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Inventory for FOIA Request 2005-0337-F

Records on the Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) [Bush Vice Presidential]

Extent

4 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, June 2010. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections

Related material may be found in FOIA request 2005-0334-F entitled "President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST)," 2005-0335-F entitled "President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST) – Quayle Vice Presidential Records," 2005-0336-F entitled "Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP)," and 2005-0338-F entitled "Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) – Quayle Vice Presidential Records."

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2005-0337-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 2005-0337-F contains cover sheets which route other correspondence, and correspondence between White House staff, OSTP staff, and citizens related to the OSTP budget, personnel issues, and the establishment of a science advisory group. Also included are thank you letters and biographies of OSTP members.

It should be noted that some of the documents listed here are security classified and have been closed under the restrictions of the Freedom of Information Act.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found two collection areas – Bush Vice Presidential Records: WHORM Name Files, and Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. As policy, WHORM Alphabetical Files are processed at the document level. 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 folders processed in response to FOIA 2005-0337-F.

Bush Vice Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files

Name

Bromley, D. Allan

Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Chief of Staff, Office of the

Bond, Richard N., Files

Briefing Material for the Vice President: [Alert: Tentative Budget Decisions RE: Dept. of HHS and Office of Science and Technology Policy, [TVA, DOE, Department of the Interior, RR Board and D.C. Appropriation Bill] 11/25 and 30/1981] [OA/ID 15371]

Fuller, Craig L., Files
Science Advisory Group [OA/ID 14281]

National Security Affairs, Office of

Gregg, Donald P., Files

June 1984: Dr. Jay Keyworth, Science Advisor to the President, June 28, 1984 [OA/ID 19776]

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