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Inventory for FOIA Request 2005-1036-F

Records on Veto Threats

Extent

55 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, March 2008. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2005-1036-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 2005-1036-F contains materials related to proposed Congressional legislation (or parts thereof) that the President and/ or his advisors recommended or indicated he would veto if passed.

White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject File categories veto recommendations/ threats regarding proposed legislation from the U.S. Congress. Nearly the entirety of the materials consists of Office of Management and Budget Statements of Administration Policy (SAP's) which discuss the various pieces of legislation (or specific aspects thereof) and the reasons that the President's staff

advisors would or did recommend the President veto the legislation. Topics include Most Favored Nation trade status (MFN) for China; Haitian Refugee Protection Act; DOD Authorization Provision; Rural Electrification Administration Improvement Act; Telecommunications Equipment, Research and Manufacturing Competition Act; Bill Granting D. C. Statehood; D. C. Appropriations Bill (abortion funding); RTC Refinancing and Restructuring Act of 1991; Foreign Operations Appropriations Bill; International Cooperation Act of 1991; Repeal of the Hatch Act; Motor Voter; Trade Expansion Act of 1992; Miscellaneous Tariff Act of 1992; National Institutes of Health Revitalization Amendments of 1991; Older Americans Act Amendments of 1991; Family and Medical Leave Act of 1991; World Implementation Act of 1991; Health Care Liability Reform and Quality of Care Improvement Act of 1991; Women's Business Development Act; Child Abuse, Domestic Violence, Adoption and Family Service Act of 1992; National Institutes of Health Reauthorization Act; Cherokee, Choctaw, and Chickasaw Nations of Oklahoma Claims Act of 1992; Comprehensive Occupational Safety and Health Reform Act; and Voting Rights Extension Act, etc. Also included are lists of outstanding veto threats, proposed language for signing statements of approved legislation, letters explaining administration positions/ threats to the chairmen of the related House and Senate committees, routine memoranda regarding the request for comments from the various Executive Office of the President departments, and routine transmittal memoranda.

The WHORM Alphabetical Files contain letters from the general public concerning USIA policies, and several notes between Bruce Gelb and President and Mrs. Bush.

The Staff and Office Files contain materials similar to those found in the WHORM Subject File records.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in two collection areas—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files and Bush 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. WHORM Subject and WHORM Alphabetical Files are processed at the document level. 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 2005-1036-F.

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files

Category	Case Number
AG*	Scanned: Case Number 283841CU
AT	Scanned: Case Number 169512CU
BE001*	Scanned: Case Numbers 234414SS, 277764CU, 277764SS, 334843CU, 334843SS
BE003-04*	Scanned: Case Number 330980CU
BE003-06*	Scanned: Case Number 283841SS
BE004*	Scanned: 310277SS

CM003*	Scanned: Case Numbers 335211CU, 335211SS
CO034	Scanned: Case Numbers 262197SS, 337199CU
CO054-02	Scanned: Case Number 348764CU
CO064	Scanned: Case Numbers 292693CU, 312762CU
DI*	Scanned: Case Numbers 332357CU, 339029CU
DI002*	Scanned: Case Numbers 280366CU, 280366SS, 331710CU, 351508CU
ED*	Scanned: Case Numbers 251035CU, 251035SS, 282027SS, 282629CU, 292630SS, 300552CU, 300552SS, 312588SS, 313237, 343792CU
ED001*	Scanned: Case Number 289349CU
FA*	Scanned: Case Number 330322CU
FE010-01*	Scanned: Case Numbers 288402SS, 343466CU
FG006-01*	Scanned: Case Number 335042
FG013	Scanned: Case Number 352808CU
FG019-09	Scanned: Case Number 340579CU
FG022-10*	Scanned: Case Number 258901CU, 341921CU
FG033-23	Scanned: Case Numbers 262393CU, 262393SS
FG114	Scanned: Case Numbers 316795CU, 335844CU, 335844SS, 349869CU
FG168	Scanned: Case Numbers 335896CU, 335896SS
FG185	Scanned: Case Numbers 321539CU, 322420CU
FG479	Scanned: Case Numbers 283840CU, 283840SS
FI*	Scanned: Case Numbers 340163CU, 340163SS
FI001-01*	Scanned: Case Number 339014CU
FI001-02*	Scanned: Case Number 343166CU
FI003*	Scanned: Case Number 343981CU
FI004*	Scanned: Case Numbers 271771CU, 271771SS, 278409CU, 278409SS, 278415CU, 278415SS, 282150CU, 282544SS, 285410CU, 288269SS, 291309SS, 292629SS, 305910CU, 305910SS, 311519CU, 312589SS, 334546CU, 334974CU, 334974SS, 336926CU, 336926SS, 337887CU, 339747CU, 339747SS, 343461CU, 343485CU, 343667CU, 349265CU, 349291CU, 350893SS, 352882CU

FI005-02*	Scanned: Case Number 332605CU
FI010*	Scanned: Case Numbers 288849CU, 340578CU, 343156CU
FI010-02*	Scanned: Case Number 288849SS
FO	Scanned: Case Number 334546SS
FO003-02	Scanned: Case Numbers 138919, 257764CU, 257764SS, 269906CU, 269906SS, 270055CU, 354060CU
HE*	Scanned: Case Numbers 318685CU, 335609CU, 335609SS
HE005*	Scanned: Case Numbers 257082CU, 267881SS
HE007*	Scanned: Case Number 320619CU
HI*	Scanned: Case Numbers 280024CU, 280024SS
HS*	Scanned: Case Number 343168CU
HU020*	Scanned: Case Number 336956SS
IS001*	Scanned: Case Numbers 258605SS, 281244CU, 281244SS, 286347CU, 286347SS, 333186CU, 335185CU
JL002*	Scanned: Case Number 090948CU
JL002-02*	Scanned: Case Number 344457CU
JL003*	Scanned: Case Numbers 230131SS, 250096SS, 277365SS
JL003-01*	Scanned: Case Number 344445CU
JL007*	Scanned: Case Numbers 319005CU, 325552CU
LA002*	Scanned: Case Number 331697CU
LA005*	Scanned: Case Numbers 238568SS, 273210CU, 273682SS, 333035CU
LA006*	Scanned: Case Numbers 273417, 273417CU, 273417SS, 289522CU, 289522SS, 343157CU
LA007*	Scanned: Case Number 329504CU
LE*	Scanned: Case Numbers 351960CU, 353149CU
LE002*	Scanned: Case Numbers 234414CU, 234419CU, 234500CU, 253253CU, 310277CU, 310920CU, 310920SS, 314676CU, 314676SS, 350893CU, 351559CU
ND	Scanned: Case Numbers 175135SS, 332219CU

ND016 Scanned: Case Numbers 289447SS, 292623SS, 312762SS

NR* Scanned: Case Number 270102CU

PE001-01 Scanned: Case Number 312132CU

PL002 Scanned: Case Number 288734SS

PL008 Scanned: Case Numbers 332739CU, 332922CU, 340145CU

PR015-01 Scanned: Case Number 234419SS

SA003* Scanned: Case Numbers 330988CU, 332920CU, 344379CU

SC* Scanned: Case Number 286721CU

TA Scanned: Case Numbers 333127CU, 336849CU, 336849SS, 347776CU

TA003 Scanned: Case Numbers 282169CU, 284744SS, 330320CU, 353560CU

TA004 Scanned: Case Number 341920CU

TA005* Scanned: Case Number 260072CU

TN* Scanned: Case Numbers 257124CU, 258603SS

TN004* Scanned: Case Number 043001CU

UT* Scanned: Case Numbers 286940SS, 329725CU, 342536CU

UT001* Scanned: Case Number 314099CU

UT001-01* Scanned: Case Numbers 302006SS, 343415CU

UT001-02* Scanned: Case Number 302006CU

WE* Scanned: Case Number 343167CU

WE003* Scanned: Case Numbers 324201CU, 336956CU, 340577CU

WE005* Scanned: Case Numbers 275109CU, 275109SS, 291368SS

WE007* Scanned: Case Numbers 245496CU, 245496SS, 257770SS

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Counsels Office, White House
 Liberman, Lee S., Files—General Subject Files
 1992 Veto Threats [OA/ID 45291]

Rehnquist, Janet, Files—Subject Files

Legislation: Miscellaneous Legislative Referral memos (Includes SAPs [Statement of Administration Policy] and Veto Threats) [1] [OA/ID 45586]
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Legislation: Miscellaneous Legislative Referral memos (Includes SAPs [Statement of Administration Policy] and Veto Threats) [5] [OA/ID 45586]

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of
Miscellaneous Files
Outstanding Veto Threats [OA/ID 08633]

Policy Development, White House Office of
Charles, Bobby, Files
Voting Rights – Presley Bill (Veto Threat) [OA/ID 07346]

Gorman, Teresa, Files
[S. 1220: Veto threat on the National Energy Strategy Security Act] [OA/ID 07656]

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