**REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY**

**To:** NATIONAL ARCHIVES & RECORDS ADMINISTRATION  
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**FROM (Agency or establishment):** Office of Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation  
201 Birch Street, P.O. Box KK  
Flagstaff, Arizona 86002

**MAJOR SUBDIVISION:** Relocation Operations

**MINOR SUBDIVISION**

**NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER:** Paul Tessler

**TELEPHONE NUMBER:** 928-779-2721 x 114

**DATE:** 11-22-02

**SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE:**

**TITLE:** Executive Director

**JOB NUMBER:** 71-230-02-23

**Date received:** 8-6-02

**NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY:** In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a, the disposition request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.

**AGENCY CERTIFICATION:**

I hereby certify that I am authorized to act for this agency in matters pertaining to the disposition of its records and that the records proposed for disposal on the attached pages are not needed now for the business for this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified; and that written concurrence from the General Accounting Office, under the provisions of Title 8 of the GAO Manual for Guidance of Federal Agencies,

- □ is not required  
- □ is attached; or  
- □ has been requested.

**DATE:** 7/24/02

**ITEM NO.**  

**DESCRIPTION OF ITEM AND PROPOSED DISPOSITION:**

1. **Kabinto Lists (4)** A series of textual records: 4 lists of names of members of the Navajo Tribe. In 1972, prior to the passage of the Relocation Act, P.L. 93-531, a group of individual members of the Navajo Tribe were evicted from the Hopi Reservation as a consequence of the decision in U.S. v Kabinto, 456 F2d 1987 (1972). These individuals were physically removed from the Hopi Reservation and, along with their livestock and personal possessions, taken to Window Rock on the Navajo Reservation and housed in tents. Four lists of the names of these evicted individuals were eventually compiled. The Relocation Act, P.L. 93-531, was amended by P.L. 96-305 in 1980, to include those individuals evicted as a result of Kabinto as members of the Navajo Nation entitled to relocation assistance benefits. On November 14, 1983, the Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation Commission (subsequently the O.N.H.I.R.) caused to be published in the Federal Register at Vol. 48, No. 220, the criteria under which a "Kabinto" applicant could be certified eligible for relocation assistance benefits, part of said eligibility criteria being the inclusion of the applicant's name on one of the 4 "Kabinto Lists," 25 CFR 700.603(b)(1-4). There are no associated electronic mail or other word processing records.

Disposition: Permanent. Transfer to the National Archives and Records Administration at the close of the ONHIR. These lists consist of approximately 1/4 cubic feet in volume.

**CITATION:** Prescribed by NARA 36 CFR 1228