To: RDA Steering Committee

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Subject: Expand the scope of RDA 2.17.5, Note on Numbering of Serials, and 2.17.11, Note on Series Statement

The text below reflects the decisions made by the Joint Steering Committee during its November 2015 meeting.

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2.12.1.6.1 Multipart Monographs and Serials

Make a note (see 2.17.11.6.1) if:

- a series statement is added, deleted, or changed on a subsequent issue or part of a multipart monograph or serial

  and
  
  this change cannot be stated clearly in the series statement

  and
  
  the change is considered important for identification or access.

2.12.1.6.2 Integrating Resources

Change the series statement to reflect the current iteration of an integrating resource if a series statement is added, deleted, or changed on a subsequent iteration.

Make a note if the change is considered important for identification or access (see 2.17.11.6.2).

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2.17.5.1 Scope

A note on numbering of serials▼ is a note providing information on:

- the numbering of the first and/or last issue or part
- complex or irregular numbering (including numbering errors)
- the period covered by a volume, issue, part, etc.
- or
- other information relating to numbering of serials.
2.17.5.6 Other Information Relating to Numbering of Serials

Make notes on other details relating to numbering of serials, if considered important for identification or access.

EXAMPLE

Numbering of last issue from publisher’s website, viewed 6 December 2005
Volume numbers printed as words on cover
“2nd series” supplied for identification; phrase does not appear on serial
Alternative numbering for Vol. XIV, No. 11 (April 1990)– appears in masthead

2.17.11.1 Scope

A note on series statement\(^\text{▼}\) is a note providing information on:

complex series statements
incorrect numbering within series
changes in series statements
or
other information relating to a series statement.

2.17.11.5 Other Information Relating to a Series Statement

Make notes on other details relating to a series statement, if considered important for identification or access.

EXAMPLE

Series statement from dust jacket
Series number appears on title page as a roman numeral
Parallel title proper of series transliterated from Korean

2.17.11.6 Change in Series Statements

Make notes on changes in series statements as appropriate to the mode of issuance of the resource:
multipart monographs and serials (see 2.17.11.6.1)
integrating resources (see 2.17.11.6.2).

2.17.11.6.1 Multipart Monographs and Serials

[former instruction 2.17.11.5.1 unchanged]

2.17.11.6.2 Integrating Resources

[former instruction 2.17.11.5.2 unchanged]

=Glossary:

note on edition statement  A note providing information on the source of an edition statement, on edition statements relating to issues, parts, etc., on changes in edition statements, or on other information relating to an edition statement.

note on numbering of serials  A note providing information on the numbering of the first and/or last issue or part, on complex or irregular numbering (including numbering errors), on the period covered by a volume, issue, part, etc., or on other information relating to numbering of serials.

note on series statement  A note providing information on complex series statements, on incorrect numbering within series, on changes in series statements, or on other information relating to a series statement.

note on title  A note providing information on the source from which a title was taken, the date the title was viewed, variations in titles, inaccuracies, deletions, etc., or on other information relating to a title.