Inventory for FOIA Request 1999-0581-F

Records on Structural Impediments Initiative (SII)

Extent
243 folders

Access
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Provenance
Official records of George Bush's presidency and vice presidency are housed at the George Bush Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processed By
Staff Archivists, June 2000. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content
The materials in FOIA 1999-0581-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials.

FOIA 1999-0581-F contains materials relating to the U.S.—Japan Structural Impediments Initiative or SII. The SII was an ongoing effort by the governments of Japan and the United States to identify the underlying causes of persistent trade imbalances and eliminate any structural rigidities and distortions.
impeding free trade. Most of the material responsive to this FOIA consists of reports, background papers, cables, memoranda, clippings, correspondence and talking points produced by U.S. negotiators during a series of meetings with Japanese trade officials.

The WHORM Alphabetical Files contains one letter from the general public concerning the United States—Japan Structural Impediments Initiative.

White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject File categories contain correspondence; memoranda; news clippings; and brochures from the general public, Congress, and the Bush administration. WHORM Subject Files CO078 and CO169 contain information on the Oriental Republic of Uruguay and Japan.

The Staff and Office Files contain correspondence, memoranda, and publications maintained by individual staff members and offices. Most of this material consists of reports, background papers, cables, memoranda, clippings, correspondence and talking points produced by U.S. negotiators during a series of meetings with Japanese trade officials.

The Quayle Vice Presidential White House Staff and Office Files contain records from the Vice Presidential Office concerning the Structural Impediments Initiative.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in four collection areas—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files; Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files; and the Quayle Vice Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files. As policy, WHORM Alphabetical Files and WHORM Subject Files are processed at the document level; whereas, Staff and Office Files are processed at the folder level, that is, individual documents are not selected and removed from a folder for processing. While this method maintains folder integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of documents that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

The WHORM Subject File compiled by the White House Office of Records Management is comprised of a series of documents assigned a letter/number combination and filed in a subject category. A complete listing of the subject categories including a detailed description of each category is available in our research room and on our website at http://bushlibrary.tamu.edu/research/find/whorm/whorm.html.

Please note that a single asterisk "*" indicates that the category is entirely processed and open.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 1999-0581-F.

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