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Scope and content note:

The Vice-Presidential Security File consists largely of the files on Colonel Howard L. Burris, who served as Air Force Aide to the Vice-President following his appointment on February 25, 1961. Burris' responsibilities included national security matters, contacts with the military, and foreign and domestic travel. Burris continued as a Johnson aide until his retirement from the military in mid-1964.

Of special interest are the handwritten notes, with transcriptions, taken under NATIONS AND REGIONS, "Policy Papers and Background Studies on Cuba Affair (V)."

Digitization note:

Some of these folders have been digitized and are available on DiscoverLBJ.org. See folder title list to identify scanned folders.

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	Vice President's Visit to Southeast Asia May 9-24, 1961 (I) SCANNED
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2	Johnson-Adenauer Discussion-Bonn, Germany-Aug. 19, 1961 SCANNED
	Berlin, Germany Berlin Papers for the Vice-President SCANNED
	Report and Related Papers re Vice President Johnson's Trip to Germany August 19-20, 1961 SCANNED
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	V.P. Johnson's Trip to the Middle East August-September 1962 (1 of 4) SCANNED
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	BP-Personal Facts-(sizes, diet, etc.) SCANNED
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	Memos on Travel and Speeches SCANNED
	[Austin Area Aeronautical Chart] SCANNED
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	Travel Insurance-V.P. and Mrs. Johnson SCANNED
	PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S TRAVEL
	President's European Trip Briefing Book June, 1963-(I) SCANNED
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4	NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
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	National Security Council (I)
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	NSC-Cuba
	Presidential Task Force on Korea Report to NSC 5 June, '61
	[9/15/61 Memo on Vice President's National Security Briefings]
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	NSC Discussions re Soviet Long Range Attack Capabilities, and Space Policy and Intelligence Requirements, 7/9-10/62
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	Travel Orders, Travel Vouchers and Military Leave-Col. Burris
	Rm. 274, EOB-Furnishing of and Receipts for Equipment (May-June 1961)
	Emergency Evacuation Instructions for V.P. (Issued Oct.-Nov. 1962)
	Memos to the Vice President from Col. Burris January 1961-June 1962
6	Memos to the Vice President from Col. Burris July 1962-April 1963
	Chron. File-V.P. Signature June 1961-April 1963
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	Col. Burris Reports
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	Colonel Burris
	Official White House Correspondence 1964
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7	NATIONAL SECURITY POLICY
	Palm Beach Notes-Jan. 1, 1962
	Basic National Security Policy
	Manganese Production-1961
	Nuclear Testing
	U.S. Negotiating Position-Geneva
	[Notebook on Disarmament 1962]
	[Nuclear Test Ban Treaty 1962]
	Disarmament Proposals February 1963
	[Review of Delivery and Utilization of Tactical Air Navigation Equipment Under the Military Assistance Program, 2/61]
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	Policy Papers and Background Studies on Cuba Affair (V) SCANNED
	Policy Papers and Background Studies on Cuba Affair (VI) SCANNED
	UN Cables re Cuba Affair (I)
	UN Cables re Cuba Affair (II)
	UN Cables re Cuba Affair (III) SCANNED
9	Cuba (Miscellaneous Papers) May 1961 and Nov.-Dec. 1962
	[President Kennedy Comments on Cuba 10/31/63]
	[Notebook on NATO 1960]
	A Review of North Atlantic Problems for the Future
	[March-April, 1964, telegrams, memo, and newspaper clipping on Europe]
	Kennedy-MacMillan Nassau Meeting December 19-20, 1962 Briefing Book
	Germany and Berlin-1961
	Interdepartmental Coordinating Group on Germany and Berlin-A Study
	Interdepartmental Coordinating Group on Germany and Berlin-Documents
10	Report of Four Power Working Group on Germany and Berlin September, 1961
	Report of the Four-Power Working Group on Germany and Berlin
	Thompson-Gromyko 1st exchange
	[Trade with the Soviet Union]
	Notes on Dealing With Khrushchev
	Middle East
	[Report of the Harriman Mission-Relations Between India and Pakistan]
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	27 April-Viet Nam Col. Burris EOB (I)
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	[Undated Reports re Laos]
	Possibilities of Greater Militancy by the Chinese Communists
	[Review of Military Assistance Program Requirements for the Army and Air Force of Korea, 1/61]
	FOREIGN DIGNITARIES VISIT THE UNITED STATES
	Prime Minister Belawara of Nigeria Visit--June 1961
	President Ayub's Visit July 11-13, 1961
	Prime Minister Nehru's Visit November 6-9
12	Prime Minister Fanfani's Visit to Washington, January 16-17, 1963
	H.M. Sri Savang Vatthana's Visit to Washington, February 25-27, 1963 Briefing Book
	[Visit to Prime Minister Pearson Briefing Memorandum May 10-11, 1963]
	Visit to Prime Minister Pearson May 10-11, 1963 Briefing Book
	GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
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	Captain Charles H. Mosan (FAA Case)
	Peace Corps-Weekly Reports-1961-April 1963
	State Department-1961-1963
13	State Department-Miscellaneous Cables 1961-1963
	State Dept. (Dutton) Intelligence Rpts. Jan.-June 1962
	Dept. of State-Intelligence Rpts. Etc.
	Army
	Navy
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	Texas Military Base Closings-FY 62-63-10 March 1961
	Jan. 62-McNamara-Reduction in N.G. and Reserves
	McNamara: Senate Committee on Armed Services, FY 1963-67 Defense Program and 1963 Defense Budget, 1/19/62

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	USAF Project Forecast
	B-58 Program-1961
	B-58 Facts
	TFX
	TFX Resubmittal Presentation
	SST Briefing 4/17/63
15	Dyna-Soar Project Streamline Summary
	Rocketdyne J-2 Engine
	SPACE (1) (see also box 17)
	National Space Program
	The Long Range Plan NASA January, 1962
	[8/18/61 Space Council Meeting]
	NASA Budget Discussions
	Technical Description Lunar Sample Return Program General Motors Corporation
	MISCELLANY
	Cabinet Meetings at White House-1963 (Handwritten Notes)
	VP memos (to)
	[Undated List of Names]
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	Inter-American Telephone Network Directory
	Security Clearances and Building Passes
	Destruction Sheets-Classified Material
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	National Aeronautics and Space Administration, The Long Range Plan January 1962
	National Aeronautics and Space Council Secretary - SECRET [Contributions to the VP's response to the President's memo of 4/9/63]
	[Space Program] For: The Vice President
	[Arms Control and Disarmament]
	[US-USSR Cooperation in Outer Space]
	SPACE (3) [Transferred from the National Security File, Agency File Box 34, on 9/28/90] National Aeronautics and Space Administration [I]
	SPACE (4) [Transferred from the "White House Years Material", Box 180, on 12/10/2003] [Organization of Space Council]
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	[FBI Intelligence Reports, 1961-62]
	Hearings before Senate Appns. CTE on President's CTE. On Equal Employment Opportunity – Feb. 1962
	V.P. Trip-Dallas-Waco-San Angelo-Wichita Falls, 21-25 February 1963
	[Attitudes and Behavior of TV and Radio Audiences in Austin, TX]
	[Suggested Policy Recommendations...]
	Filing [This folder includes a list of subject files; a note regarding a letter from Vice President Johnson to Madame Nhu; 2 copies of the letter from Vice President Johnson to Madame Nhu; and lists of telegrams]
	Miss Loughney "Working Folder" [This folder includes handwritten and typed notes regarding V.P. visits to Iceland, Norway, Sweden, and Denmark; a list of memoranda to Vice President Johnson; a memo on personnel skills; and several copies of blank employment applications]
	Suspend [This folder includes a stenographic notebook used by the Vice President's Secretary and includes a few notes in his own handwriting regarding various Vice Presidential foreign visits; telephone messages; a number of memos from William J. Crockett to the Vice President regarding the V.P.'s Benelux Trip; and some

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	[Miscellaneous Material] [This folder includes lists of memoranda and telegrams; a personnel list of the Vice President's Staff; an address book; various thank you letters from the Vice President; various "regret" letters from the V.P.'s Staff; a copy of the Vice President's Speaking and Appearance Schedule dated September 6, 1963; and a list of subject files]
	[Vice President's Visit to Cyprus]
	[Vice President's Visit to Greece]
	[Vice President's Visit to Italy]
	[Vice President's Visit to Beirut]
	[Vice President's Visit to Turkey]
	[Vice President's Visit to Iran]
	[Vice President's Press Conference Book, September 8, 1962]
19 (3/17)	This box added to the file 3/28/17
	Supersonic Transport Studies
	Inter-Cabinet Affairs [from binder]
	Copies of Aircraft Log, 19 Dec 1961-26 Apr 1963