Recommendations from Working Group 3 made at the IME ICC2
August 18th 2004

Working Group 3 – Seriality

Objective
Reach agreement on the standards and the identification of the part in which the rules
differ from ISBD (CR) about what constitutes a change in a new work/expression that
justifies a new record.

Report
The Working Group analyzed the document in view of Frankfurt recommendations and
completely agreed with the general recommendations made and incorporated in the
December 19, 2003 version.
Because of the nature of serial publications, the Group acknowledges the importance of
principles 6.1 and 6.2 about the creation of authority records for access points.

Recommendations towards a new cataloguing code

Report
The Group finds that there are not enough elements to make recommendations for
changes for a new code at this moment, but proposes the following initiatives to create
an environment for analysis and discussion of seriality issues in the region:

- The Group will stay in permanent session to generate specific proposals and
  recommendations
- Translation and diffusion of international standards related to seriality
- Expand the scope of the group to the professional associations and library science
  schools in the countries of the region.