

Spaeth, Merrie: Files, 1983-1985

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Office Description

The Office of Media Relations handled all press contacts with the White House other than the actual White House press corps. It was created in the fall of 1981 from the

Office of Media Liaison in the White House Press Office and the Television Office from the White House Office of Communication. It went under various names throughout the administration including: Media Liaison; Office of Media Relations and Planning; Office of Media Relations and Broadcasting; Office of Media and Broadcasting Relations. Their staff, physical location in the White House and general functions remained the same during these various name changes. For ease of use and to reflect their organizational unity the Library is naming this office: Office of Media Relations.

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OPEN		American Israel Public Affairs Committee Briefing 04/08/1984
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OPEN		Interns (1)(2)
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OPEN		London Summit 06/04/1984- 06/10/1984 (1)(2)
OPEN		Long Range Planning Material - Do Memo
OPEN		[Media Coverage "E" Awards Ceremony 05/23/1984]
OPEN		An Example of Local Media Coverage of a White House Event - "E" Awards Ceremony05/23/1984 (Binder)
OPEN		Report on Media Coverage Farm Credit Announcement on 09/18/1984 (Binder)
OPEN		Media Relations Three Month Plan Book I 05/03/1984
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OPEN		Pennsylvania Pedophile Information
OPEN		[White House Personnel Availability Chart]
OPEN		Public Liaison Meeting with Bob Reilly

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