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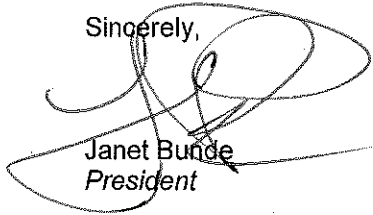
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Ms. Julia Brungs,
Project Officer
International Federation of Library Associations
Prins Willem-Alexanderhof 5
2595 BE The Hague (Den Haag)
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Dear Ms Brungs,

The Archivists Round Table of Metropolitan New York, Inc. (A.R.T.) is pleased to express our interest in signing on to the Lyon Declaration on Access to Information and Development. Founded in 1979, A.R.T. is a not-for-profit organization representing a diverse group of more than 650 archivists, librarians, and records managers in the metropolitan New York area. At its last meeting, the A.R.T. Board of Directors agreed to sign on the declaration as the principles outlined in the document align with our organization's mission.

Sincerely,



Janet Bunde
President