

REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSAL AUTHORITY
(See Instructions on reverse)

TO: **GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION,
NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408**

1. FROM (AGENCY OR ESTABLISHMENT)
Department of Commerce

2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION
National Climatic Center, Asheville, NC

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER
Walter V. Barbash, Chief, Mgmt. Ser. Br.

5. TEL. EXT.
443-8594

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JOB NO NC 1 27 77 1	
DATE RECEIVED 18 JUL 1977	
NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a the disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be stamped "disposal not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.	
<i>7-28-77</i> Date	<i>[Signature]</i> Archivist of the United States

6. CERTIFICATE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE:

I hereby certify that I am authorized to act for this agency in matters pertaining to the disposal of the agency's records; that the records proposed for disposal in this Request of 1 page(s) are not now needed for the business of this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified.

A Request for immediate disposal.

B Request for disposal after a specified period of time or request for permanent retention.

C. DATE <i>June 1, 1977</i>	D. SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>Walter V. Barbash</i>	E. TITLE <i>NOAA Records Officer</i>
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7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9. SAMPLE OR JOB NO.	10. ACTION TAKEN
1.	<p><u>METEOROLOGICAL RECORDS</u> (Blue Hill Collection) *</p> <p>Weather data collected by the Blue Hill Meteorological Observatory, Harvard University. These records are commonly referred to as the Blue Hill Collection. They consist of observations recorded by various meteorological instruments on charts, sheets, discs, graphs and film, e.g., Anemometer (wind speed), Anemescope (wind direction), Barometer (atmospheric pressure), Hydrometer (specific gravities), Thermohydrograph (temperature and humidity), duration of moonlight (pole-star records), duration of sunshine, rain gauge charts, and other meteorological observations. Inclusive dates: 1885-1957. These records were given to the National Weather Records Center (now National Climatic Center, NOAA) by Harvard University in 1959. Volume is 166 cubic feet.</p> <p>DISPOSITION: Dispose of immediately.</p> <p>* Does not include 6 2/3 cubic feet of "Old Meteorological Records" consisting mainly of journals containing weather observations with inclusive dates: 1735-1927, which are part of the Blue Hill Collection to be accessioned by NARS under Job No. NC3-27-76-1.</p>		<i>/ ITEM</i>