

To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA

From: Deirdre Kiorgaard, ACOC representative

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ACOC appreciates CILIP's attempt to find a way in which FRSAD might be incorporated into RDA.

It has been difficult for us to evaluate this proposal. We do not have sufficient knowledge of PRECIS to allow us to make the connections between it and its possible use in RDA, and there has been insufficient time for us to research this. If the JSC decides to investigate this option further we will certainly make use of the references which CILIP has provided.

For JSC's information PRECIS was used by the National Library of Australia for the cataloguing of our Australian National Bibliography. We would be happy to share that experience with the JSC at our meeting.