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Inventory for FOIA Request 2004-0724-F

Records on U.S.-Panama (Quayle VP)

Extent

22 folders

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Bush Presidential Records, Bush Vice Presidential Records, and Quayle Vice Presidential Records is governed by the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)(5 USC 552 as amended) and the Presidential Records Act (PRA)(44 USC 22) and therefore records may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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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, November 2008. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections

1999-0186-F (Panama/ Operation "Just Cause"); 2004-0723-F (U.S.-Panama/ Bush VP).

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2004-0724-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 2004-0724-F contains materials from the office of Vice President Dan Quayle related to his trip to

Panama in January 1990 and meetings with Panamanian officials and opposition leaders. (Materials unrelated to topic are also included, due to the Vice President also visiting Florida, Jamaica, and Honduras during the same trip to attend the inauguration of Honduran President Raphael Leonardo Callejas and other records pertaining to the 1991 earthquake in Costa Rica and Panama.)

The Staff and Office Files contain schedules, briefing books, cables, memoranda, correspondence, speeches, talking points, and planning/ logistic materials related to the Vice President's Latin America trip. Also included are meeting notes and memoranda of conversation of meetings between the Vice President and Latin American leaders such as Presidents Callejas of Honduras, Carlos Andres Perez of Venezuela, and Costa Rican President Oscar Arias Sanchez, Prime Minister George Cadle Price of Belize, President Guillermo Endara and Vice Presidents Billy Ford and Arias Calderon of Panama, Guatemalan President Vinicio Cerezo, and others during and subsequent to the trip. In addition, the request includes copies of speeches, remarks, and toasts given by the Vice President as well as press releases and summaries of local media coverage of the 1990 trip.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection area—Quayle Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. 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 2004-0724-F.

Quayle Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Administration Office Goodling, Rob, Files-VP Travel Files Schedule of VP's trip to Panama [OA/ID 21784] Advance Office Whitney, Craig, Files—Foreign Trip Schedule Files Florida, Honduras, Panama and Jamaica [1] [OA/ID 22285] Florida, Honduras, Panama and Jamaica [2] [OA/ID 22285] Florida, Honduras, Panama and Jamaica [3] [OA/ID 22285] Mrs. Quayle's Office Steuart, Cynthia J., Files—Events Files Costa Rica/Panama Quake 4/22/91 No MTQ Partic. [OA/ID 22147] Washington, Carolyn R., Files—Residence Event Files May 1, 1990 Endara Breakfast [OA/ID 22129] National Security Affairs Office **Country Files** Panama [1] [OA/ID 27031] Panama [2] [OA/ID 27031] Panama [3] [OA/ID 27031] Foreign Travel Files 1/27-29/90 – VP Trip to Hondruas, Panama, and Jamaica [1] 1/27-29/90 – VP Trip to Hondruas, Panama, and Jamaica [2]

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Meetings Files

3/23/90 VP Meetings – Vice President Billy Ford, Panama [OA/ID 27010]
5/1/90 VP Meetings – Panamanian President Guillermo Endara [OA/ID 27010]
10/5/89 VP Meeting/Event – Panamanian Opposition Vice Presidential Candidate Billy Ford [OA/ID 27011]
5/2/91 VP Meetings – Meetings – Meeting with Panamanian VP Billy Ford [OA/ID 27022]
11/27/90 VP Meetings – Ricardo Arias Calderon [OA/ID 27023]

Staff Secretary, Office of the

Trip Files

Panama, 1/27/90-1/29/90 [OA/ID 21854]

Willis, Dacia, Files—Administrative Files Panama Material Requested 2-8-[19]90 [OA/ID 22371]

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