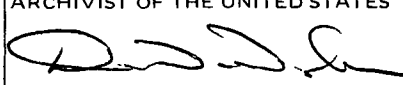


REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY <i>(See Instructions on reverse)</i>		LEAVE BLANK	
TO GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408		JOB NO N1-151-88-8	DATE RECEIVED 2/26/88
1 FROM (Agency or establishment) U.S. Department of Commerce		NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
2 MAJOR SUBDIVISION International Trade Administration		In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a the disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10. If no records are proposed for disposal, the signature of the Archivist is not required.	
3 MINOR SUBDIVISION Director General of the U.S. & Foreign Commercial Service			
4 NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER Charles J. Brett	5 TELEPHONE EXT. 377-3430	DATE 7/18/88	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 2 page(s) are not now needed for the business of this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified, and that written concurrence from the General Accounting Office, if required under the provisions of Title 8 of the GAO Manual for Guidance of Federal Agencies, is attached

A GAO concurrence is attached, or is unnecessary

B DATE 2-23-88	C SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE Charles J. Brett	D TITLE ITA Records Management Officer
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7 ITEM NO	8 DESCRIPTION OF ITEM <i>(With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)</i>	9 GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10 ACTION TAKEN <i>(NARS USE ONLY)</i>
1.	<p>Records of the Office of the Director Office of Trade Promotion Bureau of Foreign Commerce and Its Predecessors</p> <p><u>Proclaimed List of Certain Blocked Nationals Subject File</u> - correspondence, memoranda, reports, studies and speeches dealing with the Proclaimed List created during World War II and with related matters of interest to the Director. Mr. E. E. Schnellbacher collected or generated these documents during his tenure at the Commerce Department as: Director, Intelligence and Services Division, Office of International Trade; Director, Commercial Intelligence Division, Office of Trade Promotion, Bureau of Foreign Commerce (BFC); Director, Office of Trade Promotion, BFC; and, Assistant Director, Bureau of International Commerce.</p> <p>The files are arranged by subject matter and are classified, CONFIDENTIAL. Their volume totals approximately four cubic feet. Inclusive dates range from 1938 through 1960.</p> <p>Disposition: Destroy immediately.</p> <p>This series is stored at the Washington National Records Center under Accession No. 285-63C1207, Boxes 288---291.</p>	<p>NC1-151-77-1 (DIBA) Item No. 928</p>	<p>Records Retention Plan for Record Group 285 Item No. 22 (a) June 26, 1964</p>

7 ITEM NO	8 DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9 SAMPLE OR JOB NO	10 ACTION TAKEN
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2.	<p><u>Proclaimed List of Certain Blocked Nationals Country File-</u> arranged alphabetically by country name, and thereunder, alphabetically by name of firm or individual. The files document companies and individuals located in Central and South America whose accounts were frozen during World War II under the provisions of the " Trading with the Enemy Act. " The records were created by the Division of World Trade Intelligence, Department of State and collected by the Department of Commerce unit responsible for Proclaimed List operations during the War. The Office of International Trade Promotion, Bureau of International Commerce sent the files to storage. It was the successor to the Office of Trade Promotion, BFC cited above.</p> <p>The files consist of cable traffic, reports, and summaries compiled for the InterDepartmental Committee on the Proclaimed List. They are classified, SECRET, and their volume totals fifteen cubic feet. The files range in date from 1942 through 1945, inclusive.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Disposition: Destroy immediately.</p> <p>This series is stored at the Washington National Records Center under Accession No. 285-64E0596, Boxes 246---260.</p>	<p>Records Retention Plan for Record Group 285 Item No. 22 (b) June 26, 1964</p> <p>NC1-151-77-1 (DIBA) Item No. 957</p>	<p>184</p>
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