

**RECOMMENDATION TO THE ARCHIVIST ON RECORDS
DISPOSITION REQUEST**

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SUMMARY

Maritime Administration has submitted the following schedule which covers mobilization ship design records generated by the Naval Architecture and Engineering Division. In case of a national emergency, the ship design records are mobilized for rapid construction. A prototype ship, based on this series, has never been funded. If the ships are constructed, the "as built" drawings offer more substantive and valuable information on the final ship design and effectiveness of the agency's mobilization efforts. This series lacks sufficient value to warrant archival retention.

RECOMMENDATION

1. APPROVED FOR DISPOSAL. The records described under all items of the schedule, except those that may be listed in blocks 2, 3, and 4 of this section, are disposable because they do not, or will not after the lapse of the period specified, have sufficient administrative, legal, research, or other value to warrant their continued preservation by the Government.
2. APPROVED FOR PERMANENT RETENTION. The records described under the following item or items have been appraised by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) and are determined to have sufficient historical or other value to warrant their continued preservation by the United States Government. The agency will offer these records to the National Archives as specified.
3. DISPOSITION NOT APPROVED. The records described under the following item or items are not approved for disposition.
4. WITHDRAWN. The records described under the following item or items have been withdrawn at the request of the agency and/or NARA.

FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE

Not Required.

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