TO: Joint Steering Committee for Revision of AACR

FROM: Hugh Taylor, CILIP representative

SUBJECT: Addition to Other agreements involving jurisdictions (7.9.5.5)

CILIP supports CCC's proposed addition.

In the course of its deliberations, CILIP began to wonder whether the revised version of 7.9.5.5 that would result from acceptance of CCC's proposal would render the special rules concerning the Holy See (7.9.5.4) redundant. It is unclear whether these rules are required because of some special characteristic of the agreements to which the Holy See can be party or because it is felt that there is something intrinsically problematic with the notion of the Holy See as a government or jurisdiction. Although CILIP itself was unable to come to any definite conclusion, this may be a point worth pursuing further.