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Inventory for FOIA Request 2005-1464-F

Records on Timothy E. Flanigan

Extent

13 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, March 2009. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2005-1464-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 2005-1464-F contains materials relating to the activities of Timothy E. Flanigan. Flanigan, a lawyer from Virginia, was Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General with the Office of Legal Counsel in the Department of Justice from 1990-1992. He was made Assistant Attorney General in the same office in April 1992.

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Alphabetical File contains a form letter from the White House Office of Presidential Personnel regarding retention of computer records.

The WHORM Subject File categories contain executive order drafts, fact sheets, letters, memoranda, notes, press releases, resumes, and routing forms. From subcategories dealing with federal government organizations, foreign affairs, and personnel management, the documents include memoranda regarding a proposed executive order on recording contacts with the Executive Branch; letters from Flanigan at the Office of Legal Counsel giving legal opinions on questions such as making recess appointments, the corporate existence of the Legal Services Corporation, and the constitutionality of various legislation; materials regarding Flanigan's appointment to be Assistant Attorney General; letters recommending Flanigan for positions; and resumes of colleagues that Flanigan forwarded.

The Staff and Office Files contain forms, memoranda, and resumes relating to Flanigan's appointment as Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice. Additionally, there is correspondence from the United States Postal Service regarding lawsuits.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in three collection areas—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files; Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; and Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. As policy, WHORM Alphabetical Files and WHORM Subject 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 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 2005-1464-F.

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files

Name

Flanigan, Timothy

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files

| Category | Case Number |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| DI* | Scanned: Case Number 326525CU |
| ED* | Scanned: Case Number 293915CU |
| FE002* | Scanned: Case Number 327897CU |
| FG005 | C.F.: Case Number 316475SS |
| FG011 | Scanned: Case Number 364797CU |

FG017-07 Scanned: Case Number 321030SS
FG130 Scanned: Case Number 265045CU
FG168 Scanned: Case Number 185564CU
FG480 Scanned: Case Number 300327CU
FI001-03* Scanned: Case Number 184746CU
FI002* Scanned: Case Number 282640CU
FI010* Scanned: Case Number 356177CU
FO008-03 Scanned: Case Number 318697CU
HE007-01* Scanned: Case Numbers 286588CU, 324123CU
JL003* Scanned: Case Number 364039SS
PE002 Scanned: Case Numbers 299454CU, 329627CU
PE008 Scanned: Case Number 336959CU

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Counsel's Office

Appointment Files

Assistant Attorney General for Legal Counsel Timothy Elliott Flanigan Department of Justice [OA/ID 20122]

C. Boyden Gray Files—Miscellaneous Files

[Letter from Mary S. Elcano (USPS) to Tim Flanigan re: Counter Proposal for Discussion on Settlement in Terms of Lawsuits - January 13, 1993] [OA/ID 45045]

Mark Paoletta Files—Resume Files

Flanigan, Tim [OA/ID 45559]

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