To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA  
From: Susanne Oehlschläger, DNB Representative  
Subject: New Chapter 3 elements for Optical Disc Data Storage Format and Optical Disc Recording Method

DNB thanks the American Library Association for this proposal. We disagree and do not consider it as necessary to add the newly proposed element 3.21 "Optical disc data storage format" as we think this should be part of 3.19.3 "Encoding format", and "Optical disc data storage format" should be a sub-element of 3.9 "Production Method".

Another point we discussed is that a BluRay Disk is not really a storage format but a carrier where data can be stored in a certain format.