

**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 THE AIR FORCE**

2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION

**Directorate of Administration**

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION

**Documentation Systems Division**

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER

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6. CERTIFICATE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE:

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DATE RECEIVED <b>9 SEP 1977</b>	JOB NO.
<b>NCI-AFC-77-1007</b>	
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.	
<b>10-3-77</b> <i>John B. Lan deso</i> (Date) <i>acting</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 page(s) are not now needed for the business of this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified.

**31 AUG 1977**

*Herbert G. Geiger*

**HERBERT G. GEIGER, Chief  
Documentation Systems Division  
Directorate of Administration**

Date

(Signature of Agency Representative)

(Title)

7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9. SAMPLE OR JOB NO.	10. ACTION TAKEN
1	<p align="center"><b>RADAR BOMB SCORING RECORDS (RBS) (55-15)</b> Applicable to Strategic Air Command (SAC) Only</p> <p>See attached new table 55-15, rules 1 through 15 which identifies and provides disposition instructions for all series of radar bomb scoring documentation. The RBS system is the only method of training/evaluation of tactical combat crews within SAC. Site/equipment/route activity records must be maintained to establish, validate, and analyze training accomplished. RBS records concern development of the low level route, RBS sites, target planning, extensive coordination required to satisfy all concerned activities, and frequent analysis of accomplishments/effectiveness of SAC RBS training/equipment. The recommended retention periods will adequately satisfy all administrative and historical requirements of the Air Force.</p>		15 items

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TABLE 55-15

RADAR BOMB SCORING RECORDS (RBS)

R U L E	A	B	C	D
	If documents are or pertain to	consisting of	which are	then
1	Radar bomb scoring (RBS) Ground directed bombing (GDB), and Electronic Countermeasures (ECM) sites	<del>Textual</del> documentation pertaining to planning, establishment, development, and operation of RBS/GDB/ECM sites	At action office (OPR)	destroy 10 years after inactivation of site.
2			At MAJCOM, NAFs, and monitoring offices	Destroy on inactivation of site or when no longer needed.
3	Low level training routes	<del>Textual</del> documentation associated with the planning, establishment, impact, operation, justification and related data	At action office (OPR)	destroy 10 years after closure of route.
4			At MAJCOM, NAFs, and monitoring offices	Destroy on closure of route or when no longer needed
5	Olive Branch Route Analysis <sup>(Cruising Altitude)</sup>	Basic data on route, description, evaluation potential and results of low level evaluation	At MAJCOMS, NAFs, and monitoring offices	Destroy when no longer needed for reference
6	RBS Activity Records	Forms, memoranda, reports, plotting papers, communication logs, RBS data creation records <sup>(printouts)</sup> , abort reports and operational logs	at MAJCOMS and below	Destroy after three months or when purpose is served, whichever is sooner
7			related to RBS scored activity	Destroy after 1 year or after applicable unit's subsequent evaluation, whichever is sooner
8	Electronic Countermeasures Activity (ECM)	Data creation records <sup>(printouts)</sup>	at MAJCOMS and below	Destroy after 6 months
9		Special ECM activity records <sup>(printouts)</sup>		Destroy after three months or when purpose is served, whichever is sooner.

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R U L E	A	B	C	D
	If documents are or pertain to	consisting of	which are	then
10		Brush graphs, printer tapes, and plotting papers		Destroy after verification, <del>of reliable activity</del>
11			Document unreliable activity	Forward to applicable unit <i>Per verification.</i>
12	RBS Target Data	Target inserts and target overlays	at MAJCOMs and below	Destroy when superseded or no longer needed
13	RBS Analyses/ Summaries	Results of RBS scored evaluations, <sup>air-to-ground missile</sup> (AGM), bombing and ECM training activities conducted against RBS sites	at action office (OPR)	Destroy when no longer needed for analysis and reference
14			retained organizational copies	Destroy after one year
15	<sup>Voice</sup> Recorded Tapes	Air to ground communications between aircrew and RBS sites personnel  <del>air-to-ground missile</del>	at RBS sites	Erase after 60 days