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Inventory for FOIA Request 2003-0256-F

Records from Selected Sara DeCamp Files: Correspondence from various Middle Eastern related Interest Groups

Extent

97 folders, approximately 875 pages

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, March 2006. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections

Related collections may be found in the Office of Presidential Advance and Scheduling, the White House Press Office, and the White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) categories HU (Human Rights), RM (Religious Matters), TR (Trips), and WH (White House Administration). Related series may be found in additional series of the Office of Public Liaison, such as the Kathy Jeavons Files, the Windy White Files, and the James Schaefer Files.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2003-0256-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 2003-0256-F contains material related primarily to correspondence made between various interest groups and Sara DeCamp, Assistant Director at the White House Office of Public Liaison.

These selected White House Staff and Office Files relate exclusively to requests made by various interest groups to the White House Office of Public Liaison for presidential messages from President Bush for various awardees related to several different interest groups. Materials include biographies, correspondence letters between various White House offices, letters from various interest groups requesting a presidential message, drafts and acknowledgement letters (presidential messages) on behalf of President Bush that were distributed by the Office of Presidential Messages, memorandum, notes, fax cover sheets, newsletters and brochures, press releases, and newspaper clippings. The newspaper clippings, brochures, and press releases are usually related to the individual interest groups and were provided in their individual requests for a Presidential Message and were thought necessary for providing background information to the White House staff. Interest groups also sometimes included past presidential messages to show that they had previous presidential support in their effort to secure a new presidential message. Biographies are also sometimes included within an interest groups request for a presidential message and provide mostly non-sensitive background information about the person being recognized or awarded. White House office correspondence is primarily made between the Office of Public Liaison and Office of Presidential Messages requesting that a presidential message be drafted for an organization on behalf of President Bush.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection area—Bush Presidential Records. As policy, 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 following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2003-0256-F.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Office of Public Liaison
Sara DeCamp Files
Americans for a Safe Israel [OA/ID 01813]
National Council of Young Israel Dinner March 25/90 [OA/ID 01813]
ADL Skinheads [Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith] [OA/ID 01813]
American Forum for Jewish-Christian Cooperation [OA/ID 01813]
BAR-ILAN University, Event Honoring Robert Maxwell—March/April 1989 [OA/ID 01813]
JCRC [Jewish Community Relations Committee]—Commission on Cults and Missionaries [OA/ID 01813]
Soviet Jewish Congress [OA/ID 01813]
NJCRAC [National Jewish Community Relations Advisory Council]— P.M. [Presidential Message] 2/90 [OA/ID 01813]
November 1989—Simon Wisenthal Message [OA/ID 01813]
P.M. [Presidential Message] Ben-Gurion University Request 12/89 [OA/ID 01813] Bronx Time Capsule Message Dec. 19 [1989] [OA/ID 01813]
Presidential Message for Patrick Taylor ADL [Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith]— 12/3/89 [OA/ID 01813]
Mazon Dinner 11/30/89 [OA/ID 01813]
Emunah Women Dec. 10th/Pres. Mess. [OA/ID 01813]

Dec. 24—United Synagogue of America Youth [OA/ID 01813] Presidential Message YAD VASHEM Nov. 12th [1989] [OA/ID 01813] Anti-Defamation League Award—Pres. Message for Robert Maxwell 10/18/89 [OA/ID 01813] Jack Stein Request for P.M. [Presidential Message] 10/17 [1989] [OA/ID 01813] Jack Stein Pres. Mess.—United Synagogue of Am. [America] 6/19 [1989] [OA/ID 01813] Presidential Message (Jack Stein) May 4—American Friends of Israeli State College [OA/ID 01813] Tenzer [Honorable Herbert Tenzer] Message/Sept. '89 [OA/ID 01813-074] HIAS [Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society] P.M. [Presidential Message]-Message 9/12 [OA/ID 01813] Jewish War Veterans 8/20-27 [1989] [OA/ID 01813] ADL [Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith]—Honoring Dr. Silber 9/25/89 [OA/ID 01813] [Representative] Solarz-Rel. [Religious] Freedom 7/26-Agudath Israel [OA/ID 02457] Shirley Blumberg—B'nai B'rith [OA/ID 02457] Agudath Israel P.M. [Presidential Message] May 20, 1990 [OA/ID 02457] Pres. Message—Levi Rabinowitz May 11 [1990] [OA/ID 02457] Mayor Kolleck Statement 5/3/90 [OA/ID 02457] Pres. Message—Emanuels April 29, 1990 [EMPTY] [OA/ID 02457] B'nai B'rith Message—B'nai B'rith Women 4/26-29 [1990] [OA/ID 02457] Pres. Message—U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council [OA/ID 02457] NASSP [National Association of Secondary School Principals] Nat'l Student Leadership Week Message 4/90 [OA/ID 02457] Video Message for NAESP [National Association of Elementary School Principals] Convention April 1990 [OA/ID 02457] Passover Message 4/2 [1990] [OA/ID 02457] Greater New York Coalition for Soviet Jewry April 1 [1990] [OA/ID 02457] Zvi Kestenbaum—Opportunity Development Association—Message Request [OA/ID 02457] NJRAC [National Jewish Community Relations] [February 16, 1990] [OA/ID 02457] Pre. [Presidential] Message: Joseph Kushner—Hebrew Academy March 24, 1990 [OA/ID 02457] P.M. [Presidential Message] Synagogue of the Suburban Torah Center (Halpern) 2/11/90 [OA/ID 02457] JDC [American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee]—Schedule Proposal Meeting with the President 11/7, 8 or 10 [1989] [OA/ID 02457] Presidential Messages 5/89: American Health Care Advisory Association 5/12/89 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: American Jewish Historical Society-May 9, 1989 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Ernest Michel—American Society of Technion Isreal Instit. of Tech. 5/18 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Anti-Defamation League—May 4, 1989 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Ernest Michel—American Society for Technion Isreal 5/10/89 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Association for Help of the Retarded Children [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Christian Woman of the Year 5/18/89 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: City Kids Foundation May 5, 1989 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Dr. Ganchow-May 1989

[Ganchrow (correct spelling)] [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Richard Marriott—Jewish National Fund Dinner [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: National Medical Research Day-May 11, 1989 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: The Proprietary Association [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Special Olympics—May 19, 1989 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 5/89: Presidential Message—Temple Society of Concord [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Presidential Message—Central Conference of American Presidential Messages [OA/ID 02836] Rabbis—June 25 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: June 6-Presidential Message-Chabad of Conejo [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Lubavitch [Hebrew Academy]—Presidential Message— June 11 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: June 1—Jerusalem Reclamation Project Regretted (P.M.) [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Agudath Israel of America—Presidential Message— June 4 Event [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: June 4—Lincoln Square Synagogue [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Pres. Message—June 28— Dr. Hechenberger [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Presidential Message Honoring Mary Benfer 6/7/89—Detroit Junior League [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: David Brody Pres. Mess. ADL [Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith] 6/7/89 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Harry Benson 45th Reunion of Class of 1944—Port Arthur, TX. [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: American Society of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgeons 6/13-15 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Ambassador's Ball Presidential Message-June 11 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Prior Message Request for Peggy Tishman-NY UJA/Federation [United Jewish Appeal] [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Presidential Message for Nat'l Tournament of Academic Excellence Banquet 6/19 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: NAWBO [National Association of Women Business Owners] Message—Peggy Leonard [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Presidential Message Request for Mr. Morton Davis 6/19/89 (Breger) [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Sid Morse/Nat'l Jewish Center [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: JCRC [Jewish Community Relations Council] 6/11 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Pres. Message—Central Conference of Am. [American] Rabbis 6/25 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Pres. Message—Jerome Schottenstein 6/25 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: B'nai B'rith Rally 6/25 (missed) Southern California [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Message for Irina McClellan 7/4/89 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 6/89: Harry Benson—Pres. Mess. Thomas Jefferson H.S. [High School] [OA/ID 02836]

Presidential Messages 6/89: Presidential Message—Nat'l Assoc. of Secondary School Principals 6/29 (NASSP) [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89–3/89: Jewish Community Relations—Council of Great Philadelphia Presidential Message 2/28 Annual Dinner [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89-3/89: American Israel Friendship League Dinner-March 11 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89-3/89: National Council of Young Israel-March 22 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89–3/89: Presidential Message Honoring Malcolm Hoenlein 3/26 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89–3/89: Presidential Message—Isaac & Vera Stern 3/24 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89–3/89: FAWCO [Federation of American Women's Club Overseas]—Presidential Messages—March 12–17 [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89-3/89: Presidential Message-NO ACTION [Dr. Tom Kerns] [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89–3/89: AEPF [Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity]—UVA [University of Virginia] Fraternity—March for Soviet Jewry—March 18th [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89-3/89: Presidential Messages 3/19-3/31 Jewish National Fund—Israel [OA/ID 02836] Presidential Messages 2/89-3/89: B'nai B'rith Video Tape 3/28/89 Mosbacher [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: RAV TOV—Presidential Message April 30th [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: Nat'l Assoc. of Trade & Technical Schools—April 19 [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: Ben Mead—Federation of Jewish Holocaust— April 30 [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: American Alliance—4/19 [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: Stephen Wise Temple—April 29th [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: Museum of Judaica Miami [OA/ID 02836] Pres. Mess. 4/89: Student Coalition for Soviet Union 4/5-6 [OA/ID 02836]

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