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Inventory for Systematic Request 2022-0925-S

Records of Richard L. Canas and Carolyn Stettner National Security Council

Extent

25 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 2022. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

System of Arrangement

Records for this systematic project were found in the following 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.

Biographical Note

Richard L. Canas served as Director for Counternarcotics and Counterterrorism from 1990 to 1994. His primary areas of responsibility included drug control policy, drug interdiction, and border control. He served as a Special Agent with the Drug Enforcement Agency from 1972 to 1996 and as Director of the National Drug Intelligence Center at the Department of Justice from 1996 to 1998.

Carolyn Stettner served as Director for International Programs in 1992. Her primary areas of responsibility included hostages, counterterrorism and terrorist groups.

Scope and Content

The materials in this collection are a systematically processed body of documents responsive to the topic. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials.

Case Number 2022-0925-S contains correspondence, papers, reports, and printed material maintained jointly by Canas and Stettner. The records address terrorist incidents and U.S. hostages.

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 Case Number 2022-0925-S.

Bush Presidential Records: Staff and Office Files

National Security Council

Canas, Richard L., Files and Stettner, Carolyn, Files—Subject Files

Box 1

Border Control (Task Force) [1] [OA/ID CF01415]

Border Control (Task Force) [2] [OA/ID CF01415]

General [1] [OA/ID CF01415]

General [2] [OA/ID CF01415]

General [3] [OA/ID CF01415]

General [4] [OA/ID CF01415]

Higgins, Lt. Col. William [OA/ID CF01415]

Press Guidance [OA/ID CF01415]

Box 2

Hostages—Presidential Press Statements [OA/ID CF01415]

Hostages [1] [OA/ID CF01415]

Hostages [2] [OA/ID CF01415]

Hostage Debrief 12/16/91 [OA/ID CF01415]

Hostage—Jesse Turner [OA/ID CF01415]

Terrorism—Satanic Verses 89 [OA/ID CF01415]

Panama... [OA/ID CF01415]

Satanic Verses [OA/ID CF01415]

Box 3

Summit 7 [Terrorism Experts, Paris France - January 19–20, 1989] [OA/ID CF01415]

Soviet Hijacking [OA/ID CF01415]

Trevi Group [OA/ID CF01415]

United 811 [OA/ID CF01415]

[Sharon] Roger's [Car] Bombing—March 10, 1989 [U.S.S. Vincennes] [OA/ID CF01415]

Civil Aviation [OA/ID CF01415]

Americans Held Hostage: Department of State Report (1987) [1] [OA/ID CF01415]
Americans Held Hostage: Department of State Report (1987) [2] [OA/ID CF01415]
Americans Held Hostage: Department of State Report (1987) [3] [OA/ID CF01415]

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