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Inventory for FOIA Request 2004-1676-F

Selected Records on Indonesia

Extent

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

Related Collections

Related material may be found in FOIA request 2004-1596-F entitled "Selected Records on U.S. Ambassadors to Indonesia"

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2004-1676-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 2004-1676-F contains materials from the National Security Council. There were various issues taking place with Indonesia during the Bush Administration. Specifically, there was a reported massacre of mourners in a cemetery of E. Timor by Indonesian military believed to be politically motivated and discussions of the Agreement for Cooperation Between the United States of America and the Republic of Indonesia Concerning Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy.

People of interest:

Timothy Carney—Member of the National Security Council as Director of Asian Affairs during the Bush Administration with a specialty in South Asia

Wisber Loeis—Director General for Foreign Economic Relations, Republic of Indonesia

John C. Monjo—United States Ambassador to Indonesia, 1989-1992

Torkel Patterson—Member of the National Security Council as Director of Asian Affairs during the Bush Administration with a specialty in Japan and Korea

President Soeharto [Suharto]—(June 8, 1921–January 27, 2008)—The 2nd President of Indonesia (1968–1998)

Terms of interest:

CGI—Consultative Group for Indonesia

IGGI—Inter-Governmental Group on Indonesia (a Donor Consortium)

IMET—International Military Education & Training

INGI—International NGO Forum on Indonesia

NPT—Treat on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons

The Staff and Office Files contain cables, correspondence, coversheets, a list, memos, notes, printed material, reports, and statements. These materials consist of cables regarding factual information on Indonesian projects; correspondence from U.S. Senators to James A. Baker, III regarding the murder of unarmed Indonesian (E. Timor) civilians by Indonesian troops and a draft reply from White House Staff Janet Mullins, letters between United States Ambassador Monjo and Director General for Foreign Economic Relations, Republic of Indonesia Wisber Loeis and between Ivan Selin of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and President Bush regarding the Agreement for Cooperation Between the United States of America and the Republic of Indonesia Concerning Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy, requests for appointments or interviews, for assistance on international business and educational issues, and between the Indonesian newspaper Kompas and staff regarding interview questions and responses; coversheets, such as Department of State fax and routing slips, NSC Profile, Referral Sheets, Action Data Summary Reports, and Staffing slips, and White House Staffing memos; a list of meeting participants; memos between White House staff and President Bush regarding the Agreement for Cooperation Between the United States of America and the Republic of Indonesia Concerning Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy, and forwarding other correspondence; notes having to do with the subject matter of attachments, and forwarding other correspondence; printed material, such as the published version of the "Atomic Energy: Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy, Agreement Between the United States of America and Indonesia, 1980," and the House Appropriation Committee Report on Indonesia and East Timor, published congressional testimonies on human rights, and newspaper articles regarding the massacre in East Timor; reports, which include widely-distributed faxes from Amnesty International on the political situation in East Timor and the murder and arrest of civilians by the Indonesia military and government; and statements by Henrietta Holsman Fore to the United States of America Consultative Group for Indonesia, and President Bush's statement to the Congress regarding the Agreement for Cooperation Between the United States of America and the Republic of Indonesia Concerning Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection area—Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. 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 2004-1676-F.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

National Security Office

Timothy M. Carney Files—Subject Files

ID [Indonesia] [OA/ID CF01047]

Indonesia—1991—PREL/PGOV/ETRD/PHUM [OA/ID CF01048]

Torkel Patterson Files—Country Files

Indonesia—General 1991 [OA/ID CF01040]

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