

**REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY**  
(See Instructions on reverse)

TO: NATIONAL ARCHIVES and RECORDS ADMINISTRATION (NIR)  
WASHINGTON, DC 20408

1. FROM (Agency or establishment)  
Department of Justice

2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION  
Civil Division (CIV)  
Environment & Natural Resources Div. (ENR)

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER  
Larry Easterling (CIV) 202-616-8074  
Cynthia Plisch, (ENR) 10/10/95 202-616-3360

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JOB NUMBER  
N1-60-95-4

DATE RECEIVED  
10/11/95

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request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.

DATE 4-4-96 ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES  
John W. Carl

6. 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 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, 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 008 11/1995	SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE <i>Bernard W. Berglind</i> Bernard W. Berglind	TITLE Records Officer
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7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM AND PROPOSED DISPOSITION	9. GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10. ACTION TAKEN (NARA USE ONLY)
1.	Discovery documents and related indexes created for use in association with the Government's case against Exxon Corporation in regards to the Exxon Valdez Diaster.  Microfilm of original records found in various offices of agencies of the Departments of Agriculture, Commerce, Defense, Energy, Interior, Justice, Labor, State and Transportation, the Environmental Protection and Federal Emergency Management Agencies, and the State of Alaska.		

Closed Series: 1685 rolls of microfilm (each set, master silver negative and diazo).

Disposition: PERMANENT. Transfer to the FRC 5 years after settlement. Transfer to the National Archives when 30 years old.

NOTE: Microfilm to be inspected for deterioration ~~annually.~~ every other year.\*

2. **Electronic Indexes to item 1: Phrase Label, Bibliographic, and Privilege databases and related documentation such as file layouts and code books.**

Closed Series: ca. (27,500/350,000/12,000 records respectively.

Disposition: PERMANENT. Transfer to the National Archives upon approval of this schedule. Transfer medium must be either 9-track or 3480-class cartridge tape. Records must be in either ASCII or EBCDIC.

3. **Index to Still and Video Photography created by and remaining in the custody of the National Park Service.**

Disposition: Destroy when no longer needed.

- 4 **Full text of the complete transcripts of NTSB Hearings and Exhibits and the trial of Joseph Hazelwood, including selected Depositions.**

Disposition: ~~Destroy when no longer needed.~~  
PERMANENT. Transfer to the National Archives upon approval of this schedule.\*

\*Changes, requested by NARA, were coordinated with Cindy Plish, ENRD, by telephone on 12-07-95, and with Larry Easterling, CIV, on 12-08-95.