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Inventory for FOIA Request 2017-1772-F

Selected Records on Secretary of Veterans Affairs Edward Derwinski

Extent

117 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, July 2018. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in five collection areas—Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files; Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files; Bush Vice Presidential Subject Files; and Bush 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.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2017-1772-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 2017-1772-F contains materials from agencies and individuals concerning the first Secretary of Veterans Affairs, Edward J. Derwinski.

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Alphabetical Files contain letters from the general public offering both praise and criticism of Secretary Derwinski.

The WHORM Subject File categories contain calendars, correspondence, press releases, and reports. There are schedules and calendars concerning weekly cabinet secretaries' activities. There are annual reports on the state of the Department of Veterans Affairs submitted by Secretary Derwinski. There is general correspondence between President Bush and Secretary Derwinski. There are press releases concerning the nomination of Secretary Derwinski.

The Staff and Office Files contain correspondence, reports, and press releases. There is general information concerning the nomination of Edward Derwinski to the position of cabinet secretary. Also included in these files is his resignation letter. There is also included an official biography and photo.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2017-1772-F.

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Alphabetical Files

Name

Derwinski, Edward J. [1]	Derwinski, Edward J. [4]	Ennis, Noah A.
Derwinski, Edward J. [2]	Derwinski, Edward J. [5]	Jackson, Bob
Derwinski, Edward J. [3]	Drake, James A.	

Bush Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files

Category

Case Number

FG010	Scanned: Case Numbers 313350SS, 316824SS, 335019SS, 335487SS, 339004SS
FG011	Scanned: Case Number 017168SS
FG015	Scanned: Case Number 337193SS
FG015	C.F.: Case Number 337193SS

FG017-05 Scanned: Case Number 204499

FG027* Scanned: Case Numbers 009744, 015333, 015333CU, 015333SS, 024678SS, 028266SS, 030163CU, 031027SS, 108149, 110843, 227529, 237685, 253432, 257292SS, 282350SS, 299469, 303386SS, 308449SS, 309127, 313053, 314865, 317451SS, 322999, 324411, 349647, 352647, 352683SS, 364523SS

FG027* Unscanned: Case Numbers 023792, 066327, 066529, 093775, 093797, 120311, 134910, 154255, 175990, 177354

FG033-12 Scanned: Case Number 070310

FG033-21* Scanned: Case Numbers 005979, 019498

FG038 Scanned: Case Number 336153

FG276* Scanned: Case Numbers 000092, 001319CU, 006545CU, 019124

FG999 Scanned: Case Numbers 006098, 007297, 010835

FG999 Unscanned: Case Number 021716

FO008-01 Scanned: Case Number 263594SS

GI002 Scanned: Case Numbers 028354, 060224, 076545, 076626, 126213, 209110, 243403

ME002 Scanned: Case Numbers 013095, 068929, 081907, 289165, 308814, 348417

ND007 Scanned: Case Number 222836

PL Scanned: Case Numbers 343007, 346493

PP Scanned: Case Number 184378

PP005-01 Scanned: Case Numbers 059088, 059088CU, 307286, 332486, 349671

PP010 Scanned: Case Number 197971

PR001 Unscanned: Case Number 069015

PR005 Scanned: Case Numbers 028967, 104214

PR012 Scanned: Case Number 338456

PR013-12 Scanned: Case Numbers 313757, 313757CU

PR013-12 Unscanned: Case Number 151973CU

PU Scanned: Case Numbers 110135, 229026SS

PU001 Scanned: Case Number 037386

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Cabinet Affairs, White House Office of

Bates, David Q., Files

Event Files: March 1989—Swearing in of Ed Derwinski and Elevation of Veterans
Administration to Department Level 3/15/89 [OA/ID 01184]

Counsels Office, White House

Appointment Files

Secretary Edward J. Derwinski Veterans Affairs [OA/ID 20115]

Gray, C. Boyden, Files—Confidential Alphabetical Subject Files
Derwinski [OA/ID CF01824]

Schaerr, Gene C., Files—Subject Files
American Legion v. Derwinski [OA/ID 45616]

Schmitz, John, Files—Alphabetical Subject Files
Personnel—Derwinski [Edward] [OA/ID 45690]

Executive Clerk, White House

Executive Clerk's Files—Too Late to File

Resignation Letter: Derwinski, Edward J.: 09-25-92: Secretary of Veteran Affairs
[OA/ID 99046]

Management and Administration, White House Office of

Vein, Chris, Files—Travel Vouchers, White House Staff
Derwinski, Edward [FY-90] [loose] [50036]

Media Affairs, White House Office of

Miscellaneous Files

Edward Derwinski [OA/ID 06837]

Political Affairs, White House Office of

Moran, Kathryn, Files

Biographical: Edward J. Derwinski—V.A. [OA/ID 07880]

Bush Vice Presidential Records: Subject Files**Category**

CO (Post '85)

Case Number

Case Number 570728VP

VR007

Case Number 407447VP

Bush Vice Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

Chief of Staff, Office of

Bates, David Q., Files—Event Files

Edward Derwinski 5/14/86 [OA/ID 14319]

Meeting with Edward Derwinski 12/9/86 [OA/ID 14319]

Legislative Affairs, Office of

Hill Files—House Files

Hon. Edward J. Derwinski [OA/ID 14816]

Operations, Administration, and Staff Secretary, Office of

Collamore, Thomas J., Files

VP Action Staffing Memos: 3/1/88–3/15/88: 530296VP [OA/ID 14356]

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