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Inventory for FOIA Request 2018-0080-F

Meeting Minutes and Correspondence Regarding Meetings between President George W. Bush and First Vice President of Sudan Salva Kiir on July 20, 2006, November 15, 2007, and January 5, 2009

Extent

23 folders, approximately 2,307 pages

Access

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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: 08/04/2020

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2018-0080-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 2018-0080-F requested materials from the National Security Council related to meeting minutes and correspondence regarding meetings between President George W. Bush and First Vice President of Sudan Salva Kiir, which occurred on July 20, 2006, November 15, 2007, and January 5, 2009.

This FOIA primarily contains NSC Profile Sheets, routing forms, routine printed e-mails, routing memoranda, fax cover sheets, night notes summaries, meeting participant lists, press statements, press points and drafts thereof, and scheduling materials for visits by Salva Kiir, other members of the Sudanese government, and members of the Darfur Action Group. Included are letters from Congress and the public regarding the situation in Darfur and Sudan.

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 2018-0080-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 2018-0080-F:

Box 1

Staff Member Office Files

National Security Council – Records and Access Management

PRS Originals

0602386

0603704

0604330

0707679

0707821

0808276

0808932

PRS Limited Access Chron Files

0708064

National Security Council – African Affairs

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Courville, Cindy
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President's Meeting with First Vice President Salva Kiir of Sudan, 07/20/2006

Sudan, September 2006-Present [1]

Sudan, September 2006-Present [2]

Sudan, September 2006-Present [3]

Pittman, Bobby

Vice President Salva Kiir of the Government of National Unity of Sudan, 11/15/2007

Shortley, Tim

Sudan, April 2006-May 2006 [1]

Sudan, April 2006-May 2006 [2]

Sudan, April 2006-May 2006 [3]

Box 2

National Security Council – African Affairs

Shortley, Tim

Sudan, April 2006-May 2006 [4]

Sudan, April 2006-May 2006 [5]

Sudan, April 2006-May 2006 [6]

Sudan, June 2006-August 2006 [1]

Sudan, June 2006-August 2006 [2]

Sudan, June 2006-August 2006 [3]

Sudan, June 2006-August 2006 [4]

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