Extent

8 folders, approximately 35 pages

Summary

This collection consists of records related to the appointment of Gary Kenneth King to the Department of Energy. In 1998, King became the Policy Advisor to the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management at the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in Washington, D.C. Within a year, he became the Department's Director of the Office of Worker and Community Transition. This collection consists of correspondence relating to the recommendation of Gary King to serve on the President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology, memos from the Department of Energy, Presidential Personnel, and the Counsel's office regarding Mr. King's approval for the appointment. The records also contain candidate summary forms and resumes.

Scope and Content Note

The materials in FOIA 2014-0070-F are a selective body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials. Gary King is the son of Bruce King, a three-time Governor of New Mexico. He received a Bachelor's degree in Chemistry from the New Mexico State University in 1976. He received a Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry from the University of Colorado at Boulder in 1980. King attended the University of New Mexico School of Law, where he received his J.D. In 1984, he formed the law firm of King and Stanley in Moriarty, New Mexico. In 1990, he assumed the position of Corporate General Counsel and Senior Environmental Scientist with Advanced Sciences, Inc., an environmental consulting firm. In 1998, King became the Policy Advisor to the Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management at the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in Washington, D.C. Within a year, he became the Department's Director of the Office of Worker and Community Transition. While at the DOE, he developed and

implemented a program fostering cooperation between federal, state, local and Native American governments to enhance cleanup activities. King served for 12 years in the New Mexico House of Representatives. In 2006, King was elected Attorney General of New Mexico and was reelected in 2010. The records released in response to this FOIA consist of correspondence relating to the recommendation of Gary King to serve on the President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology, memos from the Department of Energy, Counsel's Office, and Presidential Personnel regarding Mr. King's approval for the appointment. The records also contain candidate summary forms and resumes.

Record Type

Textual

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in these collection areas – Clinton Presidential Records: White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Alpha Files; White House Office of Records Management WHORM Subject Files, and Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files. The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) contains a variety of series created to organize and track documents and correspondence. The WHORM Alpha File was compiled by the White House Office of Records Management from 1993 – 1996 and is a series of documents arranged by name of persons, organizations, or events. The WHORM Subject file was compiled by the White House Office of Records Management and is a series of categories designated by a letter/number combination. Staff and Office Files were maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity. WHORM files are processed at the document level; whereas, Staff 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. FOIA 2014-0070-F includes WHORM records from these subject codes: FG006-01 Federal Government-Organizations-Executive Office of the President-White House Office.

Access

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

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Provenance

Official records of William Jefferson Clinton’s presidency are housed at the Clinton Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

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Container List

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2014-0070-F:

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Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM Alpha Files

[King, Gary K. – December 22, 1993]

[King, Gary K. – January 12, 1994]

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Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM: Subject File

Category Case Number

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Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files

Presidential Personnel

Brackett, Lee Ann

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General Files

Gary King [OA/ID 19640]

Przeworski, Bethany

Folder #11 [Gary King] [OA/ID 11666]

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