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Inventory for FOIA Request 2010-0625-F

Records on Catto, Henry E. (Ambassador)

Extent

189 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, February 2011. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections

Freedom of Information requests 1998-0001-F, entitled 'United States Information Agency (USIA)'; 2002-2038-F, 'NATO Summit – London'; 2003-0366-F, 'Margaret Thatcher (Prime Minister of the United Kingdom)'; 2003-0370-F, 'Summit: NATO Heads of State at London, United Kingdom - July 5-6, 1990 (Additional)'; 2003-0367-F, 'Meeting: President George Bush and Margaret Thatcher at London, England - May 31, 1989'.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2010-0625-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 2010-0625-F contains materials from agencies and individuals pertaining to Henry Catto who served as the Ambassador to the Court of St. James (United Kingdom) and the Director of the United States Information Agency (USIA) which is responsible for the US government's overseas information and cultural programs—including the Voice of America (VOA).

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Alphabetical Files contain letters from Mr. Catto and his wife Jessica to George and Barbara Bush (who were long-time personal friends).

The WHORM Subject File categories contain memoranda from Catto pertaining to VOA operations and prospects for Asia and Eastern Europe; reports by Catto of his official travels to Asia (including China, South Korea, and India among others) in his capacity as Director of the USIA; correspondence from Mr. and Mrs. Catto to President and Mrs. Bush; letters of instruction from the President to newly-appointed chiefs of mission at U.S. embassies around the world; and materials related to gifts given to President Bush from citizens of Great Britain.

The Staff and Office Files contain memoranda, correspondence, and schedules of meetings between Catto and the President pertaining to USIA/ VOA operations and U.S.-U.K. relations; a report on the USIA Strategic Goals Statement and reports of Catto's trips to India and Pakistan; presidential speech/ remarks for celebration of the 40th Anniversary of the Aspen Institute; personnel/ nomination files related to Catto's appointments; correspondence between the Cattos and the President and First Lady; and memoranda and letters related to gifts received by the President.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in seven collection areas—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files; Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files; Bush Vice Presidential Records: Name Files; Bush Vice Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files and Quayle Vice 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 2010-0625-F.

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files

Catto, Henry

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files

Category	Case Number
AR*	Scanned: Case Number 360787
CA001*	Scanned: Case Number 027939
CO003*	Scanned: Case Numbers 254528, 254660
CO054	C.F.: Case Number 257057
FA*	C.F.: Case Number 300115
FG001-06*	Scanned: Case Numbers 289874, 303266, 304020
FG001-08*	Scanned: Case Number 036996CU
FG006-01*	Scanned: Case Number 299328
FG006-03*	Scanned: Case Number 176907
FG006-06	Scanned: Case Numbers 016706, 024343 C.F.: Case Number 314472, 323023
FG011	Scanned: Case Number 017932
FG065*	Scanned: Case Number 289364SS
FG298*	Scanned: Case Numbers 218640SS, 224301, 236366SS, 243743, 286937, 298447CU, 306594, 312836, 352179, 355360
FG298*	C.F.: Case Numbers 259390, 262559, 299350, 300013
FG298-01*	C.F.: Case Number 324024
FG399	Scanned: Case Number 250303SS
FI005*	Scanned: Case Number 296952SS
FO002	Scanned: Case Numbers 006642SS, 014671SS, 109286, 173681SS[1], 173681SS[2], 173681SS[3], 173681SS[4], 191790, 222511, 222719, 286874SS
FO003-02	C.F.: Case Number 321422
FO005-03	Scanned: Case Number 305010
FO006-01*	C.F.: Case Number 056661SS
FO008-01	Scanned: Case Number 358636
FO008-02	Scanned: Case Numbers 271337, 271337SS

GI001	Scanned: Case Number 314326
GI002	Scanned: Case Numbers 144264, 262962
HE005*	Scanned: Case Number 170422
HU040*	C.F.: Case Number 257197
IV092*	Scanned: Case Numbers 297685, 367852
ME001*	Scanned: Case Numbers 115715, 181094CU
ME001-02*	Scanned: Case Number 196717
ME001-03*	Scanned: Case Number 300210
ND007-06	Scanned: Case Number 304849
PE008-02*	Scanned: Case Number 010935
PL	Scanned: Case Numbers 360246, 362343
PP	Scanned: Case Number 016651
	Unscanned: Case Number 094789
PP005-01	Scanned: Case Numbers 265285, 273510, 300241, 300949, 318346, 346770
PP009	C.F.: Case Number 137783
PP010-02	Scanned: Case Number 365336
PP012-03	Scanned: Case Number 180791
PP012-05	Scanned: Case Number 289272
PR005	Scanned: Case Numbers 026594, 161108, 344295
	Unscanned: Case Number 056400
PR007	Scanned: Case Number 329066
PR009	C.F.: Case Number 137783SS
PR013-06	Scanned: Case Number 072891
PU	Scanned: Case Number 135682
	Unscanned: Case Number 174264
PR015-01	Scanned: Case Number 269570
PU001	Scanned: Case Number 332571

SO003* Unscanned: Case Number 115715SS

SP* Scanned: Case Number 242519CU

SP230-90* Scanned: Case Number 117802

SP795* Scanned: Case Number 242519SS

ST043* Unscanned: Case Number 049251

TR021-04* Scanned: Case Numbers 051808, 300374

TR077* Scanned: Case Number 178121

WE* Scanned: Case Number 092054

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Cabinet Affairs, White House Office of
 Jackson, Michael P., Files—Event Files
 Swearing-in of Henry Catto [OA/ID 06382]

Counsels Office, White House
 Appointment Files
 Director Henry Edward Catto U.S. Information Agency [OA/ID 20110]

First Lady, Office of, Scheduling
 Brock, Ann, Files
 Lunch with Jessica Catto – 4/20/89 – Residence [OA/ID 00610]
 Private Lunch with Jessica Catto – 5/17/91 – Catto Residence, McLean,
 VA [OA/ID 04371]

National Security Council
 NSC Confidential Files

9103290	9202496	9206149
9105565	9203048	9206204
9106519	9203944	9207343

NSC Intel (IFG, IFM, NS) Files

9120315
9120897
9220436
9220675

NSC Numbered Files

8908235	9104497	9107068
9000186	9104498	9107084
9003424	9104812	9107494
9005821	9105990	9107553
9102196	9106438	9107942
9103724	9106913	9107990
9104131	9107002	9108705

9108880	9201422	9205448
9109372	9201854	9206117
9109474	9202024	9206194
9200140	9202359	9206712
9200203	9203048	9206739
9200520	9203168	9208162
9200802	9203864	9208924
9200992	9204660	

NSC PRS Files

9201011
 9200268
 9205344
 9206398
 9207187

National Service, White House Office of
 Miller, Theresa A., Files

H.E. Catto, Frederick M. Bush, Jack J. Valenti – World Song [OA/ID 08227]

Personnel, White House Office of
 Bullock, Katja, Files

Murphy/Catto Letter [OA/ID 08687]

Bush Vice Presidential Records: Name File

Catto, Henry E.
 Catto, Jessica

Bush Vice Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files

FG038 (Post '85)	Case Number: 330913VP
FG080 (Post '85)	Case Number: 375011VP
HE006	Case Number: 447775VP
HU021	Case Number: 462868VP
PE002 (Post '85)	Case Number: 442855VP
PL	Case Number: 481281VP

Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Mrs. Bush's Office

Bush, Barbara, Files—Event Files

Lunch with Jessica Catto, Friday, December 11, 1987, 12:00 noon, Restorante Primavera, D.C. [OA/ID 10052]

Private Dinner at Henry Cattsos, Friday, July 10, 1981, 7:30 p.m., Catto Residence [OA/ID 10083]

George Bush For President Fundraising Dinner, Thursday, April 2, 1987, 7:30 p.m. (?), Catto's residence in Virginia, 7:30 p.m. [OA/ID 20965]

Luncheon w/ Mrs. Catto, Friday, March 6, 1981, 12:20 p.m., Germaine's [OA/ID 21012]
Dinner with Henry and Jessica Catto, Wednesday, March 2, 1983, 7:00 p.m.,
 Germaine's [OA/ID 21017]
YWCA Fair, Friday, December 4, 1981, 10:30 a.m., D.C. Lunch with Jessica Catto,
 December 4, 1981, 12:30 p.m., Germaine's, D.C. [OA/ID 21022]
Lunch with Jessica Catto, Friday, December 4, 1981, 12:30 p.m.,
 Germaine's D.C. [OA/ID 21022]
Lunch with Mrs. Henry Catto, Friday, December 3, 1982, 12:00 noon, Vice President's
 House [OA/ID 21024]
Luncheon with Mrs. Jessica Catto, Thursday, March 11, 1982, 1:00 p.m. [OA/ID 21048]

Bush, Barbara, Files—Schedule Files

 Mrs. Bush's Schedule: December 3, 1982 [Radio interview with Eileen Curtis, WGMS
 Radio, Lunch with Mrs. Henry Catto, Reception for out-of-town Guests Attending
 the National Symphony Ball] [OA/ID 10106]

Operations, Administration, and Staff Secretary, Office of
 Collamore, Thomas J., Files—Personnel Files
 Catto, Henry [OA/ID 14413]

Quayle Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

National Security Affairs Office

 Meetings Files

 11/1/89 VP Meeting/Event – U.S. Ambassador to the Court of St. James (UK) Henry
 Catto [OA/ID 27011]
 2/8/89 VP Meeting/Event – Amb-des to UK Henry E. Catto [OA/ID 27026]
 7/8/92 VP Meetings – Ambassador Henry Catto [OA/ID 27041]

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