

RSC/ReligionsWG/2023/1/WCEO response  
July 12, 2023

To: Renate Behrens, Chair, RDA Steering Committee  
CC: Anne Welsh, RSC Secretary  
From: Charlene Chou, WCEO  
Subject: Formal response to RSC/ReligionsWG/2023/1/ -- Religious Titles

**Recommendation 1**

Approve

**Recommendation 2**

Approve

**Recommendation 3**

Approve

**Recommendation 4**

Approve

**General comments**

I fully support this proposal to eliminate a set of options that are specific to certain religions. When I shared the progress report of this working group at various meetings in the past several months, I received strong support to make the official RDA Toolkit religion-neutral. Therefore, non-Christian's communities do not need to comply with the instructions in comparisons with these religions.