To:                Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA
From:             Kathy Glennan, ALA Representative
Subject:          2.15.1.4 Optional Addition

ALA thanks BL for this proposal to provide guidance about recording identifiers associated with a related manifestation. We generally agree with the proposal, although we suggest a variant wording of the proposed Optional Addition, based more closely on the language used in 2.15.1.3, Facsimiles and Reproductions. We also believe the example needs to be modified to follow 27.1.

Proposed rewording – clean copy only

2.15.1.4 Recording Identifiers for Manifestations

[First two paragraphs and example blocks unchanged]

Optional Addition

If the resource has an identifier associated with a different manifestation of the same expression, record it as an identifier for a related manifestation (see 27.1).

EXAMPLE

Also issued as: e-ISBN 978-3-11-2500-5
Identifier for the manifestation recorded as: ISBN 978-3-11-023499-2. ISBN provided for equivalent electronic manifestation