

George W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum

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Inventory for FOIA Request 2014-0356-F

Records Created by or Sent to Harvey Pitt

Extent

8 folders, approximately 32 pages / 110 assets

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.

Copyright

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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, 2016. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 07/22/2020

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2014-0356-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 2014-0356-F requested materials created by or sent to Harvey Pitt, Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

This FOIA contains textual materials including letters from Harvey Pitt to President George W. Bush that discuss the management controls of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the transmittal of various reports. Electronic records consist of administrative emails setting up meetings, calls, and introductions with Chairman Pitt's colleagues, press statements from Department of the Treasury officials, and invitations to events such as the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission International Institute for Securities Market Development.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2014-0356-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 – White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject Files, Staff Member and Office Files, and George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

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

Staff Member 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.

WHORM Subject Files is processed at the document level.

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 www.georgewbushlibrary.smu.edu

The Executive Office of the President (EOP) instance of the Electronic Records Archive (ERA) contains electronic records created or received by President George W. Bush. These records are stored in Search and Access Sets (SAS) that represent their originating computer program, such as Exchange Email or the Worker and Visitor Entry System (WAVES). In addition to records captured from the White House's electronic systems, EOP-ERA also contains records from the home and shared drives used by White House staff.

Related Collections and FOIA Requests -

2014-0361-F 2014-0370-F

The following is a list of electronic search results lists (SRLs) and folders processed in response to FOIA 2014-0356-F:

George W. Bush Electronic Records

Exchange 1 contains 4 assets. Exchange 2 contains 3 assets. ARMS 1 contains 42 assets. ARMS 2 contains 61 assets.

George W. Bush Textual Records

Box 1

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Records Management, White House Office of

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Subject Files
535172
555820
Subject Files - FG249 (Securities & Exchange Commission)
528003
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Staff Member Office Files

528144

Counsel's Office, White House

Flanigan, Timothy (Tim)

Pitt, Harvey

Intergovernmental Affairs, White House Office of

Brancato, Keith

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission

Press Office, White House

Buchan, Claire - Subject Files

Securities and Exchange Commission

Healy, Erin

SEC (Securities and Exchange Commission)

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