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Inventory for FOIA Request 2013-1784-F

Records on Executive Orders

Extent

20 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, June 2013. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2013-1784-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.

The Bush Presidential Records Files include correspondence, memoranda, printed material, and press releases maintained by individual staff members and offices. Correspondence consists of standard transmittal letters between White House and legal counsel for the review and approval of proposed Executive Orders, as well as letters from Congressional members expressing comments and concern

regarding proposed Executive Orders. The memoranda contain standard transmittal memos between the White House and various government agencies regarding routine review and comment on Executive Order drafts. Also included are memos between White House staff members regarding comments on the various draft versions of the proposed Executive Orders. Press releases consist of the Executive Orders passed by President Bush in 1991 and 1992. Printed material includes newspaper and magazine articles concerning topics related to the Executive Orders, particularly the issue of logging Congressional contacts.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection areas—Bush 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 following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2013-1784-F.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Counsels Office

Patricia Mack Bryan Files—Subject Files

- Executive Orders [1] [OA/ID CF00047]
- Executive Orders [2] [OA/ID CF00047]
- Executive Orders [3] [OA/ID CF00047]

Jay S. Bybee Files—Alphabetical Subject Files

- Executive Orders [1] [OA/ID CF00419]
- Executive Orders [2] [OA/ID CF00419]

Nelson Lund Files—Legal Issues Subject Files

- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (1 of 2) [1] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (1 of 2) [2] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (1 of 2) [3] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (1 of 2) [4] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (2 of 2) [1] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (2 of 2) [2] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (2 of 2) [3] [OA/ID 45426]
- Executive Order/Logging Congressional Contacts (2 of 2) [4] [OA/ID 45426]

John Schmitz Files—Alphabetical Subject Files

- Congress Logging—Executive Order [Logging Congressional Contacts] [OA/ID 45659]

Office of Intergovernmental Affairs

William Canary Files

- Important Fact Sheets & Executive Orders [OA/ID 06260]

Office of Legislative Affairs

East Wing Files

- Executive Orders [OA/ID 08432]

East Wing Files—Senate Files

- Executive Orders [OA/ID 08448]

Office of Policy Development
Betsy Anderson Files
Executive Orders [OA/ID 08755]

Diana Furchtgott-Roth Files
Executive Orders [OA/ID 08640]

Charles E.M. Kolb Files
Executive Order—Proposed [OA/ID 08630]

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