

**Reichsministerium des Innern records  
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**Descriptive summary**

Title: Reichsministerium des Innern records

Dates: 1936-1943

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Creator: Germany. Reichsministerium des Innern

Extent: 3 microfilm reels

Repository: United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Archives, 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW, Washington, DC 20024-2126

Languages: German

**Scope and content of collection**

Consists of records relating to various activities of the Reichsministerium des Innern during the Holocaust. Includes information about sterilization, abortion, racial purity, mental illness, experiments on criminals, sexual deviance, and care for wounded German civilians and wounded military personnel.

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Acquisition information: The Reichsministerium des Innern created the records during the Holocaust in several German cities. The originals are found in the Record Group 1, at the Instytut Pamięci Narodowej – Komisja Ścigania Zbrodni przeciwko Narodowi Polskiemu, in Poland.

Existence and location of originals:

The original files and the copyright to them are held by the Institute of National Remembrance - Commission for the Prosecution of Crimes against the Polish Nation (Institute of National Remembrance), ul. Wotoska 7, Warsaw 02-675, Poland. Phone no. + 48 22 581 85 00.

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Processing history: Finding aid revised by Ron Coleman, 2019.

### **System of arrangement**

Arrangement is thematic.

Records are arranged in the original order of their acquisition from the source archive. The museum has acquired only selected records from Institute of National Remembrance (Instytut Pamięci Narodowej-Komisja Ścigania Zbrodni przeciwko Narodowi Polskiemu, or IPN). More information about this collection and other materials in the possession of the Institute of National Remembrance, including archival finding aids from the Archives of the Institute of National Remembrance, is available at the website: <https://ipn.gov.pl>

### **Indexing terms**

Germany--Luftwaffe.

Germany. Reichsministerium des Innern.

Abortion.

Contraceptives.

Human experimentation in medicine.  
Mentally ill.  
Physicians.  
Racism.  
Involuntary sterilization.  
World War, 1939-1945--Women--Germany.

## **CONTAINER LIST**

### **Reel 1:**

1. Records concerning the elimination of current regulations preventing the citizenship of minor Peter Eduard Haas, son of a German woman and a Jewish man, 1936.
2. Draft of a bill concerning; the circulation of contraceptives, abortion, and sterilization, 1940-1941. 228 pp.
3. Draft of a bill concerning; the circulation of contraceptives, abortion, and sterilization, 1941. 297 pp.

### **Reel 2:**

4. Draft of a bill concerning; the circulation of contraceptives, abortion, and sterilization, 1941. 357 pp.
5. Draft of a bill concerning; the circulation of contraceptives, abortion, and sterilization, 1941. 354 pp.
6. Records concerning the elimination of sterilization measures on German citizens, children of German women and colored occupation soldiers, 1937. 31 pp.
7. Records concerning the prevention of sterilization measures on German citizen, Căcilie Borinski, the daughter of a German woman and a colored soldier of the occupational army, 1937. 7 pp.

### **Reel 3:**

8. Records of petitions concerning sterilization law, 12 October 1939 - November 1939. 373 pp.
9. Records corresponding to an ordinance from 1 July 1943, concerning the announcement and further documentation of air-raid actions, 1938-1943. 96 pp.

10. Regulations for the assessment of damage to property resulting from war or war-like actions, 1941-1943. 337 pp.
11. Records concerning losses or damages to Germans living in Poland and incorporated by Germany, 1940-1942. 34 pp.