

To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA

From: Gordon Dunsire, CILIP Representative

Subject: Proposed revision of RDA 2.1.2.2 and 2.1.2.3, Basis for Identification of the Resource

CILIP thanks ALA for its proposed revision.

CILIP does not agree with the proposal.

CILIP does not believe the revision is necessary. There is little background to the proposal, it is unfinished and there is no hard case put forward for the proposal. CILIP believes cataloguers must refer to principles, not just look at rules, and that much of detail of the proposal should be covered by RDA principles.