



## **Inventory for FOIA Request 2014-0155-F**

### **Records of Communication between President George W. Bush and Prime Minister Tony Blair**

#### **Extent**

50 folders, approximately 2,224 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.

#### **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: 04/15/2016

#### **Scope and Content**

The materials in FOIA 2014-0155-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 2014-0155-F contains materials related to all records of communication between President George W. Bush and Prime Minister Tony Blair between 09/11/2001 and 12/31/2001.

This FOIA primarily contains cover sheets, emails, routine and transmittal memoranda, NSC Profile Sheets and distribution lists, press releases, schedule proposals, and transmittal forms. Topics covered in these materials relate to Prime Minister Tony Blair's memcons and telcons with President George W. Bush, and Blair's visit to the United States in November 2001, including a draft of the itinerary and lists of visitors to the White House. It also includes

transmittal memoranda for the memcons and telcons conducted between the two men during this time period, and schedule proposals for telephone conversations.

It should be noted that many of the documents listed here have been closed to National Security classification and/or exemptions of the Freedom of Information Act.

### **System of Arrangement**

The materials in FOIA 2014-0155-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 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.

George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records are a unique segment preserved in an electronic system separate from the Electronic Records Archive (ERA). The records are processed by topic, printed, and filed in folders. Folders are arranged by Search and Access Set and thereunder by date.

George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records contain electronic records created or received by members of the White House staff, as well as the Commission on Weapons of Mass Destruction. These frequently classified records document the daily constitutional and statutory duties carried out by the George W. Bush administration and include record types such as email, email attachments, Night Notes, and cables.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2014-0155-F:

### **Box 1**

#### **Staff Member Office Files**

National Security Council - Records and Access Management

PRS Original Files

0106422

0106459

0106595

0106998

0108292

0108693

Limited Access Originals Files

0107103

0108074

0109243

National Security Council - European Affairs

Directorate Chron Files

POTUS Meetings September 2001 - October 2001: Meeting with Prime Minister Blair, 09/20/2001

POTUS Meetings November 2001 - December 2001: Meeting with Blair 11/07/2001

TELCONS 09/11/2001 - 12/31/2001: TELCON with Prime Minister Blair, 09/12/2001

TELCONS 09/11/2001 - 12/31/2001: TELCON with Prime Minister Blair, 09/14/2001

TELCONS 09/11/2001 - 12/31/2001: TELCON with Blair, 10/01/2001

TELCONS 09/11/2001 - 12/31/2001: TELCON with Blair, 12/29/2001

Volker, Kurt - Subject Files

Blair Visits

Bush-Blair Phone Calls [1]

Bush-Blair Phone Calls [2]

Bush-Blair Phone Calls [3]

Bush-Blair Phone Calls [4]

Bush-Blair Phone Calls [5]

National Security Council - National Security Advisor, Office of the

Hadley, Stephen (Steve) - Subject Files

[Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom, 09/12/2001]

[Memcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom, 11/07/2001]

[Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom, 12/29/2001]

National Security Council - Records and Access Management

Memcons and Telcons

Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of Great Britain, 09/12/2001

Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of Great Britain, 09/14/2001

Memcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of Great Britain, 11/07/2001

Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of Great Britain, 11/12/2001

Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of Great Britain, 12/29/2001

Memcons and Telcons – Tony Blair Binder

[Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom, 09/12/2001]

[Memcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom, 11/07/2001]

[Telcon with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom, 12/29/2001]

**Box 2**

**George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records**

Email

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [1]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [2]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [3]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [4]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [5]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [6]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [7]

TS Email, September 2001 [09/12/2001 - 09/20/2001] [8]

TS Email, October 2001 [09/29/2001 - 10/29/2001] [1]

TS Email, October 2001 [09/29/2001 - 10/29/2001] [2]

TS Email, October 2001 [09/29/2001 - 10/29/2001] [3]

TS Email, October 2001 [09/29/2001 - 10/29/2001] [4]

TS Email, November 2001 [11/02/2001 - 11/30/2001] [1]

TS Email, November 2001 [11/02/2001 - 11/30/2001] [2]

TS Email, November 2001 [11/02/2001 - 11/30/2001] [3]

TS Email, November 2001 [11/02/2001 - 11/30/2001] [4]

TS Email, November 2001 [11/02/2001 - 11/30/2001] [5]

TS Email, December 2001 [12/03/2001 - 12/31/2001]