To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA  
From: Susanne Oehlschläger, DNB Representative  
Subject: Court and Jurisdiction in RDA

DNB thanks the JSC Technical Working Group for this proposal. We do not agree with it.

Whereas we welcome the clarification of these concepts in principle, we consider this paper as not yet fully developed. There are remaining issues. Besides the terms court and jurisdiction, for the German speaking community, also the term government should be included into the analysis. This is also an issue for the translation as the concepts are different.

We recommend tasking the Working Group on Places to thoroughly look into the matter and make suggestions on how to solve the problems.