To: RDA Steering Committee

From: Renate Behrens, Europe Region representative

Subject: Additions and revisions to RDA 7.11, Place and Date of Capture

EURIG - Editorial Committee thanks RSC Music Working Group for this proposal.

EURIG members and national committees submitted comments to the DNB wiki which were discussed by the Editorial Committee in series of web meetings during September.

EURIG – Editorial Committee agrees with the proposal. We prefer option 1.

Option 1 offers more flexibility for how the information should be recorded than option 2 which relegates it to a note. As there is already a Note on Expression element (RDA 7.29), it is not necessary to define a new note element. We recommend that the RSC considers what sub-elements are needed in addition to Date and Place of Capture; for example, Capture Device and Capture Environment, as these are often important criteria for researchers and recording them in a note may not be adequate. We think that the labels and structure of the instructions can be generalized, e.g. avoiding the clumsy Place, Date, and Other Details of Capture.