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Photographs from the Signing Ceremony for the Don't Ask Don’t Tell Repeal Act of 2010, December 22, 2010 (23-30052-F)

Finding Aid Type
FOIA

Extent

673 assets

Record Type
Photographs

Access

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Scope and Content Note

The materials in FOIA 23-30052-F are a selective, not necessarily all-inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

FOIA 23-30052-F requested photos taken at the “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell” repeal signing ceremony on December 22, 2010, including photographs taken before, during, and after President Obama’s speech.

This FOIA primarily contains photographs from before and during the repeal signing ceremony at the Department of the Interior, including President Obama delivering remarks, signing the Repeal Act, and greeting the crowd along the rope line after signing.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 23-30052-F are a systematic body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Documents responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – Obama Presidential Electronic Records.

The Executive Office of the President (EOP) instance of the Electronic Records Archive (ERA) contains electronic records created or received by Obama administration staff. These records are stored in Search and Access Sets (SAS) that represent their originating computer program, such as Exchange Email or the Worker and Visitor Entry System (WAVES). In addition to records captured from the White House’s electronic systems, EOP-ERA also contains records from the home and shared drives used by White House staff.

Container List

The following is a list of electronic search results lists (SRLs) that were processed in response to FOIA23-30052-F:

Electronic Records

- *AV_23-30052-F* Repeal Signing contains 673 photographs.