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A NEW SUBSPECIES OF *CHRYSOBOTHRIS BIRAMOSA*  
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(COLEOPTERA: BUPRESTIDAE)

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*Chrysobothris biramosa calida* n. subsp.

This form differs from typical *C. biramosa* (Fisher) by the brilliant green occiput, pronotum and elytra. The three transverse blue bands on each elytron are similar to those of *biramosa biramosa*. Holotype: length 8.4 mm.; width 3.5 mm.

It superficially resembles *C. atrifasciata* Lec. which has a green head and ventral surface; pronotum is wider in proportion to length; sculpture of head, pronotum and elytra is much coarser.

Holotype ♂ collected in Santa Rosa Mountains, Riverside Co., Calif., June 25, 1946 by D. J. and J. N. Knull. Allotype and two paratypes labeled Blythe, Riverside Co., Calif. May 17, 1937, E. D. Algert. Other paratypes Yuma, Yuma Co., Arizona, June 19, 1935, O. Bryant and Ehrenberg, Yuma Co., Arizona, June 26, F. H. Parker, in collection of author.

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