Section Three: LC Genre/Form Terms For Religious Materials Project

Janis Young at LC reports that the religion genre/form terms document submitted in August 2012 will be reviewed this year. Staff changes at LC have made it impossible to adhere to the planned schedule.

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