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Dionaea 'CCCP Tasmanian Devil' is the product of a collaboration between Stephen Wang and Craig Heath. Hand pollination was performed in Palo Alto, California in July 2018 by Stephen, Evan, and Emmy Wang with isolation of flowers after pollination. The seed was the product of the following cross: (D. 'B52' × D. 'Coquillage') × D. 'Royal Red'. Numerous seeds from this cross were grown by both Stephen Wang and Craig Heath. Of the over 50 seeds, only one (grown in Lorton, Virginia) developed the unique phenotype of D. 'CCCP Tasmanian Devil'.

Dionaea 'CCCP Tasmanian Devil' is characterized by short but rather stout cilia and a unique wavy trap morphology (Fig. 3). Important to note is that while the traps have an undulating morphology, the traps are perfectly symmetric and are fully functional, able to completely seal and digest prey. Undulating morphology of the traps is seen in nearly all traps. Trigger hairs are standard three per trap side. Traps are green with red internally and number of traps is relatively prolific. Trap size measures up to 1.6 cm and the petioles are relatively short, measuring up to 1.6 cm. Petiole growth is prostrate.

The name 'Tasmanian Devil' is a reference to the Warner Brothers cartoon character whose mouth, filled with sharp teeth and agape, has a similar undulating appearance to the traps of this cultivar. 'CCCP' is an acronym for Crazy Craig's Carnivorous Plants where seedling selection and propagation of this cultivar was performed.

Dionaea 'CCCP Tasmanian Devil' can only be propagated vegetatively by rhizome or leaf/floral cuttings to preserve the unique characteristics of the cultivar. Dionaea 'CCCP Tasmanian Devil' is currently grown only in Palo Alto, California, and Lorton, Virginia, USA.

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Figure 3: Dionaea 'CCCP Tasmanian Devil' traps and plant.

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