

REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY
(See Instructions on reverse)

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DATE RECEIVED 22 FFP 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disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be stamped "disposal not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.	
Date 5-19-77	<i>James E. O'Neill</i> Archivist of the United States

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

1. FROM (AGENCY OR ESTABLISHMENT)
Department of the Army

2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION
The Adjutant General Center

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION
Records Management Division

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER
Lillian B. Faison

5. TEL. EXT
693-1937

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	D. SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>Guy B. Oldaker</i> GUY B. OLDAKER	E. TITLE ACTING CHIEF, RECORDS MANAGEMENT DIVISION
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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
	<p>Nuclear and Chemical Strategy Formulation Files (FN 237-05, AR 340-18-2). Documents relating to development and expression of Army policy, means, and techniques for achieving national nuclear, ballistic missile defense, chemical and biological defense security objectives and concomitant military objectives. Included are DA Deployment and Employment Policy of Tactical Nuclear Weapons, Nuclear and Chemical Annexes to ACP, and papers related to the review, analysis, and sponsorship of related studies.</p> <p>Disposition: Permanent. Cut off when no longer needed for current operations.</p> <p>Request authority to establish the disposition standard described above for Nuclear and Chemical Strategy Formulation Files. These records accumulate in the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans and are classified "TOP SECRET". DCSOPS is the HQ, Department of the Army agency responsible for international, national, joint and unilateral nuclear, chemical warfare and biological defense. Present volume is 2 linear feet with an annual accumulation of approximately 1-1/2 linear feet. Records are arranged chronologically and will be offered to the National Archives after 25 years. These files accumulate as a result of the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT).</p>		