order to attend the meeting in person or telephonically should contact Katherine Ward, at (202) 295-1500 or FR NOTICE QUESTIONS@nara.gov. at least 2 business days in advance of the meeting. If a request is made without advance notice, LSC will make every effort to accommodate the request but cannot guarantee that all requests can be fulfilled.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Records Schedules; Availability and Request for Comments

AGENCY: National Archives and Records Administration (NARA).

ACTION: Notice of availability of proposed records schedules; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) publishes notice at least once monthly of certain Federal agency requests for records disposition authority (records schedules). Once approved by NARA, records schedules provide mandatory instructions on what happens to records when no longer needed for current Government business. They authorize the preservation of records of continuing value in the National Archives of the United States and the destruction, after a specified period, of records lacking administrative, legal, research, or other value. Notice is published for records schedules in which agencies propose to destroy records not previously authorized for disposal or reduce the retention period of records already authorized for disposal. NARA invites public comments on such records schedules, as required by 44 U.S.C. 3303(a).

DATES: Requests for copies must be received in writing on or before June 21, 2013. Once the appraisal of the records is completed, NARA will send a copy of the schedule. NARA staff usually prepare appraisal memorandums that contain additional information concerning the records covered by a proposed schedule. These, too, may be requested and will be provided once the appraisal is completed. Requests will be given 30 days to submit comments.

ADDRESSES: You may request a copy of any records schedule identified in this notice by contacting Records Management Services (ACNR) using one of the following means:

Mail: NARA (ACNR), 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001.
Email: request.schedule@nara.gov.

Requesters must cite the control number, which appears in parentheses after the name of the agency which submitted the schedule, and must provide a mailing address. Those who desire appraisal reports should so indicate in their request.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Margaret Hawkins, Director, Records Management Services (ACNR), National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001. Telephone: 301–837–1799. Email: request.schedule@nara.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Each year Federal agencies create billions of records on paper, film, magnetic tape, and other media. To control this accumulation, agency records managers prepare schedules proposing retention periods for records and submit these schedules for NARA’s approval, using the Standard Form (SF) 115, Request for Records Disposition Authority. These schedules provide for the timely transfer into the National Archives of historically valuable records and authorize the disposal of all other records after the agency no longer needs them to conduct its business. Some schedules are comprehensive and cover all the records of an agency or one of its major subdivisions. Most schedules, however, cover records of only one office or program or a few series of records. Many of these update previously approved schedules, and some include records proposed as permanent.

The schedules listed in this notice are media neutral unless specified otherwise. An item in a schedule is media neutral when the disposition instructions may be applied to records regardless of the medium in which the records are created and maintained. Items included in schedules submitted to NARA on or after December 17, 2007, are media neutral unless the item is limited to a specific medium. (See 36 CFR 1225.12(e).)

No Federal records are authorized for destruction without the approval of the Archivist of the United States. This approval is granted only after a thorough consideration of their administrative use by the agency of origin, the rights of the Government and of private persons directly affected by the Government’s activities, and whether or not they have historical or other value.

Besides identifying the Federal agencies and any subdivisions requesting disposition authority, this public notice lists the organizational unit(s) accumulating the records or indicates agency-wide applicability in the case of schedules that cover records that may be accumulated throughout an agency. This notice provides the control number assigned to each schedule, the total number of schedule items, and the number of temporary items (the records proposed for destruction). It also includes a brief description of the temporary records. The records schedule itself contains a full description of the records at the file unit level as well as their disposition. If NARA staff has prepared an appraisal memorandum for the schedule, it too includes information about the records. Further information about the disposition process is available on request.

Schedules Pending

1. Department of Agriculture, Farm Service Agency (N1–145–12–1, 3 items, 3 temporary items). Records related to the administration of the Government Performance and Results Act.

2. Department of the Army, Agency-wide (N1–AU–10–1, 20 items, 20 temporary items). Master files of several electronic information systems used to track procurement actions in support of force deployments.

3. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census (N1–29–11–1, 31 items, 27 temporary items). Records of the Foreign Trade Division such as foreign trade procedures memorandums, periodic division reports, and data processing records such as system processing files, import/export trade statistical operations production processing records, and final net level data files. Proposed for permanent retention are foreign trade data reports and products, research project planning files, and subject files maintained by the Division Chief and Deputy Division Chief.

4. Department of Defense, Defense Commissary Agency (N1–506–10–1, 5 items, 5 temporary items). Web content and management records related to the agency’s internal and external Web sites.

5. Department of Defense, Defense Commissary Agency (N1–506–11–1, 13 items, 13 temporary items). Records relating to the agency’s environmental management program. Included are records related to monitoring, compliance, management review, planning, procedures, organizational structure, and communications.
6. Department of Defense, Defense Contract Management Agency (N1–558–10–9, 27 items, 22 temporary items). Records related to corporate-level operations and mission-related programs. Included are management control plans, international program correspondence files, foreign visitor records, internal reviews, records of terminated audits, budget and procurement records, and non-mandatory agency instructions. Proposed for permanent retention are records of significant high-level decisions and actions, records of high-level oversight reviews, and mandatory mission-related agency instructions. 


16. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (DAA–0059–2012–0003, 5 items, 4 temporary items). Records of the Office of Global Educational Programs, including grant files, reference files, and informational publications. Proposed for permanent retention is the office's annual statistical publication. 


18. Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Agency-wide (N1–587–12–13, 7 items, 5 temporary items). Records of the Legal Division including memorandums, hearing files, and administrative records. Proposed for permanent retention are historically significant memorandums and hearing files. 

19. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water (DAA–0412–2013–0003, 2 items, 1 temporary item). Inputs of an electronic information system used for the regulation of wells. Proposed for permanent retention are the master files of the electronic information system. 


21. Office of the Director of National Intelligence, Office of the Program Manager of the Information Sharing Environment (N1–576–11–10, 11 items, 3 temporary items). Records include Web sites and non-substantive drafts and working papers. Proposed for permanent retention are implementation plans, final reports and sharing agreements, daily calendars, external speeches and briefings, records of boards and working groups, legislation recommendations to Congress, and substantive working papers. 

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NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Mediation Board (NMB).

SUMMARY: The Director, Office of Administration, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments within 30 days from the date of this publication.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency’s ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Director, Office of Administration, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g. new, revision extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Record keeping burden. OMB invites public comment.

Currently, the National Mediation Board is soliciting comments concerning the proposed extension of the Application for Investigation of Representation Dispute and is interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the agency; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the agency enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the agency minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.