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Inventory for FOIA Request 2006-1149-F

Records on Catholic Issues

Extent

21 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 2006. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2006-1149-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 2006-1149-F contains materials from White House Staff and Office Files regarding Catholic issues during the Bush administration.

The Staff and Office Files contain correspondence, memoranda, and publications maintained by individual staff members and offices. These materials are from the White House Counsels Office, National Security Council, White House Office of Policy Development, and the White House Office of Political Affairs. The correspondence consists of routine correspondence between White House staff to other staff members. This includes correspondence regarding meeting dates between Phillip Brady and Doug Wead (Special Assistant to the President,) as well as, various Catholic leaders to White House staff members. The memoranda consist of routine memoranda between White House staff members to the President and other staff members, such as, a memo from C. Boyden Gray to the President regarding Data on Catholic and Public High Schools. There are publications regarding Catholic education issues, as well as other Catholic issues addressed by the New York Times and the Washington Post. There are also Catholic publications in this FOIA, such as, CGA (Catholic Golden Age) World, Momentum: Journal of the National Catholic Educational Association, National Center for Education Statistics by the U.S. Department of Education, and newsletters by the United States Catholic Conference.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection area—Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. As policy, WHORM Alphabetical Files and WHORM Subject Files are processed at the document level; whereas, 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.

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 2006-1149-F.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Counsels Office

Mark Paoletta—Subject Files
Catholic Issues [OA/ID 45562]

National Security Council

John A. Gordon—Subject Files
Catholic Conference—October 1992 [OA/ID CF01587]

Policy Development

Charles E.M. Kolb Files
US Catholic Conference [OA/ID 06836]

Johannes Kuttner Files
Catholics [OA/ID 06977]

Political Affairs

Ron Kaufman Files
Catholic Conference [OA/ID 06498]

Public Liaison

Bobbie Kilberg Files
U.S. Catholic Conference News 5/15/89 [OA/ID 07452]
U.S. Catholic Conference News Release May 16, 1989 [OA/ID 07452]

Jane Leonard Files

Catholics [OA/ID 07786]

Catholics [OA/ID 07786]

Catholics: Catholics [General] [OA/ID 07786]

Lists—Issues/Catholics/Outreach [OA/ID 07786]

New Catholic Contacts [OA/ID 07786]

Catholics: November 14, 1991 Catholics / Seniors Event Bill Caldwell [OA/ID 07786]

Catholics: Catholics [1992 Campaign] [OA/ID 07786]

Leigh Ann Metzger Files

Catholic Bishops Photo op 3/22/90 [OA/ID 03768]

Catholics [OA/ID 06888]

Catholic Bishops [OA/ID 07162]

Catholic Conference [OA/ID 07162]

Roman Catholic Church [OA/ID 07162]

Catholic News [empty] [OA/ID 07162]

Jeff Vogt Files

Catholics [OA/ID 07146]

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