To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA

From: Ebe Kartus, ACOC Representative

Subject: Revisions to Numeric Designation of a Musical Work (6.16)

ACOC thanks the Music Working Group for this proposal to revise the instructions for numeric designations of a musical work.

ACOC supports the proposal, but feels that the proposed change of "aggregate work" to "individual work" in the paragraph following the alternative in 6.16.1.3 does not provide the required clarity. We suggest instead that the word "aggregate" should simply be deleted.

ACOC notes the Music Working Group's concern (page 11 of the proposal) that a change to the work property definition "has numeric designation of a musical work" might be required in the RDA Element Set and would welcome a relevant proposal.