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1. **Investigation Files (PE-Preliminary Evaluation; CI-Compliance Investigation)**

   Documents and information gathered by OVSC that are used to base decisions for investigations. Files contain correspondence with manufacturers, test and/or inspection results, closing reports, internal documentation. The files may also contain research studies, meeting notes, slides, photographs or other related material. Audiovisual materials are located in the supplemental information files which are maintained with the investigation file.

   **Disposition**  Temporary Cut-off at the end of FY. Destroy 15 years after the date of the investigation resolution, or when no longer needed for business needs.

2. **Corporate Average Fuel Economy Reports** *(Submissions per 49 CFR Parts 537)*

   Contains information related to manufacturer’s vehicle product fuel economy, including manufacturer’s bi-annual fuel economy values, described by model year, fleet, average fuel economy and sales information.

   **Disposition**  Temporary Cut-off at the end of the FY. Destroy 5 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.

3. **Compliance Test Reports**

   Files contain test results, vehicle information, photographs and supporting documentation.

   **Disposition**  Temporary. Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 15 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.
4. **Office Ac (OA) Files**

Files contain letters, reports, summaries and other documentation relating to an event which does NOT warrant an investigation but is recorded for traceability

**Disposition** Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 5 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs

5. **Vehicle Modifications for Persons with Disabilities (CFR Part 595)**

Files contain information that identifies, and provides contact information for, businesses modifying vehicles to enable persons with disabilities to operate the vehicle, or ride as a passenger.

**(595.6 Modifier identification.** (a) Any motor vehicle repair business that modifies a motor vehicle to enable a person with a disability to operate, or ride as a passenger in, the motor vehicle and intends to avail itself of the exemption provided in 49 CFR 595.7 shall furnish the information specified in paragraphs (a)(1) through (3))

**Disposition** Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 15 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs

6. **Manufacturer registration submissions (49 CFR Part 566) and manufacturer VIN decoding submissions (49 CFR Part 565)**

Files contain communication and registration submission from businesses that are authorized to produce vehicles and vehicle equipment for sale in the United States

**Disposition** Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 25 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs

**(566.1 Scope.** This part requires manufacturers of motor vehicles and of motor vehicle equipment to which a motor vehicle safety standard applies, to submit identifying information and a description of the items they produce)
7 Automobi Parts Content Labeling Files (CFR Part 583)

Files contain correspondence with vehicle manufacturers pertaining to the value of domestic and foreign content in new vehicles produced for sale in the United States.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 15 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.

8. Test Vehicles Purchase and Disposal Files

Files contain documents and information relating to the purchase, delivery, transfer and disposal of vehicles acquired for compliance testing.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 5 years after cutoff.

9. Nonconforming vehicle eligibility petition (49 CFR Part 593) records

Files that contain correspondence with Registered Importers, manufacturers, test and/or inspection results, and internal documentation. The files may also contain research studies, meeting notes, slides, photographs or other related material.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 25 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.

10. Vehicle statements of conformity (49 CFR Part 592)

Files that contain correspondence with Registered Importers, manufacturers, test and/or inspection results, and internal documentation. The files may also contain research studies, meeting notes, slides, photographs or other related material.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 25 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.
11. Registered importer registration (49 CFR Part 592) and associated documentation

Files that contain correspondence with Registered Importers, inspection results and internal documentation. The files may also contain research studies, meeting notes, slides, photographs or other related material.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 10 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.

12. Motor Vehicle Importation Information (MVII); including PCI and "Blue Books" data.

Files that contain U.S. entry and conformity data for imported vehicles and equipment.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 25 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs. Previously scheduled by N1-416-09-1. Removed from schedule September 18, 2013.

13. Vehicle importation permission letters (49 CFR Part 591): HS-7 Box 7, Box 8, Box 10 and Box 13.

Files that contain correspondence with registered importers, manufacturers, test and/or inspection results, and internal documentation. The files may also contain research studies, meeting notes, slides, photographs or other related material.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 5 years after cutoff or when no longer needed for business needs.
14. Show or play (49 CFR Part 591) files

Files that contain correspondence with importers, manufacturers, test and/or inspection results, and internal documentation. The files may also contain research studies, meeting notes, slides, photographs or other related material.

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**Disposition** Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 5 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.

16. New Tire and Tire Retread registration submissions (49 CFR Parts 574.6)

Files that contain registration submissions, including contact, plant and product information. Also includes unique manufacturer identification mark from businesses that are authorized, and seek authorization to produce motor vehicle tires for sale in the United States.

**Disposition** Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 15 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.

Files that contain registration submissions, including contact, plant and product information. Also includes unique manufacturer identification mark from businesses that are authorized, and seek authorization to produce motor vehicle brake hoses for sale in the United States.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 15 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.


Files that contain registration submissions, including contact, plant and product information. Also includes unique manufacturer identification mark from businesses that are authorized, and seek authorization to produce glazing for motor vehicles and motor vehicle equipment sold in the United States.

Disposition: Temporary Cutoff at the end of the FY. Destroy 15 years after cutoff, or when no longer needed for business needs.