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Inventory for FOIA Request 2015-0192-F

Thank You Notes and Acknowledgement of Liberian Gifts

Extent

17 folders, approximately 861 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, 2016. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 09/22/2016

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2015-0192-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 2015-0192-F requested materials related to thank you notes and acknowledgement of Liberian gifts.

This FOIA primarily contains correspondence, printed email, press releases, handwritten notes, forms, spreadsheets, and routing memoranda. The majority of the materials are in regards to President George W. Bush and Mrs. Bush's trip to Liberia in February 2008. There is correspondence (drafts, as well as copies of the final) following this trip from President George W. Bush to those he met, thanking them for gifts, accommodations, and the warm reception received at each of the places he and Mrs. Bush visited. Moreover, there is correspondence from

Mrs. Bush thanking Mrs. Kartumu Boakai (Liberia's Vice President) for a gift received during this trip. There are forms from the Gift Office regarding incoming gifts, as well as press releases and printed materials from the White House website. Additional correspondence from President George W. Bush to Liberian officials is also present thanking them for gifts throughout the Bush administration.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2015-0192-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.

WHORM Subject Files are 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 following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2015-0192-F:

Records Management, White House Office of

Subject Files – GI002 (Gifts to the President)
636123
683969
690881
Subject Files – PP005-01 (First Lady)
748059
Subject Files – TR521-05 (Monrovia, Liberia, 02/21/2008)
749485 [1]
749485 [2]
749548
749582
749757
750063
750081

751430