

**REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY**  
 (See Instructions on reverse)

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JOB NO.	
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DATE RECEIVED 8 FEB 1978	
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disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be stamped "disposal not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.	
1-17-83 Date	<i>[Signature]</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's Center

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION

Records Management Division

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER

James D. McGill

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 7 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 6 Feb 78	D. SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>[Signature]</i> GUY B. OLDAKER	E. TITLE 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>File descriptions and dispositions are contained in the attached <u>6</u> pages and relate to the testing and evaluation of new organizations and new operational concepts by field experiments, troop tests and war games.</p> <p>Request approval of permanent retention.</p> <p>Mass Data Change worksheet sent with Annotated page change jm</p> <p>12 items</p>		

Copy to agency, 1-27-83, ad.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION FOR PERMANENT RETENTION OF A FILE SERIES

<p>1. AR 340-18- <u>2</u> FILE NUMBER, DESCRIPTION, AND DISPOSITION</p> <p><i>Item 1</i></p>	<p><b>232-02 Troop test schedule files.</b> Documents relating to preparation of a schedule reflecting approved tests to evaluate organizational and operational concepts, doctrine, techniques, and procedures, or to further test equipment for its impact on these areas. Included are troop test project requirement proposals, coordinating actions, copies of published troop test programs, and communications relating to them.</p> <p><i>a.</i> Office responsible for final approval and office responsible for preparation and issue: Permanent.</p> <p><i>b.</i> Other offices: Destroy after 2 years or on discontinuance, whichever is first.</p>
<p>2. ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION.</p>	<p>HQDA, Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans ; US Army Training and Doctrine Command</p>
<p>3. CURRENT VOLUME.</p>	<p>14 lin ft.</p>
<p>4. ANTICIPATED ANNUAL INCREASE.</p>	<p><i>28</i> lin ft.</p>
<p>5. ARRANGEMENT (ALPHA, NUMERIC, CHRONO).</p>	<p>By type and thereunder chronologically</p>
<p>6. JUSTIFICATION FOR PERMANENT RECORDS.</p>	<p>Contains records of probable historical, administrative, legal and other of archival value.</p>
<p>7. REASON RECORDS ACCUMULATE (ARs, etc)</p>	<p>AR 220-55</p>
<p>8. RECORDS WILL BE OFFERED.</p>	<p>The permanent files described above will be offered to the National archives 20 years after creation.</p>
<p>9. ADDITIONAL REMARKS.</p>	

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<p>1. AR 340-18- <u>2</u> FILE NUMBER, DESCRIPTION, AND DISPOSITION</p> <p><i>Item 2</i></p>	<p>232-03 Troop test files. Documents relating to planning, direction, and conduct of individual troop tests of new organizational and operational concepts and doctrine. Included are test directives and plans, coordinating actions, invitations to observers, observer reports, final test reports, and communications relating to the tests.</p> <p>a. Office of the test director: Permanent. b. Office at major command headquarters responsible for direction and administration of troop tests and offices of proposing agencies: Destroy after 5 years. c. Other offices: Destroy after 2 years or on discontinuance, whichever is first.</p>
<p>2. ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION.</p>	<p>Designated Test Directors</p>
<p>3. CURRENT VOLUME.</p>	<p>60 lin ft.</p>
<p>4. ANTICIPATED ANNUAL INCREASE.</p>	<p>20 lin ft.</p>
<p>5. ARRANGEMENT (ALPHA, NUMERIC, CHRONO).</p>	<p>By organization and thereunder chronologically</p>
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<p>2. ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION.</p>	<p>HQDA, Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans ; US Army Training and Doctrine Command</p>
<p>3. CURRENT VOLUME.</p>	<p>12 lin ft.</p>
<p>4. ANTICIPATED ANNUAL INCREASE.</p>	<p><i>3</i> lin ft.</p>
<p>5. ARRANGEMENT (ALPHA, NUMERIC, CHRONO).</p>	<p>By organization and thereunder chronologically</p>
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<p>2. ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION.</p>	<p>US Army Training and Doctrine Command</p>
<p>3. CURRENT VOLUME.</p>	<p>4 lin ft.</p>
<p>4. ANTICIPATED ANNUAL INCREASE.</p>	<p>2 lin ft.</p>
<p>5. ARRANGEMENT (ALPHA, NUMERIC, CHRONO).</p>	<p>By organization and thereunder by chronological order.</p>
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<p>2. ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION.</p>	<p>Combat Development Experimentations Command</p>
<p>3. CURRENT VOLUME.</p>	<p>25 lin ft.</p>
<p>4. ANTICIPATED ANNUAL INCREASE.</p>	<p>8 lin ft.</p>
<p>5. ARRANGEMENT (ALPHA, NUMERIC, CHRONO).</p>	<p>By case number and thereunder chronological</p>
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<p>2. ORGANIZATIONAL LOCATION.</p>	<p>HQDA, Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans, US Army Training and Doctrine Command</p>
<p>3. CURRENT VOLUME.</p>	<p>2 lin ft.</p>
<p>4. ANTICIPATED ANNUAL INCREASE.</p>	<p>1 lin ft.</p>
<p>5. ARRANGEMENT (ALPHA, NUMERIC, CHRONO).</p>	<p>By organization and thereunder by Chronological sequence.</p>
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