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INSTRUCTIONS (General)

DEFINITIONS

As used in instructions covering this survey the term:

- 1. "Agency" means a department or independent establishment of the government.
- 2. "Organization unit" means any unit of organization of an agency which performs microfilming operations or which has an inventory of microfilm equipment, or a superior organization unit which can supply the required data covering such microfilm operations or equipment.
- 3. "Appropriation" means the appropriation financing the purchase of equipment. If several appropriations were involved, each should be listed with amount charged to each.
- 4. "Microfilm equipment" means microfilm cameras, automatic feeders, enlargers, automatic film-developing and film-printing equipment and microfilm readers used in filming and inspection processes. It does NOT include microfilm readers used solely to service an existing library of microfilm reels, or splicers, rewinders and manual type film development kits.
- 5. "Microfilm operations" includes rearrangement of records preparatory to filming, checking of accuracy of sequence of records preparatory to filming, removing staples, and mending papers preparatory to filming, insertion of special targets, filming, film developing, film inspection, retakes and splicing, carton labeling and supervision; whether performed by your organization, other organization units within your agency, other agencies, or by private business under contract.

COLUMN

- A. Enter the various types of equipment (cameras, readers, etc.) in inventory (that is equipment in use as well as in storage or on loan to other organization units as of the date the questionnaire is prepared.)
- B,C,&D. List on separate line each type, make and model of microfilm camera, automatic feeder, enlarger and automatic film-processing and film-printing equipment and readers used in filming and inspection processes.
- E. Indicate number and cost of units owned by organization unit.
- F. Indicate number and cost of units rented by organization unit.