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Inventory for FOIA 2017-0020-F

Records on Interactions between Vice President Gore and Deputy President Thabo Mbeki of South Africa related to Extension of the Non Proliferation Treaty in 1995

Extent

12 folders, approximately 1,522 pages and two 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, October, 2017. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

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 2017-0020-F.

This series contains records related to the visit of South Africa's Deputy President Thabo Mbeki to the United States from February 28 to March 3, 1995 for the inaugural meeting of the United States – South Africa Binational Commission in Washington, D.C. Records in this series also pertain to Vice President Gore's attendance on April 19, 1995 at the 1995 Review and Extension Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, which was held April 17 to May 12, 1995 in New York City, New York. Additional records processed with this FOIA request relate to the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty.

This series consists of memoranda, notes, letters, cables, issue papers, talking points, remarks, lists, schedules, press releases, fact sheets, curricula vitae, photographs, coversheets, and news articles. While the inclusive date range for this series of records is 1994 to 1999, the bulk of the materials are dated 1995.

Due to national security restrictions, approximately half of this material remains closed, including documents relevant to the topic of this FOIA.

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 2017-0020-F:

Box 1

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

National Security Affairs

Country Files

South Africa [Box 022]

George Reed's Files

CTBT [Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty] / NPT [Non-Proliferation Treaty] [1]
[Box 024]

CTBT [Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty] / NPT [Non-Proliferation Treaty] [2]
[Box 024]

CTBT [Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty] / NPT [Non-Proliferation Treaty] [3]
[Box 024]

Jim Babbitt's Files

- U.S. – South Africa Binational Commission, The Visit of Deputy President Mbeki, February 28-March 3, 1995 [Binder] [1] [Box 144]
- U.S. – South Africa Binational Commission, The Visit of Deputy President Mbeki, February 28-March 3, 1995 [Binder] [2] [Box 144]

Box 2

- U.S. – South Africa Binational Commission, The Visit of Deputy President Mbeki, February 28-March 3, 1995 [Binder] [3] [Box 144]

Meeting Files

- February 28, 1995 – One-on-One Dinner w/ Deputy President Thabo Mbeki. Blair House, 7:30 p-9:00p [Box 010]
- March 17, 1995 – Phoncon w/ DP Thabo Mbeki. WW Office. 0830-0845. [Box 010]
- 04/19/95 – Vice President's Trip to New York City to attend NPT [Non-Proliferation Treaty] Conference [1] [Box 010]
- 04/19/95 – Vice President's Trip to New York City to attend NPT [Non-Proliferation Treaty] Conference [2] [Box 010]

Subject Files

- Non Proliferation Treaty [Box 054]

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