

To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA
From: Dave Reser, LC Representative
Subject: Variant title access point (RDA 6.27.4.1, 6.28.4.1, 6.29.3.1, 6.30.5.1, 6.31.3.1)

Although we believe the blanket instruction to “construct additional variant access points if considered important for access” suffices for the intended purpose, we have no objection to the proposed instruction changes.

We think that the addition of example explanations beginning with “**Variant access point for the work**” followed by a name/title are potentially misleading, not in the style of examples for other variant access points in RDA, and the explanation shown is not in the context of the correct instruction for those variant access points. We suggest all five instances be removed, or reformatted and moved to follow the relevant instruction for constructing variant access points using the creator and variant title.