REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

(See Instructions on reverse)

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

1. FROM (Agency or establishment):
   Tennessee Valley Authority

2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION
   Resource Development

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION
   Industrial Development Staff

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER
   Ronald E. Brewer

5. TELEPHONE EXT.
   615/751-2520

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 [X] is unnecessary.

B. DATE
   12/9/88

C. SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE
   Ronald E. Brewer

D. TITLE
   Assistant TVA Archivist

7. ITEM NO.

8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM
   (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)

See the attached new item, Industrial Development Staff Work Files on Tellico. This item will be added to the Comprehensive Records Schedule for Resource Development.
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT STAFF WORK FILE'S ON TELLICO

The Industrial Development Staff in the Office of Natural Resources and Economic Development (ONRED) was dissolved in 1988 when ONRED became Resource Development. This series consists of the staff's work files on the planned industrial development at Tellico for the period 1965 to 1984.

In 1966 TVA began construction of the Tellico Dam project on the Little Tennessee River. This project was a multipurpose water control project. The dam site is located near the mouth of the Little Tennessee River near Lenoir City, Tennessee. The reservoir was joined to nearby Fort Loudoun Reservoir by a canal, thus permitting the two projects to effectively operate as one. The connecting canal and new reservoir provided a navigable channel approximately 30 miles in length up the Little Tennessee River. By virtue of its location and the characteristics of the reservoir lands, it was believed that the project offered exceptional opportunities for economic development of the region, and the Industrial Development Staff did extensive work toward this development. Subjects included in the files are Timberlake Industrial Development, Tellico Project Economic Impact, Tellico Water Supply, Tellico Justification, Tellico Reevaluation, Tellico Budget, etc.

The total accumulation is 4 cubic feet.

DISPOSITION

Permanent. Transfer to the National Archives upon approval of this schedule.