

# INACTIVE - ALL ITEMS SUPERSEDED OR OBSOLETE

Schedule Number: N1-299-89-001


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## Description:

The schedule provides for one-time permanent disposition. All records covered by this schedule have been transferred.

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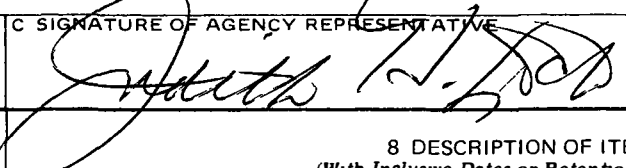
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<b>REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY</b> (See Instructions on reverse)		<b>LEAVE BLANK</b>	
TO <b>GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408</b>		JOB NO <b>NI-299-89-1</b>	
1 FROM (Agency or establishment) <b>Department of Justice</b>		DATE RECEIVED <b>5-11-89</b>	
2 MAJOR SUBDIVISION <b>Foreign Claims Settlement Commission</b>		NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY In accordance with the provisions of 44 USC 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disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.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 <b>Soviet Claims</b>			
4 NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER	5 TELEPHONE EXT.	DATE <b>6/2/89</b>	ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES 

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 2 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 <b>5/18/89</b>	C SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE 	D TITLE <b>Admin. Officer</b>
7 ITEM NO	8 DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9 GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION

The Foreign Claims Settlement Commission (FCSC) was established in 1954 (69 Stat. 1279) to continue the functions of its predecessors in determining claims of United States nationals against foreign governments for property losses and injuries pursuant to the claims programs authorized under the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Claims against the Soviet Government were not possible until the official recognition of the USSR by the US in November, 1933. At that time, the USSR designated the US Government as the assignee for any amounts due the Soviet Government as the successor to previous Russian Governments. Any funds subsequently recovered by the US Government under this agreement (referred to as the Litvinov Assignment) were designated by PL 84-285 to be deposited into the Soviet Claims Fund in the Treasury for the payment of claims. The records in the following accession represent the Justice Department's files on lawsuits in which the US Government tried to claim those funds due it under the Litvinov Assignment. The files were later sent to the FCSC to aid in its

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1.	<p>adjudication of Soviet Claims.</p> <p>Earlier claims against the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics had been authorized by Public Resolution 36, Seventy-sixth Congress, approved August 4, 1939 (53 Stat. 1199)s That authorization was repealed in 1955 by PL 84-285, an amendment to the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 that authorized the FCSC to administer the Soviet Claims Program (Title III, Section 305)s</p> <p>Justice Department Papers Bearing on Soviet Claims, 1913-1952, transferred to FCSC by the Department of Justice. Accession 299-61A-510, boxes 1-111.</p> <p>Litigation files and related data, including testimony, memoranda, published case records, correspondence and exhibits.</p> <p>DISPOSITION: PERMANENT. Transfer to the National Archives on approval of this schedule.</p>		