# **Galium debile**

## **COMMON NAME**

slender marsh bedstraw

#### **FAMILY**

Rubiaceae

#### **AUTHORITY**

Galium debile Desv.

# FLORA CATEGORY

Vascular - Exotic

#### STRUCTURAL CLASS

Herbs - Dicotyledons other than Composites

## **CONSERVATION STATUS**

Not applicable

# **FLOWER COLOURS**

White

## YEAR NATURALISED

1940

#### **ORIGIN**

S. and W. Europe

## **ETYMOLOGY**

galium: From the Greek galo 'milk', the leaves of Galium verum being used in the past to curdle milk

# **MORE INFORMATION**

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/galium-debile/

