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## STATE OF ILLINOIS STATE RECORDS COMMISSION

## APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY TO DISPOSE OF STATE RECORDS

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8 M DM-7 1 AGENCY RECOMMENDATION: Dept. of Children & Family Services DIVISION Division of Management & Rudget SUBDIVISION Office of Winancial Management I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE RECORDS DESCRIBED IN THIS APPLICATION ARE NOT NEEDED IN THE TRANSACTION OF CURRENT BUSINESS AND ARE NOT OF SUFFICIENT ADMINISTRATIVE, LEGAL, OR FISCAL VALUE TO WARRANT FURTHER PRESERVATION.

> SUBMIT ORIGINAL AND TWO COPIES TO STATE RECORDS COMMISSION WITH SAMPLES OF EACH ITEM LISTED.

> > DESCRIPTION OF ITEMS OR RECORD SERIES

ITEM NO.

GIVE TITLE, EARLIEST DATE, FILE ARRANGEMENT, VOLUME, ANNUAL ACCUMULATION, FORM NUMBERS, LEGAL REQUIREMENTS AFFECTING RETENTION, AND RECOMMENDED RETENTION PERIOD, IF MICROFILMED, THE HEAD OF THE AGENCY SHALL ATTACH A STATEMENT CERTIFYING THAT MICROFILM COPIES, MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARDS OF THE STATE RECORDS COMMISSION, WILL BE ADEQUATE SUBSTITUTES FOR THE ORIGINAL RECORDS.

ACTION TAKEN

Closed Court of Claims Case Files - (Duplicates)

Dates: 1964-

Volume: 20 Cu. Ft.

Annual Accumulation: 1 Cu. Ft.

Arrangement: Chronological and alphabetical

These duplicate case files are established and maintained for claims initiated against the State of Illinois by vendors and injured parties, and involve the Department of Children and Family Services. Principal documents contained in a case file include agency copies of complaints, claim forms, completed questionnaires and statements related to the claim, court orders, voluntary agreements, sub-orders, copies of Attorney General's briefs, opinions, notices of hearings (and appeals), transcripts, general releases, final reports of claim disposition or settlement, and pertinent correspondence.

The original Court of Claims case records are retained by the Court of Claims for a period of ten (10) years per approved Application 876-74. The Departments of Administrative Services, Mental Health & Developmental Disabilities, Commerce and Community Affairs, and the Office of the State Fire Marshal have scheduled agency copies of closed Court of Claims case files for a retention period of one (1) year after closure of case under authority of approved Application Nos. 77-119, 79-2, 79-24, Item No. 5, and 81-77, Item No. 4.

Recommendation: Retain in office for one (1) year after closure of case, then dispose of, providing all audits have been completed under supervision of the Auditor General, if necessary, and no litigation is pending nor anticipated.

Disposition Approved