



## George Bush Presidential Library

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### Inventory for FOIA Request 2010-2615-F

## Records on WHORM Subject File CO (Countries)

#### **Extent**

211 folders

#### **Access**

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Bush 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 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, September 2010. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

#### **Scope and Content**

The materials in FOIA 2010-2615-F are a systematically processed body of documents from the White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject File category CO. The documents to be opened are cover sheets, correspondence, talking points, and reports. These materials consist of correspondence between President George Bush and foreign heads of state and of documents related to the presentation of diplomatic credentials of new ambassadors.

The correspondence with foreign heads of state thanks President Bush for his hospitality during state visits, for assistance following natural disasters, for letters of congratulations for elections and various

national holidays and celebrations, and for condolences sent for various events. The head of state correspondence also includes invitations for President Bush to visit various countries, attend inaugurations and independence celebrations, and participate in conferences and councils. Also included are reports and messages, such as a statement from Pope John Paul II on the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the World Day of Peace.

The material related to the presentation of diplomatic credentials includes letters of credence for new ambassadors and letters of recall for their predecessors, letters and remarks from new ambassadors given during the welcome visit with President Bush, President Bush's remarks to the new ambassadors, and Department of State Country Background Notes for the various countries the ambassadors represent.

It should be noted that a significant number 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 in Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files.

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>.

The following is a list of folders processed in response to FOIA 2010-2615-F.

### **Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files**

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