**Podocerus cristatus**

**Diagnostic Characters:**

- Eyes large, rounding, and bulging
- 1 small spine/tooth process on segment 2 of Antenna 2
- Body segments 5-7 have dorsal carinae (crest) (Midline dorsal body crest)
- Abdomen notched and irregular
- Setation lacking on abdominal body segments
- 2 palmar processes on Male G2
- G1 and G2 setose

**Illustration:**

Fig. 31. *Podocerus cristatus* (Thomson). Male, 6.0 mm, sta. 4938: A, lateral view; B, gnathopod 2, minus setae.
Fig. 32. *Podocerus cristatus* (Thomson). Female, 6.0 mm, sta. 4958: A, antenna 1; B,C, gnathopod 1; D,E, gnathopod 2; F,G,H,I,J, peraeopods 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. Female, 6.5 mm: K, gnathopod 2.