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REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY  
TO DISPOSE OF RECORDS

(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 Admin.

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION

National Marine Fisheries Service

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER

Richard Roberts

5. TEL. EXT.

443-8595

6. CERTIFICATE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE:

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DATE RECEIVED 17 MAR 1977	JOB NO. NC1 370 77 3
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 "with-drawn" in column 10.	
3-22-77 (Date)	<i>James B. Rhoads</i> Archivist of the United States

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.

3-14-77 Date *Jimmy V. Perry* Signature of Agency Representative *Departmental Records Mgr. Officer* (Title)

7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9. SAMPLE OR JOB NO.	10. ACTION TAKEN
	<p>Revision of item 51 of NOAA Records Disposition Schedule 39 (NC-370-75-5)</p> <p><u>Grant-in-Aid Records</u> pertaining to grants to states for specific projects relating to fishery resource management.</p> <p>Field: Destroy 6 years after grant is closed, or 3 years after program audit whichever is earlier.</p> <p>This disposition is being changed because the previous one depended on program audits. Such audits are not taking place on a regular basis, and the retention of all records for any audits which may later take place are not necessary.</p> <p>The new disposition meets current reference needs for the offices holding the records, and meets requirements for possible audits.</p>		<p><i>R. Roberts/NOAA</i> <i>R. Tagg/WARS-NCI</i> <i>3-21-77</i></p>

*Sent to agency and all FRC's, NCW-3/25/77*