# **Request for Records Disposition Authority**

Records Schedule Number

DAA-0059-2012-0006

Schedule Status

**Approved** 

Agency or Establishment

Department of State

Record Group / Scheduling Group

General Records of the Department of State

Records Schedule applies to

Major Subdivsion

Major Subdivision

Bureau of Administration, Global Information Services

Minor Subdivision

Office of Directives Management (A/GIS/DIR)

Schedule Subject

Directives Management (A/GIS/DIR) Records

Internal agency concurrences will

be provided

No

### Background Information

### Item Count

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11	3	8	0

## GAO Approval

# Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0059-2012-0006

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### Records Schedule Items

#### Sequence Number

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# Regulatory and Procedural Issuances

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0059-2012-0006-0001

Series of regulatory and procedural issuances of the Department including the Foreign Affairs Manual, Foreign Affairs Handbooks, and Change Transmittal letters (CTs), organization charts of the Department of State, and numbered delegations of authority One complete master set of each series final issuances as of the last day of each calendar year, and all superseded versions of those issuances that were revised during that same calendar year including the Foreign Affairs Manual, Foreign Affairs Handbooks, Change Transmittal letters (CTs), organizational charts of the Department of State and numbered delegations of authority Existing hard copy files have been retroactively scanned from 1961 through December 31, 2010 New files are being scanned and retained by DIR in electronic format beginning January 1, 2011 NOTE Records dating from January 1, 2011 to present are all electronic and records dating from December 31, 2000 and back are hard copy only.

Final Disposition Permanent Item Status Active Is this item media neutral? Yes Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured electronic data?

GRS or Superseded Authority

Citation

Disposition Instruction

If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which this section apply

Non-electronic Textual Records

N1-59-95-4, item 29a

**Cutoff Instruction** Cutoff records of completed series at the end of the

calendar year.

Transfer to Inactive Storage Retire the hard copy files to RSC 10 years after cutoff

for transfer to WNRC.

No

Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-Accessioning

Transfer electronic records to the National Archives for pre-accessioning 5 year(s) after cutoff

Transfer to the National Archives for Accessioning

Transfer to the National Archives in 10 year blocks 25 year(s) after cutoff

### Additional Information

First year of records accumulation 1920

End year of records accumulation 2010

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the National Archives?

Unknown

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the National Archives?

**Every 25 Years** 

### Disposition Instruction

If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which this section apply

Electronic Records

**Cutoff Instruction** 

Cutoff records of completed series at the end of the

calendar year

Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-

Accessioning

Transfer electronic records to the National Archives

for pre-accessioning 5 year(s) after cutoff

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Legally transfer records to the National Archives in 10 year blocks 25 years after cutoff in a medium and format acceptable to NARA in accordance with NARA regulations and guidance in effect at the time

of transfer

#### Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the National Archives?

Unknown

Accumulative period began 1/1/2011

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

**Every 25 Years** 

### Regulatory and Procedural Docket Files

Disposition Authority Number

DAA-0059-2012-0006-0002

Consists of docket files for each revision to issuances in the Foreign Affairs Manual, Foreign Affairs Handbooks, and organization charts of the Department of State, each containing request for issuance revisions (Form DS-809), working drafts of revised issuance, e-mail correspondence, clearances and clearers comments, final version for publication, and Change Transmittal letter (CT) Hard copy documents cover the period from start through December 31, 2010 All documents provided in electronic form beginning January 1, 2011

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Item Status Active

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

No

GRS or Superseded Authority

Citation

N1-59-95-4, item 29c

### Disposition Instruction

If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which

this section apply

Non-electronic Textual Records

**Cutoff Instruction** Cutoff at the end of the calendar year in which

records become 10 years old

Retire to RSC for transfer to WNRC Transfer to Inactive Storage

Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-

Accessioning

Transfer electronic records to the National Archives for pre-accessioning 5 year(s) after cutoff.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer to the National Archives in 10 year blocks 25

year(s) after cutoff

#### Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the National Archives?

Unknown

Beginning accumulation period is circa 1940 and

ending period is December 31, 2010

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

Every 25 Years

### Disposition Instruction

If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which

this section apply

Electronic Records

Cutoff Instruction Cutoff records of completed series at the end of the

calendar year

Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-

Accessioning

Transfer electronic records to the National Archives

for pre-accessioning 5 year(s) after cutoff

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Legally transfer records to the National Archives in 10 year blocks 25 years after cutoff in a medium and format acceptable to NARA in accordance with NARA regulations and guidance in effect at the time of transfer

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

Unknown

Accumulative period began 1/1/2011

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

**Every 25 Years** 

Forms Control Files

Disposition Authority Number

DAA-0059-2012-0006-0003

Background docket materials, requisitions, specifications, processing data, control records and the form Files in electronic format as of January 1, 2011

Final Disposition

Temporary

Item Status

Active

Is this item media neutral?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? No

GRS or Superseded Authority

Citation

NC-59-75-14, item 10a

Disposition Instruction

Retention Period

Destroy/delete active docket material with prior revisions when 7 years old or when discontinued,

whichever is sooner

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Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Department of State Information Collections

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0059-2012-0006-0004

Docket files for Department of State Information Collections, one docket per Office of Management and Budget (OMB) submission. Docket file contains supporting statement, legal authorities, working copies of all required documents, published Federal Register notices, Internal Clearance Sheet, Form 83I, OMB Form 83c, the collection instrument, public comments, and copy of final package submitted to OMB, Service for Citizens sheet, and Notice of Action from OMB, and all correspondence pertaining to submission. All provided in electronic form as of 01/01/11.

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Active

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

No

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cutoff completed files at the end of each calendar

year

Transfer to Inactive Storage Retire hard copy files to RSC 7 years after cutoff

Retention Period Destroy 25 year(s) after cutoff

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Department of State Initiated Rules

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0059-2012-0006-0005

Docket files for Department of State Rules (Proposed, Interim and/or Final) Docket file contains draft copy of Rule from originator, rules as published in Federal Register and all email and written correspondence between the Department, other agencies and the Office of Management and Budget, as well as public comments.

All provided in electronic form as of 01/01/11

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status	Active
Is this item media neutral?	Yes
Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?	Yes
Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured electronic data?	No
Disposition Instruction	
If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which this section apply	Non-electronic Textual Records
Cutoff Instruction	Cutoff records of completed series at the end of the calendar year
Transfer to Inactive Storage	Retire the hard copy files to RSC 7 years after cutoff for transfer to WNRC
Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-Accessioning	Transfer electronic records to the National Archives for pre-accessioning 5 year(s) after cutoff
Transfer to the National Archives for Accessioning	Transfer to the National Archives in 10 year blocks 25 year(s) after cutoff
Additional Information	
What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the National Archives?	Unknown Beginning accumulation period is circa 2000 ending December 31, 2010
How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the National Archives?	Every 25 Years
Disposition Instruction	
If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which this section apply	Electronic Records
Cutoff Instruction	Cutoff records of completed series at the end of the calendar year.
Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-Accessioning	Transfer electronic records to the National Archives for pre-accessioning 5 year(s) after cutoff

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Legally transfer records to the National Archives in 10 year blocks 25 years after cutoff in a medium and format acceptable to NARA in accordance with NARA regulations and guidance in effect at the time of transfer

#### Additional Information

What will be the date span of the

initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

Unknown

Accumulative period began 1/1/2011

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

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**Every 25 Years** 

## Other Agency Proposed Rules

Disposition Authority Number

DAA-0059-2012-0006-0006

Docket files for Rules proposed by other Agencies and commented on by the Department of State Docket file contains request for review from the Office of Management and Budget, copy of proposed Rule from originating Agency and all email and written correspondence between the Department, other agencies and the Office of Management and Budget All rules proposed by other Agencies are received in electronic form as of 01/01/11

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Active

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than e-

mail and word processing?

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

No

#### Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cutoff completed files at the end of each calendar

year

Retention Period Destroy 3 year(s) after cutoff

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Regulations and Notice Published in the Federal Register

Disposition Authority Number

DAA-0059-2012-0006-0007

Contains docket files for documents published in the Federal Register, each containing original document submitted to A/GIS/DIR with signature page, final document sent to Federal Register, email correspondence, and copy of document as it was published in the Federal Register. Covers the period from start-up through December 31, 2010 in hard copy. All documents scanned and provided in electronic form beginning January 1, 2011.

Final Disposition

**Temporary** 

Item Status

Active

Is this item media neutral?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

No

electronic data?

GRS or Superseded Authority

NC-59-75-14, item 2

Citation

Disposition Instruction

Retention Period

Destroy when 2 years old

Additional Information

GAO Approval

Not Required

Office Operating Policies and Procedures Files

Disposition Authority Number

DAA-0059-2012-0006-0008

Office standard operating policies and procedures on producing the Foreign Affairs Manual, Foreign Affairs Handbooks, Delegations of Authorities, Centralized Forms, Information Collections, Rulemaking, and Federal Register submissions. All provided in electronic form beginning January 1, 2011

Final Disposition

**Temporary** 

Item Status

Active

Is this item media neutral?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

No

electronic data?

GRS or Superseded Authority

Citation

NC-59-75-14, item 3

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cutoff when superseded or obsolete

Retention Period Destroy 15 year(s) after cutoff.

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

**Publication Project Files** 

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0059-2012-0006-0009

Correspondence, memoranda, reports and other papers on such projects as the U.S. Government Organization Manual or Executive Orders. All provided in electronic form beginning January 1, 2011

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Active

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

No

GRS or Superseded Authority

Citation

NC-59-75-14, item 8

Disposition Instruction

Retention Period Destroy when publications are reissued

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

**Directive Management Website Web Content** 

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0059-2012-0006-0010

The Directives Management website (Intranet) is intended for the purpose of supporting its users by publishing up-to-date copies (most recent version) of the Foreign Affairs Manual (FAM) and Foreign Affairs Handbook (FAH), maintaining a master list of relevant delegations of authority, Presidential determinations, Presidential memoranda, supervising the Departments collection of information from the public, managing the Departments centralized forms program, and acting

as the Department's coordinator for Federal rulemaking and Federal Register liaison. The web content records consist of web pages that contain duplicate information captured and maintained in other directives recordkeeping systems. The content changes as needed and no privacy information is contained on the website.

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Active

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

No

Disposition Instruction

Retention Period Destroy/Delete pages as they are superseded or no

longer needed for reference

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

OMB Reporting File

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0059-2012-0006-0011

Routine reports submitted to OMB, or another oversight entity, which are not covered by another disposition authority. Reports contain information used by the receiving entity to perform oversight duties and track the status of Agency projects or activities.

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Active

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? No

Disposition Instruction

Retention Period Destroy 10 year(s) after OMB or other oversight

entity discontinues the reporting requirement, for

each report

Additional Information	
GAO Approval	Not Required

# Agency Certification

I hereby certify that I am authorized to act for this agency in matters pertaining to the disposition of its records and that the records proposed for disposal in this schedule are not now needed for the business of the agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified

# Signatory Information

Date	Action	Ву	Title	Organization
06/01/2012	Certify	Tasha Thian	Agency Records Off icer	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
08/21/2012	Return for Revision	Rachel Bantonkın	Appraiser	National Archives and Records Administration - Records Management Services
01/14/2013	Submit For Certific ation	Shelia Prince	Program Analyst	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
01/15/2013	Certify	Tasha Thian	Agency Records Off Icer	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
04/17/2013	Return for Revision	Andrea Shahmohammadi	Archivist	National Archives and Records Administration - Electronic and Special Media Records Services Divi
04/25/2013	Submit For Certific ation	Shelia Prince	Program Analyst	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
04/26/2013	Certify	Tasha Thian	Agency Records Off icer	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
05/02/2013	Return for Revision	Andrea Shahmohammadi	Archivist	National Archives and Records Administration - Electronic and Special Media Records Services Divi
05/31/2013	Submit For Certific ation	Shelia Prince	Program Analyst	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
06/03/2013	Certify	Tasha Thian	Agency Records Off Icer	A/GIS - A/GIS/IPS/RA
10/22/2013	Submit for Concur rence	Lısa Clavellı	Supervisor, ACNR A ppraisal Team 2	National Archives and Records Administration - Records Management Services

10/22/2013	Concur	Laurence Brewer	Director, National R ecords Management Program	National Archives and Records Administration - National Records Management Program
10/22/2013	Concur	Laurence Brewer	Director, National R ecords Management Program	National Archives and Records Administration - National Records Management Program
10/24/2013	Approve	David Ferriero	Archivist of the Unite d States	Office of the Archivist - Office of the Archivist