Kentucky Library Association
Government Documents Roundtable
Louisville Kentucky
Fall Meeting October 9, 2003

Present: Gary Austin, Claudia Fitch, Angel Smith, Sandra McAninch, Rae Shepherd-Schlechter, Dee Wood, Patricia Yannarella, Philip Yannarella, Yiqi Zhou.

1. Minutes of previous meeting not approved.

2. Regional Depository Library Update
   The Regional Library’s goal is to have existing major documents collections cataloged. Older documents are also being cataloged as are special collections such as the CIS microfiche collection of congressional publications. With documents cataloged at selective depository libraries and collections online, the number of discard lists may be reduced in the future.

3. Old Business
   None.

4. New Business
   Gary Austin discussed the new 7:45 AM KLA breakfast/business meeting innovation which is intended to promote new member for the KLA round tables.

   Bill Richardson, for health reasons, has not written and sent a letter to the State Agencies in regard to the public availability of their current paper and electronic publications.

   The Nomination Committee reported there are no candidates for the election of new GODORT officers. Angel Smith volunteered to be Secretary/Treasurer and Philip Yannarella volunteered to be Chair. The membership present unanimously accepted their offers to serve. Dee Wood offered to serve as Chair Elect. The GODORT Constitution does not currently provide for that office. Her offer and term will be tentative until the Round Table changes its Constitution.

   Gary Austin stepped down from membership on the KYVL-GIA Work Group and Barbara Whitener volunteered to serve as part of that Work Group.

   Sandra McAninch sought input as to the “necessary services” provided by the Kentucky Regional Depository Library to its Selective Depository Libraries. There were several comments and reasons as to why a Kentucky Regional Depository Library is needed by the Selective Depository Libraries. The necessary services included: (1) without a Regional selective libraries cannot weed their collections in accord with Federal Guidelines. (2) Without a Regional there would not be a Depository within the State who would have “every document” which would back-up
all the Selective Library’s partial collections. (3) In some instances the Regional library is the only library (in a State) to receive some depository publications which are in short supply when distributed.

Meeting Adjourned

Submitted by
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Secretary/Treasurer
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