

To: Joint Steering Committee for Development of RDA
From: John Attig, ALA Representative
Subject: Revisions to Date Associated with the Person (9.3) when recording more than a year alone

ALA thanks the Library of Congress for this proposal to clarify the instructions for recording detailed dates.

Proposed Change 1. ALA supports this revision.

Proposed Change 2. ALA supports this deletion.

Proposed Change 3. ALA supports this revision.

In addition, we suggest that the change from “month and day” to “month or month and day” should also be made in the Scope guidelines for Date of Birth (9.3.2.1) and Date of Death (9.3.3.1).