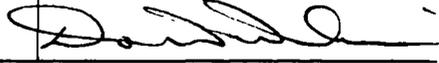


REQUEST FOR RECORDS DISPOSITION AUTHORITY <i>(See Instructions on reverse)</i>		LEAVE BLANK	
TO: GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408		JOB NO. N1-357-88-1	DATE RECEIVED 11-20-87
1. FROM (Agency or establishment) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION		NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION MARITIME ADMINISTRATION		In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 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disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be marked "disposition not approved" or "withdrawn" in column 10.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 OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES			
4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER MARY JANE HARVEY	5. TELEPHONE EXT. 366-5814	DATE 2/25/88	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 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, 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 11/19/87	C. SIGNATURE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE 	D. TITLE RECORDS MANAGEMENT OFFICER
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7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM <i>(With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)</i>	9. GRS OR SUPERSEDED JOB CITATION	10. ACTION TAKEN <i>(NARS USE ONLY)</i>
1.	<p><u>Mobilization Ship Designs.</u> These files consist of specifications, drawings, and engineering calculations of ships designed for rapid construction during a wartime or emergency shipbuilding program.</p> <p>Transfer to Washington National Records Center when design has been technically approved. Dispose of when 30 years old.</p>		

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**RECOMMENDATION TO THE ARCHIVIST ON RECORDS
DISPOSITION REQUEST**

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SUMMARY

Maritime Administration has submitted the following schedule which covers mobilization ship design records generated by the Naval Architecture and Engineering Division. In case of a national emergency, the ship design records are mobilized for rapid construction. A prototype ship, based on this series, has never been funded. If the ships are constructed, the "as built" drawings offer more substantive and valuable information on the final ship design and effectiveness of the agency's mobilization efforts. This series lacks sufficient value to warrant archival retention.

RECOMMENDATION

1. APPROVED FOR DISPOSAL. The records described under all items of the schedule, except those that may be listed in blocks 2, 3, and 4 of this section, are disposable because they do not, or will not after the lapse of the period specified, have sufficient administrative, legal, research, or other value to warrant their continued preservation by the Government.
2. APPROVED FOR PERMANENT RETENTION. The records described under the following item or items have been appraised by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) and are determined to have sufficient historical or other value to warrant their continued preservation by the United States Government. The agency will offer these records to the National Archives as specified.
3. DISPOSITION NOT APPROVED. The records described under the following item or items are not approved for disposition.
4. WITHDRAWN. The records described under the following item or items have been withdrawn at the request of the agency and/or NARA.

FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE

Not Required.

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