

<b>REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY</b> (See Instructions on reverse)		<b>LEAVE BLANK (NARA use only)</b>	
TO NATIONAL ARCHIVES and RECORDS ADMINISTRATION (NIR) WASHINGTON, DC 20408		JOB NUMBER 11-306-92-1	
1. FROM (Agency or establishment) United States Information Agency		DATE RECEIVED 2/5/93	
2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION Office of Cultural Centers and Resources		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request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10	
3. MINOR SUBDIVISION Library Programs Division		DATE 2/26/93	
4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER Cathy A. Brown		5. TELEPHONE (202) 619-55012	
		ARCHIVIST OF THE UNITED STATES <i>Raymond A. M. L...</i>	

**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 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, 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 2/3/93	SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE Michael Carroll	TITLE Chief, Operations Division, M/AD
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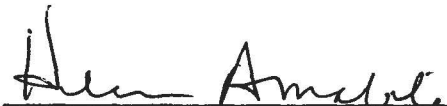
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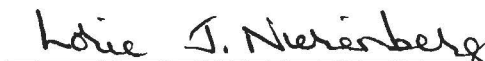
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Helen Amabile  
Deputy Chief  
Library Programs Division

1/7/93  
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Lorie Nierenberg  
Office of General Counsel

2/2/93  
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