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2009 – Registration Agencies

- CISAC RA network comprises **46** agencies operating in **67** countries.

- **New agencies appointed in 2009:**
  - SOKOJ in Serbia
  - MCSC in China
  - HDS-ZAMP in Croatia
  - ONDA in Algeria
Deployed new web presence:

- New presentation of ISO 15707
- Full database available online

www.ISWC.org
2009 – New Web Site

www.ISWC.org

« Identification of Musical Works all over the World »

« The ISWC is a unique, permanent and internationally recognized reference number for the identification of musical works. »

ISWC for Collective Management Societies
ISWC for Creators and Publishers
ISWC for Music Users

46 ISWC Agencies for 67 Countries

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04/03/08: 16 million unique ISWCs.
04/03/09: 18 million unique ISWCs.

New code allocation methodology:

1. All new codes must be validated by a central registry
2. IF Duplicate THEN “Preferred ISWC”
3. Feedback loop of all new ISWCs into each Registration Agency database.
Objective:
Make available the ISWC code to all Musical Works Licensees as a certified identification key.

CISAC is engaged with key online services to ingest ISWC related metadata.
2009 – ISWC and other SC9 identifiers

**ISRC:** (ISO 3901)
Replaced by a key/value generic structure. (i.e. accepting multiple proprietary identifiers)

**ISTC:** (ISO 21047)
Exploring ISWC ↔ ISTC for lyrics.

**ISNI:** (ISO 27729)
Considering ISNI as a new metadata element.
Thank you!