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## A NOTE ON KHOISAN NOMENCLATURE

*The following Khoisan nomenclature is used in this book, and the advice of J. Deacon is gratefully acknowledged.*

**KHOISAN:** The generic word that includes San and Khoekhoe.

**SAN:** The generic word to replace 'Bushman' or 'Bushmen'. No gender is specified, and the word is used for singular and plural. Where possible, local names such as *Ju/'hoansi* (formerly *!Kung*), */Xam*, *Nharo*, *G/wi* and *!Ko* are used because these are the names that the people themselves prefer.

**KHOE:** The generic name to replace 'Hottentot'. The word is singular in Nama and no gender is specified.

**KHOEKHOE:** The generic plural to replace 'Hottentots'. No gender is specified.