REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY					JOB NUMBER N1-95-06- 4		
To: NATIONAL ARCHIVES & RECORDS ADMINISTRATION					Date received		
8601 ADELPHI ROAD COLLEGE PARK, MD 20740-6001				3-2-2006			
FROM (Agency or establishment)     U.S. Department of Agriculture					NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY		
2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION					In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a, the		
Forest Service				disposition request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not			
3. MINOR SUBDIVISION					approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.		
4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO 5. TELEPHONE NUMBER				DATE ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES			
CONFER Mike Barrowcliff			208-287-5280	7/16/02 AL Denote			
6. 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 on the attached page(s) are not needed now for the business for this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified; and that written concurrence from the General Accounting Office, under the provisions of Title 8 of the GAO Manual for Guidance of Federal Agencies,							
is not required is attached; or				has been requested.			
DATE SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE				TITLE Records Officer			
4/27/06	<u>,                                      </u>	David N. Pearce					
7. ITEM NO.	8.	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM A	ND PROPOSED DISPOSITION	SUF	9. GRS OR PERSEDED JOB CITATION	10. ACTION TAKEN (NARA USE ONLY)	
	Fire Effects Information System (FEIS)						
	See attached sheets						
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1. NAME OF SYSTEM: Fire Effects Information System (FEIS)

Applicability: Agency-wide

**Description:** The Fire Effects Information System provides up-to-date summaries of scientific knowledge about fire effects on plants and animals. The FEIS database contains literature reviews taken from current English-language literature of almost 900 plant species, about 100 animal species, and 16 Kuchler plant communities found on the North American continent. The emphasis of each review is fire and how it affects each species.

**a.** Inputs Information found within the FEIS is received from scientific literature, government publications, internet, and individual researchers and managers.

TEMPORARY. Delete/Destroy after the data has been entered into the master file or database and Verified, or when no longer required to support reconstruction.

**b.** Master File. Literature reviews dating from 1986 – present.

PERMANENT. Copy data offline annually. Transfer an annual snapshot to the National Archives at the end of each calendar year in accordance with 36 CFR 1228.270

c. Outputs. Online literature reviews.

TEMPORARY. Destroy/Delete when no longer needed for agency business.

d. Documentation. User guides for plant species and web-based tutorials.

PERMANENT. Transfer to the National Archives along with the Master File (Item 1b) in accordance with 36 CFR 1228.270