

<b>REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY</b> (See Instructions on reverse)		LEAVE BLANK	
TO GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408		JOB NO. N1-8591-5	DATE RECEIVED 8/23/91
1 FROM (Agency or establishment) UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE		NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
2 MAJOR SUBDIVISION IMMIGRATION & NATURALIZATION SERVICE		In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a the disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10. If no records are proposed for disposal, the signature of the Archivist is not required.	
3 MINOR SUBDIVISION RECORDS MANAGEMENT BRANCH			
4 NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER JAMES M. LEAHY	5 TELEPHONE EXT 514-4911	DATE 4/13/92	ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES <i>Claudia Freiler</i>
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 \_\_\_\_\_ page(s) are not now needed for the business of this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified, and that written concurrence from the General Accounting Office, if required under the provisions of Title 8 of the GAO Manual for Guidance of Federal Agencies, is attached

A GAO concurrence  is attached, or  is unnecessary

B DATE 8/17/91	C SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>Cecil G. Christian, Jr.</i> CECIL G. CHRISTIAN, JR.	D TITLE DIRECTOR, RECORDS MGMT. BRANCH
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7 ITEM NO	8 DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9 GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10 ACTION TAKEN (NARS USE ONLY)
	<p><u>United States Citizen's Identification/Border Crossing Cards</u></p> <p>Identification cards issued by Immigration inspectors at various ports of entry to American citizens and American citizens of Mexican descent living in towns adjacent to the border or on both sides of the international line, who had occasion to frequently cross and recross the border for legitimate pursuits; and could submit the best obtainable proof of his/her American citizenship. In the case of the Mexican Americans, the cards alleviated delays in their entering the United States because of their foreign appearance. These cards were confined to the port of use, unless it was established that the applicant had occasion to enter the United States from time to time through other ports of entry. If this was the case, an unrestricted card was issued and was honored by other ports. There are two cubic feet of these cards dated from 1924 through 1945.</p> <p><u>Retention/Disposition:</u> Destroy immediately.</p> <p><i>Copies sent to Agency, NN-W, NNT 4/14/92</i></p>		