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Inventory for FOIA 2022-0121-F [1]

Records on Hunter Biden, James Biden, and Their Foreign Business Dealings

Extent

282 email messages

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Biden Vice Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act, as amended (PRA) (44 USC 22) 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 restrictions and exemptions.

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Provenance

Official records of the Joseph Biden vice presidency are in the custody of the Archival Operations Division in Washington, DC and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act, as amended (PRA).

Processed By

Staff Archivists, November 2022. 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 records responsive to the topic of FOIA case 2022-0121-F.

This series consists of email messages from May 2014 to December 2014 sent and received by the Biden Office of the Vice President that include the company name "Burisma." Several of the email messages are press inquiries regarding the announcement of Hunter Biden joining the board of directors of Ukrainian energy company Burisma Holdings Limited in May 2014 and the Office of Vice President's responses to those inquiries. There are also email messages containing news articles compiled by White House staff which include articles referencing Hunter Biden and his role with Burisma.

System of Arrangement

Records responsive to this FOIA request were found in the Biden Vice Presidential Electronic Records collection which includes email messages and electronic files. These records are maintained in the Executive Office of the President instance of the Electronic Records Archive (EOP ERA) which contains electronic records created or received by the administration of President Barack Obama. These electronic records are born-digital files and are primarily .eml, .pdf, .wpd, and .doc files.

The responsive electronic records retrieved from EOP ERA are saved in search results lists (SRLs) and are arranged chronologically by creation date. The following is a list of the SRLs saved and processed in response to FOIA 2022-0121-F:

**Biden Vice Presidential Records: Electronic Records
Exchange Email – Burisma, 2009-01-20 to 2014-12-31**

This SRL contains 282 responsive email messages.

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