Inventory for FOIA Request 2015-0279-F

Material Related to the Iraq Surge from the Office of the National Security Advisor between February 1, 2006 and May 1, 2008

Extent
19 folders, approximately 1,947 pages

Access
Collection is open to all researchers. Access to George W. Bush Presidential Records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 USC 2201) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 USC 552, as amended) 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 W. Bush’s presidency are housed at the George W. Bush Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processing by
Staff Archivists, 2019. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 12/09/2019

Scope and Content
The materials in FOIA 2015-0279-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 2015-0279-F requested material related to the Iraq Surge between February 1, 2006 and May 1, 2008 from the National Security Council – Office of the National Security Advisor.

This FOIA primarily contains routing forms, routine printed e-mails, routing memoranda, meeting participant lists, routine travel forms, newspaper articles and binder tabs. Also included is a copy of the NSC’s report “National Strategy for Victory in Iraq.”
It should be noted that many of the documents in this FOIA have been closed due to National Security classification and/or exemptions of the Freedom of Information Act.

**System of Arrangement**
The materials in FOIA 2015-0279-F are a systematic body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Documents responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – Staff Member Office Files.

Staff Member Office Files are maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity.

Staff Member 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 2015-0279-F:

**Box 1**

**Staff Member Office Files**

National Security Council – National Security Advisor, Office of the

Crouch, Jack (J.D.)

Iraq [December 2006 – January 2007]

Iraq, June 2007

Iraq Review, 11/21 [2006] [1]

Iraq Review, 11/21 [2006] [2]

Iraq Review, 11/21 [2006] [3]


Hadley, Stephen (Steve)

Binder – Iraq Strategic Review Preliminary Documents, November 2006 [1]


Binder – Iraq Task Force


Haenle, Paul

Iraq [2006] [1]
Container List for Previously Opened Folders:
National Security Council - National Security Advisor, Office of the Crouch, Jack (J.D.)


National Security Council - National Security Advisor, Office of the Haenle, Paul

Iraq Trip, October 2006 2014-0515-F