

National Archives and Records Administration  
REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

Records Schedule Number: DAA-0482-2025-0001

Status: APPROVED  
Date Approved: 05/19/2026

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## General Information

Agency or Establishment	Administrative Office of the United States Courts
Record/Scheduling Group	0482 - Records of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation
Records Schedule Applies To	Agency-wide
Schedule Subject	Electronic Case Files (Temporary)
Is There a Classified Version of This Schedule?	No
Is consultation and coordination with Tribal Governments required?	No - the records covered by this schedule do not implicate Tribal interests

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## Item Count

Total number of disposition items: 1

Number of Temporary disposition items: 1

Number of Permanent disposition items: 0

Number of Items with Disposition Not Approved: 0

Number of Inactive disposition items: 0

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Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0482-2025-0001

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Disposition</b>
0001	19a(1) JPML case files and related materials.	Temporary

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Records Schedule Items

<b>DAA-0482-2025-0001-0001</b>		<b>STATUS: Active</b>
<b>ITEM GENERAL INFORMATION</b>		
Item Title	19a(1) JPML case files and related materials.	
Item Description	JPML case files. Case files related to motions for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings regarding two or more civil actions filed in different judicial districts and concerned with one or more common questions of fact. The files include official pleadings, correspondence, orders of the JPML, transcripts, and other required documentation related to JPML hearings.	
Is this item media neutral?	No	
Media limitation	Digital only	
Is this item a Big Bucket?	No	
<b>SUPERSEDED AGENCY DISPOSITION AUTHORITIES AND GRS DEVIATIONS</b>		
Does this item supersede existing disposition authorities?	Yes	
	Superseded Items	
Superseded Item	Item Superseded in Part?	Explanation
DAA-0482-2018-0001-0001	No	
Is this item a deviation from the GRS?	No	
<b>DISPOSITION INSTRUCTION</b>		
Final Disposition	Temporary	
Cutoff Instructions	Cut off at end of Calendar year when case is closed.	
Retention Period	Destroy 30 year(s) after cutoff year.	
<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>		
Are any of the records covered by this item national security classified?	No	
GAO Approval Required	No	

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Signatory Information

<b>Action</b>	<b>User</b>	<b>Date</b>
Approve	Edward Forst (Acting Archivist)	05/19/2026



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Records Officer for the  
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This schedule was signed outside of the ERA system using Standard Form 115.

NARA staff updated ERA to reflect this approval, moving the record schedule into an approved status. The approved status allows for generation of a PDF indicating that the schedule has been approved, and allows an agency to use the schedule in ERA to create transfer requests. The approved date in the system and on the PDF version of the records schedule reflects the system actions.