zonation (Nigrini and Sanfilippo, 2001).

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