

**REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY
TO DISPOSE OF RECORDS**

(See Instructions on Reverse)

**TO: GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE, WASHINGTON, DC 20408**

1. FROM (AGENCY OR ESTABLISHMENT)
Department of the Army

2. MAJOR SUBDIVISION
The Adjutant General Center

3. MINOR SUBDIVISION
Records Management Division

4. NAME OF PERSON WITH WHOM TO CONFER
Lillian B. Faison

5. TEL. EXT.
693-1937

6. CERTIFICATE OF AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE:

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DATE RECEIVED 22 FEB 1977	JOB NO. NC 1 A4 77 97
NOTIFICATION TO AGENCY	
In accordance with the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 3303a the disposal request, including amendments, is approved except for items that may be stamped "disposal not approved" or "with-drawn" in column 10.	
5-19-77 (Date) <i>action</i>	<i>James E O'Neil</i> Archivist of the United States

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 page(s) are not now needed for the business of this agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified.

Guy Oldaker
for Guy Oldaker

Acting Chief, Records Management Div

Date _____ (Signature of Agency Representative) _____ (Title)

7. ITEM NO.	8. DESCRIPTION OF ITEM (With Inclusive Dates or Retention Periods)	9. SAMPLE OR JOB NO.	10. ACTION TAKEN
	<p>Nuclear, Chemical and Biological Warfare Arms Control Files (FN 237-02, AR 340-18-2). Documents pertaining to the regulation, production, distribution and/or reduction of actual, planned or potential strategic nuclear weapons, to chemical warfare weapons, and biological weapons. Included are documents reflecting military considerations associated with the development of agreements and the implementation of such agreements.</p> <p>Disposition: Permanent. Cut off when no longer required for current operations.</p> <p>Request authority to establish disposition instructions described above for nuclear, chemical, and biological Warfare Arms Control files. These records are classified "TOP SECRET" and accumulate in the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff of Operations and Plans. These files relate to the development of agreements made under the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT) and document Army considerations and comments which form the basis for these agreements. Present volume is 1/2 linear foot with an estimated annual accumulation of 1 linear foot. Files are arranged chronologically and these records accumulate as a result of SALT. The Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans is the HQ Department of the Army agency responsible for international, National, joint, and unilateral nuclear, chemical warfare and biological defense.</p>		

Sent to agency and NNB - 5/27/77