Inventory for FOIA Request 2011-0297-F

Selected R. Nicholas Burns and Ed A. Hewett Subject Files

Extent
15 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, May 2011. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections

Scope and Content
The materials in FOIA 2011-0297-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 2011-0297-F contains materials from the Subject Files of National Security Council members R. Nicholas Burns and Ed A. Hewett concerned primarily with U.S. relations with Russia and the other Former Soviet Republics.

The Staff and Office Files contain memoranda, correspondence, reports, cables, and meeting agendas pertaining to U.S. relations with the Soviet Union and (later) the Former Soviet Republics, especially Ukraine. Included are discussions and conclusions regarding trade, diplomatic relations, military-to-military contacts/ cooperation, and issues related to the residual Soviet nuclear materials in the republics following the disintegration of the Soviet Union.

(A portion of the records in this request have been closed due to national security restrictions. These records will be added to the request if and when they are released.)

System of Arrangement
Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection area—Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files. 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 2011-0297-F.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

National Security Council
Burns, R. Nicholas, Files and Hewett, Ed, Files—Subject Files
DC [Deputies Committee] Meeting November 6, 1992 re: U.S. Policy Toward Russia [OA/ID CF01421]
3.0.0 – Soviet Foreign Policy [OA/ID CF01430]
3.1.0 – Soviet Foreign Policy: Western Europe [OA/ID CF01430]
3.2.0 – Soviet Foreign Policy: Japan [OA/ID CF01430]
3.3.0 – Soviet Foreign Policy: U.S. [OA/ID CF01430]
5.0.0 – Eastern Europe [OA/ID CF01536]
[Soviet] Policy Group Meetings 1991: March 27, [1991] [re: U.S. Policy Toward USSR] [OA/ID CF01599]
[Soviet] Policy Group Meetings 1992 [1] [OA/ID CF01599]