



Inventory for FOIA Request 2021-0645-F AV State Dinners Related to South Africa

Extent

2,072 photographs in color and black & white film processed from 35mm negatives.

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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Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2021-0645-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 request 2021-0645-F contains photographs from the White House Photograph Office. The Clintons hosted and attended three state dinners related to South Africa. The first state dinner for South Africa was on October 4, 1994. President Clinton and First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton visited with President Mandela and others in the Yellow Oval Room prior to the dinner. President Clinton and First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton hosted a state dinner in the East Room of the White House for President Nelson Mandela and Ms. Mandela-Hlongwane of South Africa. Following the official toasts and remarks, Whitney Houston performed in the Rose Garden. On

March 27, 1998, President Clinton and First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton attended a state dinner hosted by President Nelson Mandela at Vergelegen Wine Estates in Somerset West, South Africa. President Clinton and President Mandela delivered remarks and President Clinton performs a toast with Archbishop Desmond Tutu. During the dinner President Clinton and President Mandela talked with Secretary Alexis Herman, Secretary Rodney Slater, Reverend Jesse Jackson, National Security Adviser Sandy Berger, and others. On May 22, 2000, President Clinton and First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton hosted a state dinner for President Thabo Mbeki and his wife Zanele of South Africa in a pavilion on the South Lawn. President Clinton and First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton visited with President Mbeki and others in the Yellow Oval Room, President Clinton gave a tour to President Mbeki and others around the White House including the Truman Balcony, President's Treaty Room Office, and other rooms in the White House. President Clinton and President Mbeki delivered remarks and proposed toasts at the dinner. During the dinner, Pianist Awadagin Pratt performed. All the dinners stated above include official receiving lines for the heads of state.

Other events that were included on the photo contact sheets included:

May 24, 2000, President Clinton meets in the Oval Office with Representative Julia Carson.

May 24, 2000, President Clinton and First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton attend a "National Tribute to President Clinton at the MCI Center in Washington, DC.

System of Arrangement

Records that were responsive to this FOIA request were found in one collection and one series—Clinton Presidential Records: Photographs of the White House Photograph Office and the series therein—Photographs Relating to the Clinton Administration. Processing is done at the Folder/Contact sheet level. While this method maintains folder/contact sheet integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of photographs that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

The following is a list of photograph contact sheets/folders processed in response to FOIA 2021-0645-F:

Clinton Presidential Records: Photographs of the White House Photograph Office

Series: Photographs Relating to the Clinton Administration

Photograph Contact Sheet:

Book 204 (P20300-P20399)

P20394	October 4, 1994
P20395	October 4, 1994
P20396	October 4, 1994
P20397	October 4, 1994
P20398	October 4, 1994
P20399	October 4, 1994

Book 205 (P20400-P20499)

P20400	October 4, 1994
P20401	October 4, 1994
P20402	October 4, 1994
P20403	October 4, 1994
P20404	October 4, 1994
P20405	October 4, 1994

Book 205 (P20400-P20499)

P20406	October 4, 1994
P20407	October 4, 1994
P20408	October 4, 1994
P20409	October 4, 1994
P20410	October 4, 1994
P20421	October 4, 1994
P20562	October 4, 1994

Book 616 (P61500-P61599)

P61525	March 27, 1998
P61598	March 27, 1998

Book 617 (P61600-P61699)

P61600	March 27, 1998
P61601	March 27, 1998
P61602	March 27, 1998
P61603	March 27, 1998
P61604	March 27, 1998
P61605	March 27, 1998
P61606	March 27, 1998

P61608	March 27, 1998
P61609	March 27, 1998
P61610	March 27, 1998
P61611	March 27, 1998
P61612	March 27, 1998

Book 825 (P82400-P82499)

P82485	May 22, 2000
P82486	May 22, 2000
P82487	May 22, 2000
P82488	May 22, 2000
P82489	May 22, 2000
P82490	May 22, 2000
P82491	May 22, 2000
P82492	May 22, 2000
P82493	May 22, 2000
P82494	May 22, 2000
P82495	May 22, 2000
P82496	May 22, 2000
P82497	May 22, 2000
P82498	May 22, 2000
P82499	May 22, 2000

Book 826 (P82500-P82599)

P82500	May 22, 2000
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P82502	May 22, 2000
P82503	May 22, 2000
P82504	May 22, 2000
P82505	May 22, 2000
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P82507	May 22, 2000
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P82524	May 22, 2000
P82525	May 22, 2000
P82526	May 22, 2000
P82527	May 22, 2000
P82528	May 22, 2000
P82529	May 22, 2000
P82557	May 22, 2000
P82580	May 22 & 24, 2000