

REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY <i>(See instruction on reverse)</i>		LEAVE BLANK (NARA use only)	
TO: NATIONAL ARCHIVES and RECORDS ADMINISTRATION (NIR) 8601 ADELPHI ROAD, COLLEGE PARK, MD 20740-6001		JOB NUMBER <i>N1-AU-01-003</i>	DATE RECEIVED <i>9-29-00</i>
1. FROM (Agency or establishment) U.S. ARMY		NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a the disposition request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.	
2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND			
3. MINOR SUBDIVISION RECORDS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM DIVISION			
4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER SHARON L. BUNTING	5. TELEPHONE (703) 806-3712	DATE <i>8-20-07</i>	ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES <i>[Signature]</i>

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~~ 2 pages(s) are not now needed for the business of the agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified; and that written concurrence from the General Accounting Office, under the provision of Title 8 of the GAO Manual for Guidance of Federal Agencies,

is not required; is attached; or has been requested.

DATE <i>22 Sep 00</i>	SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>[Signature]</i> HOWARD N. GREENHALGH	TITLE DIRECTOR, RECORDS MANAGEMENT DIVISION
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7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM AND PROPOSED DISPOSITION	9. GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10. ACTION TAKEN (NARA USE ONLY)
1	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Environmental Compliance Assessment System (ECAS) Files</u></p> <p><u>Background information:</u> The ECAS reflects the environmental health status of all Army installations. The system is designed to centrally manage the findings from environmental compliance assessments, as well as to provide reports on these findings, create a corrective action tracking system, and facilitate Army-wide environmental trend analysis. The database is updated as audits are completed according to prescribed survey cycles (every one, three, or five years). These records are similar to those scheduled by NARA Authority Number N1-AU-96-6, for file number (FN) 200-1d, Environmental restoration remedial assessment files, except that they are in electronic format and pertain to routine environmental assessments which may or may not result in corrective/remedial action.</p> <p><u>Source of data for the system:</u> Information used to populate the ECAS is gathered from interviews conducted by Installation Environmental Coordinators and from records concerning installation master planning, site selection, and installation maintenance, and those that document activities governed by laws and regulations such as the Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act, Pollution Prevention Program, Hazardous Material Management, etc. Source information is scheduled under FN 25-1kkk, Input/Source Records.</p> <p><i>Army seeks authorization to apply the proposed disposition instructions to any recordkeeping medium.</i></p> <p>FN: 200-1g Title: Environmental Compliance Assessment System (ECAS) Master File Authority: TBD Privacy Act: Not applicable</p> <p><i>cc Agency, NAWMD, NAWME, NAWMWA</i></p>		<p><i>11/15/01 e-mail from Howard Greenhalgh TT</i></p>

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