



REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY (See Instructions on reverse)		LEAVE BLANK	
TO: GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408		JOB NO. N1-255-91-18	DATE RECEIVED 9-6-91
1. FROM (Agency or establishment) National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)		NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC)		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disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.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 Networks Division (Code 530)		DATE 11/25/91	ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES 
4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER Mr. Wesley J. Boden, Associate Chief for Ground Networks	5. TELEPHONE EXT. 301/ 286-5974		
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 1 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 9-3-91	C. SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE  Adria A. Lipka (703) 271-5541	D. TITLE NASA Records Officer NASA Headquarters, Code NTD-1 Washington, DC 20546
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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 GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10.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)
1	<p><u>TRACKING STATION AGREEMENTS 1959, 1960, and 1961</u></p> <p>GSFC ground networks tracking station agreements files consisting of the original signed documentation, similar to a Memoranda of Understanding and/or Letter Agreements between NASA and other countries permitting the establishment/maintenance of ground stations for satellite tracking and launch support in conjunction with the Space Network Tracking and Data Relay Satellites (TDRS). The following agreements are included:</p> <p>2/16/59 USA and Chile (Santiago) 8/24/60 USA and Canada 10/14/60 USA and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (Zanzibar) 9/13/60 USA and Union of South Africa (South Africa) 9/13/60 USA and Union of Soviet Africa (Johannesburg) 10/19/60 USA and Federation of Nigeria 2/24/60 USA and Ecuador 3/15/61 USA and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (Bermuda) 1/20/61 USA and United Kingdom of Great Britain and northern Ireland (United Kingdom) 4/6/61 USA and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (Canton Island) 8/31/60 and 10/6/60 Radio communications between amateur stations on behalf of 3rd parties; USA and Paraguay</p> <p><u>DISPOSITION:</u> PERMANENT. Transfer immediately to the custody of the National Archives and Records Administration.</p>		