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Inventory for FOIA Request 2018-1416-S

White House Situation Room Files

Extent

49 boxes

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Provenance

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Processed By

Staff Archivists, September 2018–January 2019. Previously restricted materials are added as 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.

These records were processed and arranged by the following series and subseries:

- I. Series: White House Situation Room Files (49 Boxes)
 1. Sub-series: Daily Log Files (4 Boxes)
 2. Sub-series: AM/PM Summary Files (8 boxes)
 3. Sub-series: Special Head of State Messages Files (1 box)
 4. Sub-series: State Department NODIS Cable Files (27 boxes)
 5. Sub-series: Presidential Chron Files (9 boxes)

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2018-1416-S are a systematically processed body of routing information, cables, memorandum, notes, reports and printed material created and collected by the White House Situation Room. These materials consist of routing information, administrative information (such as travel and meeting arrangements), unclassified and declassified reports on topics including the 1989 San Francisco earthquake and extradition/asylum, talking points for meetings with foreign leaders, and unclassified correspondence with foreign dignitaries.

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.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2018-1416-S.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

National Security Council

White House Situation Room Files—Daily Log Files

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Situation Room Logs—July–August 91

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Situation Room Logs—April 92
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Situation Room Logs—June 92
Situation Room Logs—July 92
Situation Room Logs—August 92

Situation Room Logs—September 92
Situation Room Logs—October 92
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White House Situation Room Files—AM/PM Summaries Files

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Situation Room Notes 1989
Situation Room Summaries—January 89
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Situation Room Summaries—May 89
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Situation Room Summaries—July 89
Situation Room Summaries—August 89
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Situation Room Summaries—November 89
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Situation Room Notes 1990
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Situation Room Summaries—July 90
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Situation Room Notes 1991
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White House Situation Room Files—Special Head of State Messages Files

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Special Head of State Messages: Canada (Incoming)—1989–1993 [empty]
Special Head of State Messages: Canada (Outgoing)—1989–1993
Special Head of State Messages: Egypt (Incoming)—1989–1993
Special Head of State Messages: Egypt (Outgoing)—1989–1993 [empty]
Special Head of State Messages: Italy (Incoming)—1989–1993
Special Head of State Messages: Italy (Outgoing)—1989–1993
Special Head of State Messages: Japan (Incoming)—1989–1993
Special Head of State Messages: Japan (Outgoing)—1989–1993
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Special Head of State Messages: Turkey (Outgoing)—1989–1993

White House Situation Room Files—State Department NODIS Cable Files

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White House Situation Room Files—Presidential Chron Files

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