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To:Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDAFrom:Christine Frodl, DNB RepresentativeSubject:Instructions for Recording Relationships: Discussion Paper

DNB thanks ALA for preparing this discussion paper. We agree in general with the content of the discussion paper and all tentative recommendations.

However, we think that the suggested changes of the strawman proposal seem to inflate chapters 25 – 28. Another approach might be to describe the topic in chapter 24 in general and then refer to the possible implementation scenarios.

With regard to the examples we think that they do not fit perfectly well, because they represent the manifestation and do not follow the internal logic of the proposal and RDA respectively.

Therefore we would welcome further discussion.