

## Retention and Classification Report

**Agency:** United States. Department of Justice (4296)

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28816    \*Utah Territory courts files

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**SERIES:** 28816

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**TITLE:** Utah Territory courts files

**DATES:** ca. 1858-1895.

**ARRANGEMENT:** Roughly chronological.

**DESCRIPTION:**

This series contains a microfilm of files presumably in the National Archives. The files were maintained by the Justice Department and document the appointment of judges and management of the judiciary in the Territory of Utah. Documents in the series include correspondence, citizen petitions, published court opinions, newspaper clippings, and portions of case files.

**RETENTION:**

Permanent. Retain until administrative need ends

**DISPOSITION:**

Transfer to Archives.

**RETENTION AND DISPOSITION AUTHORIZATION:**

These records are in Archives' permanent custody.

**FORMAT MANAGEMENT:**

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**APPRAISAL:**

These records have historical value(s).

This series has historical value as documentation of the appointment of judges and management of the judicial system in the Utah Territory. The copy of these records held at the State Archives is not unique, but has reference value because the records are closely tied to court records held by the Archives.

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**PRIMARY DESIGNATION:**

Public