

**NAVAJO AND HOPI INDIAN
RELOCATION COMMISSION**

**Privacy Act of 1974; System of
Records**

AGENCY: Navajo and Hopi Indian
Relocation Commission.

ACTION: Notice of Change in System of
Records.

SUMMARY: The Commission is issuing
notice of changes of categories of
records in its system and of routine uses
of records maintained in the system. The
intended purpose of this notice is to
fulfill the notice requirements of the
Privacy Act of 1974.

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 18, 1980.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The
Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation
Amendments Act of 1980, 25 U.S.C. 640-
1, 94 Stat. 929, P.L. 96-305, Sec. 30(b),
hereinafter, the Amendments Act),
requires that the Commission
promulgate regulations concerning
application procedures for Life Estate
Leases by members of the Navajo and
Hopi Tribes who are subject to
relocation. The Amendments Act has
required changes in the Commission's
System of Records. This notice of
change of system of records is published
to fulfill the requirements of the Privacy
Act of 1974.

The Commission has added a fourth
category of individuals covered by the
system: persons who apply for Life
Estate Leases.

The Commission has added a fifth
category of records in the system: Life
Estate Lease Application.

The Commission has also added
another primary use of the records in the
system: to determine . . . "(d) those
individuals who are eligible for Life
Estate Leases and the location of such
Life Estate parcels."

Finally, the Commission has amended
that portion of the notice relating to
disclosure outside the Navajo and Hopi
Indian Relocation Commission. The
Commission has determined that
disclosures may be made to: "Tribal
Governments in determining the
configuration of Life Estate parcels."

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Accordingly, the Commission's Notice
of System of Records, published in the
Federal Register on May 8, 1980, at Vol.

45, No. 91, p. 30577, is amended to read
as follows:

SYSTEM NAME:

Navajo and Hopi Relocation
Commission Records System.

SYSTEM LOCATION:

Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation
Commission, 2717 N. Steves Boulevard,
Building A, Flagstaff, Arizona 86001.

**CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE
SYSTEM:**

- (1) Those members of the Navajo
Tribe residing in that portion of the Joint
Use Area of Arizona which has been
partitioned to the Hopi Tribe.
- (2) Those members of the Hopi Tribe
residing in that portion of the Joint Use
Area of Arizona which has been
partitioned to the Navajo Tribe.
- (3) Persons who apply to the
Commission for relocation benefits.
- (4) Persons who apply to the
Commission for Life Estate leases.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

- (1) Relocation Applications.
- (2) Census Information.
- (3) Inventories of livestock and
property improvements.
- (4) Appraisal of Improvements, and
- (5) Life Estate Applications.

**AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE
SYSTEM:**

25 U.S.C. 640(d), 25 U.S.C. 361, et seq.

**ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN
THE SYSTEM, INCLUDE CATEGORIES OF USERS
AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:**

The primary use of the records are to
determine: (a) those individuals who are
entitled to relocation benefits, (b) the
amount of benefits to which individuals
are entitled, (c) where relocations may
occur, and (d) those individuals who are
eligible for Life Estate Leases and the
location of such Life Estate Lease
parcels. Disclosures outside the Navajo
and Hopi Indian Relocation Commission
may be made to: (a) Tribal Governments
for use in adjudicating disputes and in
determining the configuration of Life
Estate Lease parcels, (b) to United
States Courts concerned with the
partition of the Joint Use Area, (c) to the
Department of Justice when related to
litigation or contemplated litigation, (d)
to appropriate Federal, State, Local, or
Foreign Agency responsible for
investigating or prosecuting violations or
for enforcing or implementing a statute,
rule, regulation, order, or license of
information indicating a violation or
potential violation of a statute,
regulation, rule, order, or license, (e)
reports to the United States Congress,
and (f) publication of rosters to assist

potential relocatees in determining their
application and eligibility status.

**POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORAGE,
RETRIEVAL, ACCESSING, RETAINING, AND
DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:**

STORAGE:

Manual: letter files.

RETRIEVABILITY:

Indexed by name of individual,
retrieved by manual search.

SAFEGUARDS:

In accordance with 43 CFR 2.51.

RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:

Records will be disposed of when the
Commission is discharged pursuant to
25 U.S.C. 640d-11(i).

SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:

Executive Director, Navajo and Hopi
Indian Relocation Commission, P.O. Box
KK, Flagstaff, Arizona 86002.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

To determine whether records in this
system are maintained on an individual,
the individual must contact the System
Manager.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

For access to individual's records, the
individual must contact the System
Manager and describe as specifically as
possible the records sought and, if
copies are desired, indicate the
maximum copy fee the individual is
willing to pay.

CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

A petition for amendment shall be
addressed to the System Manager and
must meet the requirements of 43 CFR
2.71.

RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Information is obtained from:

- (1) Information obtained from
individuals who apply for relocation
benefits and/or for Life Estate leases.
- (2) Information obtained from other
United States governmental agencies
concerning individuals who may or may
not be entitled to relocation benefits.
- (3) Information obtained from surveys
taken on the Joint Use Area.
- (4) Information obtained from the
Navajo Tribe or the Hopi Tribe
concerning its members entitled to
relocation benefits.
- (5) Information obtained from Chapter
Officials of the Navajo Tribe concerning

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