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FG 619

MATERIAL AT THE LBJ LIBRARY PERTAINING TO COMMISSION ON OBSCENITY AND PORNOGRAPHY

INTRODUCTION

This list includes the principal files in the Johnson Library that contain material relating to the Commission on Obscenity and Pornography. It is not definitive, however, and researchers should consult with the Library's archivists about other potentially useful files. The guide includes those collections that have been opened for research in part or in whole, and those collections that are currently unprocessed or unavailable.

FEDERAL RECORDS

The use of these records is subject to the policies of the agency of origin. Some materials, including the majority of the records of temporary commissions, committees, and conferences, are available without restriction. Other materials can bee seen only with the permission of the agency of origin or are closed due to security classifications.

Box # 136

RG 220 Records of the Commission on Obscenity and Pornography

The Commission was created in January 1968, and submitted its report on September 30, 1970. All of the material is open, except boxes 19-21 which are restricted until July 24, 1995. See the finding aid for a description of the collection.

WHITE HOUSE CENTRAL FILES (WHCF)

This permanent White House office was the main filing unit during the Johnson presidency, though not the primary file for foreign policy documents. Material was filed under 60 major subject headings, several of which are pertinent to the Commission on Obscenity and Pornography.

Box #

FG, Federal Government-Organizations

FG 619, Commission on Obscenity and Pornography
Approximately 800 pages concerning the Commission on Obscenity and Pornography.

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WHITE HOUSE CENTRAL FILES CONFIDENTIAL FILE

Arranged in the same subject categories as the WHCF Subject File, this file contains security classified or otherwise sensitive material. The CF Name File serves as a name index to the CF Subject File. This

collection also includes agency reports and oversize attachments. The CF is entirely processed, but portions are still classified.

C.F. FG 619, Commission on Obscenity and Pornography

Box #
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Contains one document concerning the formation of the commission and appointment of its members.

OFFICE FILES OF JOHN MACY

John Macy was the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission. As a "talent scout" he maintained a file on all persons considered for appointments. These folders are reviewed on written request. A card file is maintained in the Reading Room for those name files currently available. Researchers should anticipate a delay in receiving this material.

	Box #
Lockhart, William B.	345
Elson, Edward E.	169
Gill, Judge Thomas D.	211
Greenwood, Dr. Edward D.	226
Hill, Rev. Morton A.	262
Jones, G. William	291
Keating, Kenneth B.	300
Klapper, Joseph T.	312
Larsen, Otto	327
Lehram, Rabbi Irving	334
Lewis, Freeman	339
Link, Winfrey C. (Rev.)	343
Lipton, Morris	344
Lynch, Thomas Connor	352
Scott, Barbara	525
Spelts, Cathryn A.	558
Wagman, Frederick	615
Wolfgang, Marvin	653
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OFFICE FILES OF THE WHITE HOUSE AIDES

Many White House aides maintained office files of their own, separate physically from the rest of the White House Central Files. The files of each aide reflect his or her responsibilities. This list is not definitive, but it does include most pertinent folders in the aides files. If a folder is not open for research, it will be processed upon request. Researchers should anticipate a delay in receiving this material.

	<u>Box #</u>
Gaither, James	
"Obscenity"	35
Goldstein, Ernest	
"Committee on Obscenity and Pornography (1968)"	7