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### Inventory for FOIA Request 2012-1099-F

## Selected Files on US-China Business Relations and Most Favored Nation Status for China Bush Vice Presidential Records

#### Extent

72 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, August 2012. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

#### Related Collections

Related material may be found in the following FOIA requests:

- 2000-0116-F – U.S.-China Relations
- 2000-0949-F – Trip: President Bush's Trip to Beijing, China (February 25-26, 1989)

- 2000-0950-F – Tiananmen Square (Selected Files)
- 2008-0130-F – Tiananmen Square (Additional)
- 2012-1098-F – Selected Files on US-China Business Relations and Most Favored Nation Status for China: Bush Presidential Records

### **Scope and Content**

The materials in FOIA 2012-1099-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of documents related to US-China Business Relations and Most Favored Nation (MFN) Status for China.

FOIA 2012-1099-F contains correspondence, press releases, printed material, schedules, and speeches related to Vice President Bush's travel to China and meetings with Chinese government leaders and US business leaders associated with China.

Internal White House correspondence routes other documents and organizes the administrative details of vice presidential travel, meetings, and scheduling. Correspondence with foreign government officials includes social exchanges (such as thank you, congratulatory, and birthday messages) as well as invitations and thank you messages from private citizens and business leaders.

Also included are press releases on US-China relations, US policy toward China, and VP Bush visits to China; printed material from domestic and international newspapers regarding VP Bush visits to China, US-Chinese diplomatic relations, and US non-government educational programs in China; schedules of VP and Mrs. Bush's travels in China; and toasts, arrival and departure statements, and press conferences by Vice President Bush.

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 the following collection area—Bush Vice 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.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2012-1099-F.

### **Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files**

#### Advance Office

Keller, John, Files—Trip Files, Domestic

Lunch with AFL-CIO Executive Council 5/18/81 [OA/ID 14526]

Embassy of the People's Republic of China 2/10/82 [OA/ID 14528]

Keller, John, Files—Trip Files, Foreign

Guangzhou and Shenzhen, China 10/17/85-10/18/85 [OA/ID 14575]

Guangzhou, China – 10/17/85-10/18/85 [OA/ID 14576]

Chief of Staff, Office of the

Bush, Frederick M., Files—Trip Files

- Bush, Fred, Deputy Chief of Staff Files: [Vice President's Schedule] Dinner [Hosted] by Ambassador Chai Zemin, – Peoples Republic of China – 2/10/1982 [OA/ID 15347]
- Bush, Fred, Deputy Chief of Staff Files: [Vice President's Schedule] GB [George Bush's Foreign] Trip to China [Peking]; [Japan, Tokyo] – 8/[19]80 [1] [OA/ID 15364]
- Bush, Fred, Deputy Chief of Staff Files: [Vice President's Schedule] GB [George Bush's Foreign] Trip to China [Peking]; [Japan, Tokyo] – 8/[19]80 [2] [OA/ID 15364]
- Bush, Fred, Deputy Chief of Staff Files: [Vice President's Schedule] GB [George Bush's Foreign] Trip to China [Peking]; [Japan, Tokyo] – 8/[19]80 [3] [OA/ID 15364]

National Security Affairs, Office of

Gregg, Donald P., Files—Country Files

- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1981 [1] [OA/ID 19766]
- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1981 [2] [OA/ID 19766]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1982 [OA/ID 19769]
- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1982 [1] [OA/ID 19769]
- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1982 [2] [OA/ID 19769]
- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1982 [3] [OA/ID 19769]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1983 [OA/ID 19774]
- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1983 [OA/ID 19774]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1984 [OA/ID 19778]
- China – Republic of China (ROC)/Taiwan – 1984 [OA/ID 19778]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1985 [1] [OA/ID 19796]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1985 [2] [OA/ID 19796]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1986 [1] [OA/ID 19813]
- China – People's Republic of China (PRC) – 1986 [2] [OA/ID 19813]
- China – People's Republic of (PRC) 1987 [1] [OA/ID 19833]
- China – People's Republic of (PRC) 1987 [2] [OA/ID 19833]
- China – People's Republic of (PRC) 1987 [3] [OA/ID 19833]
- China – PRC/Joint Communiqué – August 17, 1982 [OA/ID 19833]
- China – People's Republic of (PRC) 1988 [1] [OA/ID 19869]
- China – People's Republic of (PRC) 1988 [2] [OA/ID 19869]

Gregg, Donald P., Files—Foreign Travel Files

- Vice President's Trip to East Asia and Pacific, April 23-May 8, 1982: People's Republic of China (Trip Reports) [OA/ID 19786]
- Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [1] [OA/ID 30005]
- Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [2] [OA/ID 30005]
- Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [3] [OA/ID 30005]
- Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [4] [OA/ID 30005]
- Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [5] [OA/ID 30005]
- Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin,

Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [6] [OA/ID 30005]

Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: [Briefing Book] [7] [OA/ID 30005]

Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: Media Reaction [OA/ID 30005]

Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: Memcons and Meetings [OA/ID 30005]

Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985: Toasts – Statements – Speeches [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: China [1] [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: China [2] [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: China [3] [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: Saipan [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: Outgoing and Miscellaneous [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: General [OA/ID 30005]

[Visit of the Vice President to the Far East (Hawaii; Saipan, [Japan]; Beijing, Guilin, Guangzhou [China]; Hong Kong) October 10-20, 1985]: [Cables]: Hong Kong [OA/ID 30005]

Vice President Bush's Trip to the Far East, October 10-20, 1985 (Mariana Islands, PRC [People's Republic of China], Hong Kong) [1] [OA/ID 30005]

Vice President Bush's Trip to the Far East, October 10-20, 1985 (Mariana Islands, PRC [People's Republic of China], Hong Kong) [2] [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Wan Li [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Hu Yaobang [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Foreign Minister Wu Xueqian [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Li Xiannian [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with PRC Vice Premier Li Peng [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Minister for Foreign Economic Relations and Trade Zheng Toubin [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Deng Xiaoping [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

[Briefing Material for Asian Trip – October 1985]: Meeting with Zhao Ziyang [China] – October 1985 [OA/ID 30005]

Gregg, Donald P., Files—Meetings with Americans Files

Meetings with Americans – January 1986: Sanford McDonnell, chairman and CEO of McDonnell Douglas Corporation, January 16, 1986 [OA/ID 19818]  
Meetings with Americans – January to June 1985: Request to Address the National Council for U.S.-China Trade Annual Meeting Luncheon, May 30, 1985 [OA/ID 63001]  
Meetings with Americans – July to December 1985: U.S. Ambassador Designate to China Winston Lord, September 6, 1985 [OA/ID 63001]  
Meetings with Americans – July to December 1985: State Department Briefers on China, October 2, 1985 [OA/ID 63001]

Gregg, Donald P., Files—Meetings with Foreigners Files

Meetings with Foreigners – May 1985: Luncheon with National Council for U.S.-China Trade, May 30, 1985 [OA/ID 19800]  
Meetings with Foreigners – September 1985: Delegation from China's National People's Congress; Delegation Leader Wang Renzhong, September 19, 1985 [OA/ID 19801]  
Meetings with Foreigners – May 1987: Meeting with Rong Yiren, Vice Chairman of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress (NPC) and Chairman of the Board of Directors, China International Trust & Investment Corporation (CITIC), Friday, May 8 [OA/ID 19831]

Operations, Administration, and Staff Secretary, Office of

Collamore, Thomas J., Files—China Trip Files

VP Schedule: 10/17/85 – Guilin and Guangzhou [China] [OA/ID 20700]  
VP Schedule: 10/18/85 – Guangzhou, Shenzhen [China] and Hong Kong [1] [OA/ID 20700]  
VP Schedule: 10/18/85 – Guangzhou, Shenzhen [China] and Hong Kong [2] [OA/ID 20700]

Press Office

Speechwriter Files

5/30/85 National Council for United States-China Trade, Washington, D.C. [OA/ID 14859]  
5/30/85 National Council for U.S.-China Trade, D.C. [OA/ID 14866]  
10/17/85 China Dinner Hosted by Guangzhou [OA/ID 14867]

Task Force on Regulatory Relief

Blake, Frank, Files

BRT [The Business Roundtable] Study [OA/ID 15100]

Business Files

Boeing Commercial Airplane Co. Mr. Gary L. Link, Manager Regulatory Affairs [OA/ID 15048]  
The Business Roundtable [OA/ID 15048]

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