

**To:** Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA  
**From:** Alan Danskin, British Library Representative  
**Subject:** Change to 2.2.4 to remove parallel title proper

## Intention

To clarify source of information for parallel title proper

## Discussion

There is a contradiction between 2.3.3.2 and 2.2.4 d). It is not clear whether parallel title proper can be taken from sources outside the resource.

### 2.3.3.2

Sources of Information

Take parallel titles proper from **any source within the resource.**

### 2.2.4

Other Sources of Information **LCPS**

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- b) a container that is not issued as part of the resource itself (e.g., a box, case made by the owner)
- c) other published descriptions of the resource
- d) **any other available source** (e.g., a reference source).

If information taken from a source outside the resource itself is supplied in any of the elements listed below, indicate that fact either by means of a note or by some other means (e.g., through coding or the use of square brackets).

## Title

Title proper

**Parallel title proper**

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## Changes to RDA instructions

Delete parallel title proper from the list at 2.2.4

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### **Title**

Title proper

~~Parallel title proper~~

Other title information

Parallel other title information

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### **Title**

Title proper

Other title information

Parallel other title information