# **Capstone Implementation Briefing**

Project Update – Final



## **Capstone Concept**

### Why Capstone?

 All Federal agencies are required to manage their emails records electronically by December 31<sup>st</sup> 2016 "OMB/NARA Managing Government Records Directive (M-12-18)

### What is Capstone?

- New Approach to Managing Email Records.
- Not a software application, it is an approach.
- Management of email records, based on the role position and or responsibility of an email account user rather than on the content of the emails.
- Manage email records at the account level.



## With Your Help

- CFPB Records Management Office (RMO) has:
  - Received approval for a Tier 2 record schedule;
  - Received approval the Capstone Officials list;
  - Incorporated Capstone policy to the CFPB RM policy;
  - Identified and Created (5) Capstone Business Processes;
  - Successfully completed a Capstone Implementation Review (CIR), and
  - Successfully completed a Capstone Pilot.



## **Capstone Project Approach**

Current State Assessment Jan-Aug 2015 Validate & Review Aug-Feb 2016 T&I Technical Project Feb-Jun 2016

Policies & Pilot Jul -Nov 2016 Implementation Jan -Apr 2017

- Bureau email records status
- Capstone
- Meeting with all Divisions
- Defining Tiers
- Identifying Capstone accounts
- Senior Buy In

- Requirements gathering/review
- Limitations
- Policies & schedule
- Capstone Officials list approved internally
- Draft/submit Capstone record schedule

- Technical implementation
- Configuration
- Business processes development
- Capstone list sent to NARA
- RMO internal Capstone Review
- Ongoing Communication

- Testing Capstone pilot group
- Training & awareness
- Tier 2 Schedule approved by NARA
- Capstone Officials list approved by NARA
- Capstone Officials Notified

- Transition timelines
- Legacy emails transfer
- Complete accounts Transition

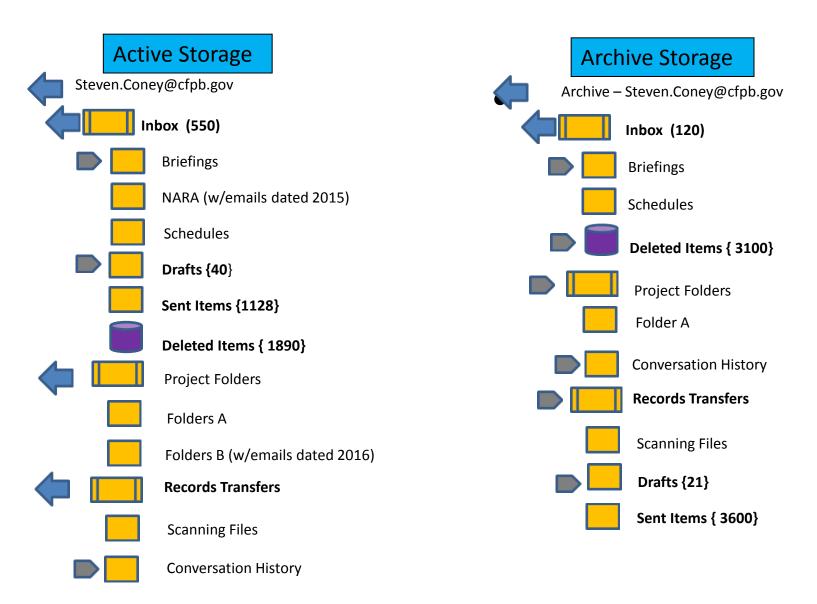


# **Implementation Phase Approach**

Division	Deployment Date
Operations	20 Jan 2017 – 26 Jan 2017
SEFL	3 Feb 2017 – 8 Feb 2017
EA	17 Feb 2017 – 22 Feb 2017
CEE	3 Mar 2017 – 8 Mar 2017
RMR	24 Mar 2017 – 29 Mar 2017
Legal	7 Apr 2017 – 12 Apr 2017
Office of the Director	21 Apr 2017 – 26 Apr 2017



## Capstone Email Management



## CFPB Email UserTier Groups

Tier 1- Permanent Capstone Officials Transfer to NARA

Director, Deputy Director, COS,
Associate Directors
(All 6 Division Heads),
CFO, CIO, CHCO, and Deputy
GCs

Tier 2- Temporary 15 Years Destroy

Deputy Associate Dir, Assistant Dir, (Dir OEOF), Exec Secretary, COS, and Legal Division

Tier 3- Temporary 7 Years Destroy

Deputy Assistant Directors, and most other Employees not listed in another Tier.

Tier 4- Temporary
3 Years Destroy

**Interns & Contractors** 



# Capstone Temporary Email Tier 2 (15yrs.) Sample Starting April 2017

Outlook View Window	Archived / I	Data Center	Review/	Dispo	sition
User Inbox 4 Years	Archived For 3 Years	Retention Timeframe	Disposition Date	Temporary Destroy Delete	Permanent Transfer NARA
2016 2015 2014  Transfer to Archive Storage Emails 2013 2012 2011	Archived on April 2017  2013 2012 32011	Retain 8 Years	Not Later Than  April 2029	Destroy	
2017 2016 2015 Transfer to Archive Storage	Archived on April 2018	Retain 8 Years	Not Later Than  April 2030	Destroy	
2018 2017 2016 Transfer to  2015 Archive Storage	Archived on April 2019	Retain 8 Years	Not Later Than April 2031	Destroy	
RMO with T&I will  Develop a Litigation Hold  Process for Capstone  Retain until Hold is removed then follow  Tier Disposition  Retain until Hold is removed then follow  Destroy  Delete					

# Capstone Temporary Email Tier 3 (7 yrs.) Sample Starting April 2017

Outlook View Window	Archived / I	Archived / Data Center Disposition		sition	
User Inbox For 4 Years	Archived For 3 Years	Review Timeframe	Date	Temporary Destroy Delete	Permanent Transfer NARA
2016 2015 2014  Transfer to Archive Storage Emails 2013 2012 2011	Archived on April 2017  2013 2012 2011	Review & Delete	Not Later Than April 2021	Destroy	
2017 2016 2015 Transfer to Archive Storage	Archived on April 2018	Review & Delete	Not Later Than April 2022	Destroy	
2018 2017 2016 Transfer to Archive Storage	Archived on April 2019	Review & Delete	Not Later Than April 2023	Destroy	
RMO with T&I will Develop a Litigation Hold Process for Capstone  Retain until Hold is removed then follow Tier Disposition  Tier Disposition  Polity  Delete					

## **Key Points**

- 1. Know your Tier-grouping and email record retention
  - Tier 1 Permanent
  - Tier 2 Temporary 15 years
  - Tier 3 Temporary 7 years
  - Tier 4 Temporary 3 years
- 2. If you created an archives folder, rename it. (legacy, etc.)
- 3. Delete useless information, non-record material and personal information
- 4. You can search forward, copy, and print email records from the Capstone archive
- 5. Group email accounts are in Tier -3 Temporary 7 years
- 6. Manage your email records outside of the Capstone archive when required by your office business practice

## **Records Management Office**

### Any Questions?

Steven Coney Bureau Records Officer

Ye Ho "Leo" Kim Senior Records Specialist

Eric Stewart Records Specialist (Contractor)

Capstone FAQs are located on the RMO Wiki page





1700 G Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20552

March 19, 2021

The Honorable David S. Ferriero Archivist of the United States of America National Archives and Records Administration 700 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20408

RE: Senior Agency Official Annual Report

Dear Mr. Ferriero:

In accordance with the June 28, 2019, Office of Management and Budget (OMB) / National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) Transition to Electronic Records Memorandum (M-19-21), the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB or the Bureau) conducted an evaluation of its records and information management program and has developed this Senior Agency Official (SAO) Annual Report. This SAO Annual Report documents the Bureau's continued progress toward the successful implementation of OMB / NARA M-19-21.

Name of SAORM: Donna Roy

Position Title: Chief Operating Officer

Address: Consumer Financial Protection Bureau 1700 G Street, NW Washington, DC 20552

Office Telephone Number: 202-435-5172

Email: Donna.Roy@cfpb.gov

- 1. What agencies, bureaus, components, or offices are covered by this report and your position as SAORM and which will be reporting separately? Please also indicate any that are new or have been changed due to reorganization or other circumstances.
  - The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau

Please provide a list, and also indicate any that are new or have been changed due to reorganization or other circumstances.

2. Has the COVID-19 pandemic changed any policies or practices related to records management at your agency?

X Yes

	□ No □ Do not know
	Please explain your response (include details of specific challenges, if applicable):
	The Records and Information Management program modified the Records Liaison Officers (RLO) training and workshops to support the remote environment, instead of specifically meeting with RLOs within their offices, reviewing records in file cabinets, and transferring hardcopy records, the RIM program focused on electronic records, email management, electronic messaging systems, file plans, data/records management, and folder structures updates.
rec	Does your agency have an established information governance framework that connects cords management, data management, and other agency information lines of business? (A ationship between CIO, CDO, SAORM, DRO/ARO, RM Staff)
	X Yes
	□ No
	☐ Do not know
	Please provide details on what support is needed:
	In October 2019, the Bureau established the Office of the Chief Data Officer (OCDO) within the Operations Division by elevating the Chief Data Officer as a peer to the Chief Information Officer and a direct report of the Chief Operating Officer, aligning the Bureau's companion data and compliance functions. The OCDO is currently comprised of the Records and Information Management (RIM), Freedom of Information Act, Privacy, Data Policy and Governance, Paperwork Reduction Act, and Knowledge Management programs. Additional staffing is needed within the RIM program to develop the Bureau's Controlled Unclassified Information program.
	Has your agency made progress towards managing all permanent records in an electronic mat with appropriate metadata by December 31, 2022? (M-19-21, 1.2)
	X Yes
	□ No
	□ Do not know
	Please explain your response (include specific goals and example metrics):
	The Bureau continues to make progress towards M-19-21, 1.2. Since our last update, CFPB implemented Microsoft Office (365) as our primary system to manage permanent

electronic records in an electronic format. In addition, the Bureau migrated permanent and temporary records from our shared drives to Microsoft Office (365), and applied retention policies on folders within the system. The system has the capability to auto-classified and apply the proper retention policy to newly created records which will allow for an effective and efficient transfer of electronic records to NARA.

5. Has your agency made progress towards managing all <u>temporary</u> records in an electronic format by December 31, 2022? (M-19-21, 1.3)
X Yes
□ No
□ Do not know
Please explain your response (include specific goals and example metrics):
The Bureau continues to make progress in managing temporary records in electronic format by digitizing temporary records with long retention schedules, and ensuring temporary records schedule meet the needs of the Bureau. In addition, the Bureau no longer stores any temporary records at Federal Records Centers operated by NARA. The Bureau currently manages nearly ninety five percent of its temporary records in digital formats, with the implementation of Microsoft Office 365, and we anticipate a steady reduction in hard copy temporary records over the next few years.
6. Is your agency investing resources in IT to support the transition to electronic recordkeeping?
X Yes
□ No
□ Do not know
Please explain your response. If Yes: Please include specific examples of resources and how this will support records management processes. If No or Do not know: Please explain.
The Bureau has already invested significant resources in obtaining and implementing Microsoft Office 365, however there are additional compliance functionality that will be added to enhance users experiences, records and information management compliance, and support staff with identifying and marking Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) documents and emails.
7. To meet the requirements of M-19-21, 1.3, related to records storage facilities, does your agency have plans to use commercial storage to replace agency-operated records centers and NARA Federal Records Centers by December 31, 2022? (M-19-21, 1.3)
X Yes
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□ No		
☐ Do not know		
Please explain your	or response (include specific goals and example metrics):	
permanent records a	ot operate an agency records center, and does not store any temporar at NARA operated Federal Records Centers. The Bureau's only is management storage facilities are managed by NARA approved 36 in locations.	•
records of newly appoin	nave policies and procedures that include documentation to ensure ointed and outgoing senior officials* are properly captured and/oproperly removed, altered, or deleted including electronic record	or
assistants; the heads administrators, and regional officials; st confidential assistar	re the heads of departments and independent agencies; their deputies its of program offices and staff offices including assistant secretaries, decommissioners; directors of offices, bureaus, or equivalent; princip staff assistants to those aforementioned officials, such as special assistants, and administrative assistants; and career Federal employees, positives of the Armed Forces serving in equivalent or comparable positives.	, al stants, litical
X Yes		
□ No		
☐ Do not know		
Please explain your	er response (include specific details of policies and procedures):	
federal records crea system in which the management trainin Officials public serv	ords and Information Management program ensures that all Senior O sated or received in all formats are identified, captured, and preserved ey were created or received. In addition, specific records and informing is provided throughout the year. This includes documenting Seniorvices, use of personal email, electronic messaging, and other record of actions include the following:	d in the nation for

- Conducting records and information management briefings as part of Senior Official's orientation;
- Conducting groups and in person records and information management briefings for Senior Officials;
- Conducting mandatory web-based records and information management training for Senior Officials annually;
- Publishing email, text and instant messaging guidance bi-annually;
- Conducting records management departure briefings for Senior Officials

- Conducting RIM sweeps of departed Senior Officials offices;
- Applying permanent record holds on Senior Officials accounts; and
- Conducting RIM reviews of laptops of departed Senior Officials.

9. Do you, as the SAORM, see challenges within your agency	y in meeting the goal of fully-
electronic recordkeeping?	

□ Yes
X No
□ Do not know
Please explain your response (include details of specific challenges, if applicable):
The Bureau continues to make progress towards fully electronic recordkeeping with the implementation Microsoft Office 365, best practices, and guidance forthcoming, the Bureau is well on its way to meeting this goal.
10. Do you have suggestions for NARA to improve its engagement with you as the SAORM?
□ Yes
X No
□ Do not know
Please explain your response (include any comments on previous NARA SAORM engagement topics for future engagements, or other suggestions):
The Bureau does not have any suggestions for improving engagement at this time.
Contact information:
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Sincerely,

Donna Roy

Chief Operating Officer

Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection 1700 G Street NW Washington, D.C. 20552



January 27, 2020

Nick Marinos Director, Information Technology and Cybersecurity Government Accountability Office 441 G Street, NW Washington DC, 20548

Dear Mr. Marinos,

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on the draft report by the Government Accountability Office (GAO), titled *Information Management: Selected Agencies Need to Improve Adherence to Federal Electronic Recordkeeping Requirements* (GAO-20-59). The Bureau greatly appreciates GAO's work over the course of this engagement and believes the report provides the public with important information about how select federal agencies, including the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, have been working to implement the Federal Records Act and related directives from the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) with respect to the maintenance of electronic records.

In the report, GAO makes one recommendation to the Bureau:

 The Director of CFPB should establish a time frame to develop an inventory of electronic information systems used to store agency records that includes all of the required elements.

The Bureau does not object to GAO's recommendation. The Bureau will establish a time frame to update its current inventory of electronic systems used to store agency records, so that the inventory includes all of the elements required by 36 C.F.R. 1236.26.

The Bureau looks forward to working with GAO as it monitors the Bureau's progress in implementing this recommendation.

Sincerely,
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Director

#### **Request for Records Disposition Authority**

Records Schedule Number DAA-0587-2019-0002

Schedule Status Proposed

Agency or Establishment Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection

Record Group / Scheduling Group Records of the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau

Records Schedule applies to Agency-wide

Schedule Subject Home Mortgage Disclosure Act Data and Related Records

Internal agency concurrences will

be provided

No

**Background Information** 

The Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection (BCFP) provides a single point of accountability for enforcing federal consumer financial laws and protecting consumers in the financial marketplace.

Records created and received relate to the mission critical functions and the internal administration of the Bureau required for compliance with the governing principles of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010:

- 1) To regulate the offering and provision of consumer financial products or services under the Federal consumer financial laws and to educate and empower consumers to make better informed financial decisions.
- 2) Free, innovative, competitive, and transparent consumer finance markets where the rights of all parties are protected by the rule of law and where consumers are free to choose the products and services that best fit their individual needs.

The Home Mortgage Disclosure Act (HMDA), 12 U.S.C. 2801 through 2810, requires certain depository institutions and for-profit non-depository institutions to collect, report, and disclosed data about originations and purchase of mortgage loans, as well as mortgage loan applications that do not result in origination (for example, applications that are denied or withdrawn). The purpose of HMDA are to provide the public with loan data that can be used: (i) to help determine whether financial institution are serving the housing needs of their communities; (ii) to assist public officials in distributing public-sector investment so as to attract private investment to areas where it is needed; and (iii) to assist in identifying possible discriminatory lending patterns and enforcing antidiscrimination statues.

In 2010, Congress enacted the Dodd-Frank Act, which amended HMDA and also transferred HMDA rulemaking authority and other functions from the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) to the Bureau.

HMDA records was formerly scheduled under the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) N1-082-05-1.

All Reporters submit their HMDA data directly to the Bureau. The Bureau maintains, operates, and manages the HMDA database on behalf of all participating agencies, including the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, , the National Credit Union Administration, and the FFIEC. The Bureau prepares the disclosure forms required by HMDA, provides them to reporters, compiles aggregate data and aggregates the data by Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA), and makes HMDA data available to the public as required by law.

#### Item Count

Number of Total Disposition Items		Number of Temporary Disposition Items	Number of Withdrawn Disposition Items
12	8	4	0

**GAO** Approval

#### Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0587-2019-0002

Sequence Number	
1	Master HMDA Data Files.
1.1	Non-Restricted Ultimate (TS and LAR) Data File. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0001
1.2	Non-Restricted Final (TS and LAR) Data File. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0002
1.3	Restricted Ultimate (TS and LAR) Data File. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0003
1.4	Restricted Final (TS and LAR) Data File. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0004
1.5	Final Panel Data File. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0005
1.6	Ultimate Panel Data File. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0006
2	Reports.
2.1	Aggregate Report. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0007
2.2	National Aggregate Report. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0008
2.3	Disclosure Statements. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0009
2.4	Intermediate Files and Ad Hoc Files and Reports. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0010
3	Input Files. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0011
4	Documentation. Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2019-0002-0012

#### Records Schedule Items

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1.1

1.2

Master HMDA Data Files.

HMDA data is derived from the Loan Application Register (LAR) and Transmittal Sheets (TS) submitted to the Bureau. Reporting panel data includes lists of the Reporters' MSA's. There are two categories of data, "final" and "ultimate". Unrestricted "final" versions of data are made available to the public. "Ultimate" files are made available to the public and include adjustments to the data incorporated in the 24 months following the reporting deadline.

Non-Restricted Ultimate (TS and LAR) Data File.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0001

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

Yes

electronic data?

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cut-off when revisions to data are completed.

Transfer to the National Archives for Accessioning

Transfer copy of the data with documentation

to NARA annually in accordance with 36 CFR

1228.270.

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the National Archives?

Every 2 Years

Non-Restricted Final (TS and LAR) Data File.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0002

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cut-off when revisions to data filing period is

complete.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer copy of the public use data with

documentation to NARA annually in accordance with

36 CFR 1228.270.

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

Every 2 Years

1.3 Restricted Ultimate (TS and LAR) Data File.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0003

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

Yes

electronic data?

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cut off when revisions to data are completed.

1.4

1.5

Retention Period Retain for 5 years, then destroy or delete when no

longer needed for reference or dissemination.

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Restricted Final (TS and LAR) Data File.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0004

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

**Disposition Instruction** 

Cutoff Instruction Cut off when revisions to data filing period is

complete.

Retention Period Retain for 5 years, then destroy or delete when no

longer needed for reference or dissemination.

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Final Panel Data File.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0005

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

**Disposition Instruction** 

Cutoff Instruction Cut off when revisions to data filing period is

complete.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer copy of the public use data with

documentation to NARA annually in accordance with

36 CFR 1228.270.

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

Every 2 Years

1.6 Ultimate Panel Data File.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0006

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

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Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

Yes

**Disposition Instruction** 

Cutoff Instruction Cut-off when revisions to data are completed.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer copy of the data with documentation to NARA annually in accordance with 36 C.F.R.

1228.270

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the National Archives?

**Every 2 Years** 

2 Reports.

> The Bureau produces aggregate and disclosure reports from the final files that interpret HMDA data as follows.

2.1 Aggregate Report.

> Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0007

**Final Disposition** Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cut-off annually.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer copy with documentation to NARA after cut

off in accordance with 36 CFR 1228.270.

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

**Every 1 Years** 

2.2 National Aggregate Report.

> Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0008

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured electronic data?

Yes

Disposition Instruction

**Cutoff Instruction** Cut-off annually.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer copy with documentation to NARA annually in accordance with 36 CFR 1228.270.

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

**Every 1 Years** 

2.3 Disclosure Statements.

> Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0009

**Final Disposition** Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

Yes

electronic data?

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cut-off annually.

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer copy of the public use data with

documentation to NARA annually in accordance with

36 CFR 1228.270.

Additional Information

2.4

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What will be the date span of the From 2017 To 2017

initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

Every 1 Years

#### Intermediate Files and Ad Hoc Files and Reports.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0010

**Final Disposition** Temporary

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

**Disposition Instruction** 

Retention Period Destroy or delete when no longer needed for

reference or dissemination.

Additional Information

**GAO** Approval Not Required

Input Files.

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0011

This item covers HMDA data submissions from lending institutions forwarded from oversight agencies to the Bureau. HMDA data are primarily sent electronically, although some paper forms are submitted occasionally. After the data are received by the Bureau, the data are extracted or manually entered into the HMDA system.

**Final Disposition Temporary** 

Item Status **Pending** 

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured electronic data? Yes

Disposition Instruction

Retention Period Destroy or delete after input data have been

transferred to the master file and verified, or when no longer needed to reconstruct or backup the master

file, whichever is later.

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Documentation.

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Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2019-0002-0012

Data systems specifications, file specifications, codebooks, record layouts, user guides, and output specifications (regardless of medium) relating to the master file, data, and electronic reports that have been scheduled as permanent in this disposition schedule.

Final Disposition Permanent

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

Yes

Disposition Instruction

Transfer to the National Archives

for Accessioning

Transfer to NARA with the related master file, data,

and/or electronic reports.

Additional Information

What will be the date span of the initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

From 2017 To 2017

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

National Archives?

**Every 1 Years** 

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#### **Agency Certification**

I hereby certify that I am authorized to act for this agency in matters pertaining to the disposition of its records and that the records proposed for disposal in this schedule are not now needed for the business of the agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified.

#### Signatory Information

Date	Action	Ву	Title	Organization
01/08/2019	Certify	Steven Coney	Records Officer	Operations Division - Administrative Office

#### **Executive Summary**

Summary

Permanent Item Numbers 0001, 0002, 0005, 0006, 0007, 0008, 0009, 0012

Federal Register Notice

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Comments Received 0

#### **Request for Records Disposition Authority**

Records Schedule Number DAA-0587-2021-0001

Schedule Status Proposed

Agency or Establishment Consumer Financial Protection Bureau

Record Group / Scheduling Group Records of the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection

Records Schedule applies to Agency-wide

Schedule Subject Nationwide Mortgage Licensing System and Registry Data

Internal agency concurrences will

be provided

No

**Background Information** 

Title V of the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008, the Secure and Fair Enforcement for Mortgage Licensing Act of 2008 (SAFE Act) required the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Federal Reserve), the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA), the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC), the Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS), and the Farm Credit Administration (FCA) to jointly develop and maintain a Federal registration system for individual employees of Agency-regulated institutions (Institutions) who engage in the business of residential mortgage loan origination. The SAFE Act requires these individual mortgage loan originators (MLOs) to register with the Nationwide Mortgage Licensing System and Registry (NMLSR or Federal Registry), obtain a unique identifier and maintain this registration. NMLSR was developed by modifying the Nationwide Mortgage Licensing System (NMLS), which is operated by the State Regulatory Registry LLC (SRR) to support the licensing of Companies, Branches and MLOs by the States.

In July 2010, the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (Dodd-Frank Act), which created the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB), amended the SAFE Act, requiring that the CFPB develop and maintain a system for registering (a) employees of a depository institution and employees of a subsidiary that is owned and controlled by a depository institution that are regulated by a Federal bank agency, or (b) employees of an institution that is regulated by the Farm Credit Administration (FCA), as registered loan originators with NMLSR (collectively, the CFPB, the Federal banking agencies, and the FCA are referred to as "Agencies").

The NMLSR, is a web-based system, that accepts, stores and provides reporting options on the registrations of MLOs who are employees of Agency-regulated institutions. The MLOs must register with NMLSR, creating a centralized repository of MLOs that are either federally registered or state licensed. As an integral part of the registration process the records created and received under the CFPB's Regulation G, the implementing rule for the SAFE Act, MLOs must furnish to NMLSR background information and fingerprints for a background check.

#### Item Count

Number of Total Disposition Items		Number of Temporary Disposition Items	Number of Withdrawn Disposition Items
1	0	1	0

**GAO** Approval

#### Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0587-2021-0001

Sequence Number	
1	Master File: Registration Data
	Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2021-0001-0001

#### Records Schedule Items

Sequence Number

1 Master File: Registration Data

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2021-0001-0001

Data elements in the NMLSR include, but are not limited to: Individual or Institution NMLSR User Account Base Record Data o Individual NMLSR User Account Base Record Data - consists of the assigned NMLS ID, Individual/MLO Name, SSN, DOB, email address, phone number) o Institution NMLSR User Account Base Record Data - consists of the assigned NMLS ID, Institution Name, IRS EIN, RSSD ID, Primary Federal Agency, Parent RSSD ID, email address, contact person name, phone number) # Registration Data – Data/information (excluding the Individual NMLSR User Account Base Record Data and the Institution User Account Base Record Data) collected for federal registration (includes all other data/information collected for federal registration—initial filing, amendments, business contact related information on non-MLO employees designated as an Institution primary contact and/or authorized to enter information into the NMLSR on behalf of the Institution, etc.)

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing? No

Disposition Instruction

Transfer to Inactive Storage N/A

Retention Period Destroy when an individual's or an institution's

NMLS&R account status is inactive for five

consecutive years

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

#### **Agency Certification**

I hereby certify that I am authorized to act for this agency in matters pertaining to the disposition of its records and that the records proposed for disposal in this schedule are not now needed for the business of the agency or will not be needed after the retention periods specified.

#### Signatory Information

Date	Action	Ву	Title	Organization
11/12/2020	Certify	Steven Coney	Records Officer	Operations Division - Administrative Office
12/03/2020	Return for Revisio n	Andreea Vlaicu	Archives Specialist	National Archives and Records Administration - Records Management Operations Appraisal Team 1
12/03/2020	Submit For Certific ation	Steven Coney	Records Officer	Operations Division - Administrative Office
12/03/2020	Certify	Steven Coney	Records Officer	Operations Division - Administrative Office

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#### **Request for Records Disposition Authority**

Records Schedule Number DAA-0587-2021-0002

Schedule Status Proposed

Agency or Establishment Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection

Record Group / Scheduling Group Records of the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection

Records Schedule applies to Agency-wide

Schedule Subject Consumer Response System 2.0

Internal agency concurrences will

be provided

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**Background Information** 

Records created and received by this office relate to the missioncritical functions and the internal administration of the Bureau required for compliance with the governing principles of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010:

- 1) Consumers are protected from unfair, deceptive, or abusive acts and practices and from discrimination;
- 2) Federal consumer financial law is enforced consistently without regard to the status of a person as a depository institution; and3) Markets for consumer financial products and services operate transparently and efficiently to facilitate access and innovation.

One of CFPB's primary functions is to collect, assess and respond to consumer complaints regarding certain financial products and services. Currently, seven Federal agencies and numerous state agencies receive these complaints. The Dodd-Frank Act directs CFPB to facilitate the centralized collection, monitoring and response to these complaints. To support these mission-critical functions, the CFPB Office of Consumer Education and External Affairs, Office of Consumer Response (CR) creates and receives records and information in paper and electronic formats in the course of CFPB interaction with consumers of financial products and financial institutions.

Through CR, the CFPB receives and, as appropriate, responds to, routes, addresses, manages, and analyzes consumer contacts through a centralized system that integrates content of and communications with consumers, regulated entities and other government agencies. CR receives consumer complaints and concerns by phone, fax, web portal, and surface mail, and captures the information in the Consumer Response System (CRS).

The Office of Consumer Response operates a Consumer Response System (CRS) which consists of a case management system, consumer call centers and online consumer web portals.

Through the CRS, the CFPB assigns a case number to each complaint and forwards complaints to the appropriate company for review and resolution via a company web portal. The company response is recorded in the CRS and provided to the consumer for review through a web portal, where the consumer has the option to dispute and comment on the resolution as reported by the company. The CRS captures of the consumer's response. Some complaints may warrant further evaluation by the CFPB, including potentially collecting additional information from the company or the consumer, and conducting additional analysis. The CFPB conducts trend and other analysis to determine if CFPB supervision or enforcement activities are warranted. The CFPB may transfer complaints to CFPB Supervision, Fair Lending, Enforcement and other offices within CFPB for additional review. The CFPB may also refer complaints to other federal or state agencies.

The CR maintains consumer contact centers, where consumers may call, fax or send mail regarding a complaint. The contact centers are operated under contract with a consultant, Maximus. Maximus maintains records of the contact centers and is governed by its contract with CFPB to appropriately create, manage and schedule records according to the CR records schedules.

The CR hosts several web portals where consumers may file a complaint, review company responses and respond to CR at predefined points of interaction in the CRS.

#### Item Count

Number of Total Disposition Items	Number of Permanent	Number of Temporary	Number of Withdrawn
	Disposition Items	Disposition Items	Disposition Items
4	1	3	0

#### **GAO** Approval

#### Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0587-2021-0002

Sequence Number	
1	CFPB Consumer Response System (CRS) Master Files Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2021-0002-0001
2	Tell Us Your Story Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2021-0002-0002
3	Quality Control Records Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2021-0002-0003
4	Outputs Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0587-2021-0002-0004

#### Records Schedule Items

Sequence Number

CFPB Consumer Response System (CRS) Master Files

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2021-0002-0001

Consumer Complaints: Data in the CRS is derived from scanned images of forms and correspondence, web intake forms, and electronic copies of responses, analysis, and other correspondence from companies and consumers. Data includes unique identifiers, codes, and descriptors categorizing each complaint or inquiry, as well as case numbers, name, address, account numbers (such as credit card and loan account numbers), Social Security Numbers (for credit reporting related complaints), company names and addresses, case resolution and investigation status, and case supervision and enforcement recommendation identifiers, among other identifiers. The CRS contains personally identifiable information (PII) and records in the CRS are subject to the Bureau's Privacy Policy, relating to PII.

Final Disposition Temporary

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

No

Yes

Disposition Instruction

Cutoff Instruction Cut off files at the end of each calendar year in which

a consumer case file is closed. "Closed" is defined as a resolution of a consumer complaint and is also defined as the transfer of a case to the CFPB Office of Supervision and Enforcement for further financial

institution supervision or enforcement action.

Retention Period Destroy 25 year(s) after cut off.

Additional Information

GAO Approval Not Required

Tell Us Your Story

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Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2021-0002-0002

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Data in the CRS is derived from on-line narratives completed by consumers, telling the CFPB about consumer financial issues and concerns. Unlike with the consumer complaint forms in the CRS, the consumer is not required to provide specific personally identifiable information) or specific financial information. The CFPB may use this feedback data for trend analysis, establishment of financial education materials, and for evaluation by the supervision and enforcement functions.

Final Disposition **Temporary** 

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than email and word processing?

Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured

electronic data?

No

**Disposition Instruction** 

**Cutoff Instruction** Cut off files at the end of each calendar year in which

the "Story" was received.

Retention Period Destroy 15 year(s) after cut off.

Additional Information

**GAO** Approval Not Required

Quality Control Records

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2021-0002-0003

Quality and consistency data that is based on CFPB analysis of CFPB responses to consumer complaints, response rates by CFPB to the consumer, response rates by financial institutions, as well as reporting and testing of staff and contractor performance. Data is used to identify improvements in written and verbal CFPB responses to consumers.

**Final Disposition** Temporary

Item Status Pending

Is this item media neutral? Yes

Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than e-

mail and word processing?

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Yes

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Do any of the records covered	No
by this item exist as structured	
electronic data?	

**Disposition Instruction** 

Cutoff Instruction Cut off files at the end of each calendar year in which

the analysis was conducted.

Retention Period Destroy 5 year(s) after cut off.

Additional Information

**GAO** Approval Not Required

Outputs

Disposition Authority Number DAA-0587-2021-0002-0004

Reports, financial trend analysis, supervision and enforcement recommendations, and other records created to meet a specific mission-critical need of the CFPB. This item does not apply to routine system queries. Mission-critical reports, analysis, supervision and enforcement recommendations, and related missioncritical records.

Final Disposition	Permanent
Item Status	Pending
Is this item media neutral?	Yes
Do any of the records covered by this item currently exist in electronic format(s) other than e- mail and word processing?	Yes
Do any of the records covered	No

Do any of the records covered by this item exist as structured electronic data?

Disposition Instruction

If this item has multiple sections, indicate here records to which this section apply

Electronic Records

**Cutoff Instruction** Cut off files at the end of each calendar year.

Transfer Electronic Records to the National Archives for Pre-Accessioning

Transfer electronic records to the National Archives for pre-accessioning 10 year(s) after Cutoff

Transfer to the National Archives for Accessioning

Transfer to the National Archives 15 year(s) after Cutoff

Additional Information

First year of records accumulation 2012

What will be the date span of the From 2012 To 2016 initial transfer of records to the

National Archives?

How frequently will your agency transfer these records to the

**Every 5 Years** 

National Archives?

	Estimated Current Volume	Annual Accumulation
Electronic/Digital	250 GB	30 GB
Paper		
Microform		
Hardcopy or Analog Special Media		

#### **Agency Certification**

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#### Signatory Information

Date	Action	Ву	Title	Organization
02/10/2021	Certify	Steven Coney	Records Officer	Operations Division - Administrative Office

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