Independent Researcher Listing Application

Type of Application ☐ New ☐ Update to Current Listing

For Use at Archival Operations facilities, Washington, DC area facilities, and Presidential Library facilities

See the back of this form for the Privacy Act of 1974 and Paperwork Reduction Act Public Burden Statement

Researcher or Company Name*

Street and/or Post Office Box*

City, State, Zip Code* Public Orders Telephone Number

Fax Number Customer Service Telephone Number

Email Address Web Page Address

Contact Person*

Research Specialty (may list specific record groups, records media, series, subjects, topics, etc.)*

National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) facilities in which you perform research (please mark all that apply)*:

☐ National Archives at Atlanta
☐ National Archives at Boston
☐ National Archives at Chicago
☐ National Archives at College Park
☐ National Archives at Denver
☐ National Archives at Fort Worth
☐ National Archives at Kansas City
☐ National Archives at New York City
☐ National Archives at Philadelphia
☐ National Archives at Riverside
☐ National Archives at San Francisco
☐ National Archives at Seattle
☐ National Archives at Washington, DC
☐ National Personnel Records Center (St. Louis-Civilian)
☐ National Personnel Records Center (St. Louis-Military)
☐ Washington National Records Center (Suitland)
☐ Herbert Hoover Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Harry S. Truman Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Dwight D. Eisenhower Presidential Library and Museum
☐ John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Lyndon Baines Johnson Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Gerald R. Ford Presidential Library and Gerald R. Ford Presidential Museum
☐ Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum
☐ George H.W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum
☐ William J. Clinton Presidential Library and Museum
☐ George W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum
☐ Other (Presidential Library or affiliated archive)_________________

I hereby authorize NARA to release to the public the information contained in this form for the purpose of providing a listing of independent researchers under the conditions described on the back of this form.

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Completed questionnaires may be faxed to: 301-837-0459

or mailed to: National Archives and Records Administration
RDT, Room 2500
RE: Independent Researcher Listing Application
8601 Adelphi Road
College Park, MD 20740-6001

For questions and comments, please feel free to telephone 301-837-3415 or email ali@nara.gov.

* Required Field
**Procedures and Conditions for Inclusion in the Independent Researcher Listing for NARA’s Washington, DC, area, Regional Records Services Facilities, and Presidential Library Facilities**

1. Any independent researcher who performs work at any NARA facility or NARA-affiliated archives may complete the Independent Researcher Listing Application.

2. NARA does not require a fee for inclusion on the list. However, all required fields noted on the form must be completed for inclusion on the listing.

3. The listing is compiled and disseminated as a service to the public. Copies of the listing will be available on NARA's web site and at all archival reference units at the Washington, DC; College Park, MD; Archival Operations Facilities; and Presidential Libraries.

4. Any change in an individual's listed information requires a resubmission of the form by the affected independent researcher. Updates will be made whenever new information is submitted.

5. All independent researchers who wish to remain on the listing are required to certify annually that the information we publish is current and accurate. Replies to our annual email notices must be received within 30 days. Those independent researchers who do not reply will be stricken from the listing without further notification.

6. All independent researchers using NARA facilities and NARA-affiliated archives are expected to comply with established research room procedures. Those found to be in violation of such procedures will be stricken from the listing. Severe or repeated violations may also result in suspension of research room privileges in accordance with 36 CFR 1254, subpart B.

7. Soliciting, vending, and debt collection are prohibited on NARA property.

8. Any comments or complaints NARA receives regarding any individual independent researcher on the listing will be forwarded to that researcher for resolution. However, complaints received on a regular basis regarding the business practices of any independent researcher can result in removal from the listing.

9. NARA will not be responsible for any research and/or reproduction arrangements made between the independent researcher and their clientele.

10. Inclusion on the list may not be viewed or advertised as NARA endorsement.

11. This listing is not considered part of the separate Vendor System used predominantly by NARA's Special Media Archives Services Division at College Park, MD, nor is it part of any other contractual agreement.

12. This application form is available on NARA's web site at www.archives.gov. You may also obtain a form from, and send completed application forms and updates to, the following address:

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**In compliance with the Privacy Act of 1974, the following information is provided:**

Solicitation of the information is authorized by 44 U.S.C. 2104. Disclosure of the information is voluntary; however, the effect of not providing the information is that a researcher identification card will not be issued to the individual. A researcher identification card is required for research (other than microfilm records).

The information provided will be used to identify and record individuals who use records in the National Archives, field records services facilities, and Presidential libraries, to determine records that the individual should use, to enable later contact with the individual if additional information is found or if problems with the records are discovered, and to mail notices of events and programs of interest to users of the records and invitations to participate in customer satisfaction surveys.

The information may be transferred to appropriate Federal, State, local, or foreign agencies when relevant to civil, criminal, or regulatory investigations or prosecutions; the information may be disclosed by NARA to an expert, consultant, or a contractor of NARA to the extent necessary for them to assist NARA in the performance of its duties; the information may be disclosed to the U.S. Department of Justice or to a court or adjudicative body in cases involving the mutilation or unlawful removal of the records.

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