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Inventory for FOIA 2014-0032-F

Records on the Meeting between Vice President Gore and Prime Minister Chernomyrdin of Russia on December 3, 1996 in Lisbon, Portugal

Extent

10 folders, approximately 739 pages and eight photographs

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Gore Vice Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 USC 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 USC 552, as amended) and therefore may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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Provenance

Official records of the Albert Gore, Jr. vice presidency are in the custody of the Presidential Materials Division in Washington, DC and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processed By

Staff Archivists, 2015. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Related Collections

FOIA 2014-0028-F, 2014-0029-F, 2014-0030-F, 2014-0035-F, 2014-0040-F, 2014-0041-F, and 2014-0043-F, Presidential Materials Division.

Scope and Content

The materials in this series are a selective, not necessarily all-inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of FOIA request 2014-0032-F.

This series contains records related to the meeting between Vice President Gore and Russian Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin on December 3, 1996, which occurred during the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) Summit held in Lisbon, Portugal. These materials consist of routine memoranda related to summit logistics, summit and meeting schedules, fact sheets, speech drafts and transcripts, and printed news articles on the topic of NATO. The fact sheets include information on the OSCE and its membership, the Helsinki Act, and the official program for the Lisbon summit. The text/transcripts of the following speeches are contained in this series of material: Vice President Gore's remarks at the summit on December 2, 1996; remarks by Secretary of State Warren Christopher at the 1993 OSCE meeting; and speeches delivered by Deputy Secretary of State Strobe Talbott on the OSCE and its role in building an undivided Europe. The printed news articles come from various sources such as the *New York Times*, the *Denver Post*, and *The Washington Times*. Also included in these records are eight photographs of Vice President Gore participating in the OSCE summit.

Due to national security restrictions, the majority of this collection remains closed.

System of Arrangement

Records responsive to this FOIA request were found in Gore Vice Presidential Records: White House Staff Member and Office Files.

Staff Member and Office Files are the textual records created and/or maintained by White House staff members within their individual offices. These files document all levels of administration activity.

Staff Member and Office Files are processed at the folder level, and the documents within are maintained in their original order. Since the files are processed at the folder level, individual documents contained within these folders may not be wholly responsive to the subject area of this FOIA request.

The following is a list of folders processed in response to FOIA 2014-0032-F:

Gore Vice Presidential Records: White House Staff Member and Office Files

National Security Affairs

 Trip Files

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The Vice President's Trip to Lisbon, Portugal, December 2, 1996 [2] [Box 026]
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The Vice President's Trip to Lisbon, Portugal, December 2, 1996 [10] [Box 026]

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