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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The papers of Phillip E. Areeda cover the years 1952-1962 but most of them deal with the period from 1956 when he was a member of the White House Staff. In July 1956, Mr. Areeda was appointed Special Assistant in the White House and in November 1958, he was appointed Assistant Special Counsel to the President. In this position he helped draft and research White House staff studies dealing with economic and legal matters.

The papers consist of a chronological file, a subject file and a book file. Over half of the collection pertains to foreign economic policy, particularly trade agreements programs, imports, Escape Clause, and Section 22 Actions, international aviation, and maritime shipping. The type of material includes memoranda and position papers by the Departments of State, Commerce, Agriculture and other government agencies; statements by Dwight D. Eisenhower; fact sheets; briefing papers and printed material. While the majority of the foreign trade policy material is concerned with Escape Clause and Section 22 Actions on imports, there is some material on several countries and regions including, Cuba, Europe, India, Hong Kong, Japan, South America, the Soviet Union, and the United Arab Republic. Some unclassified reports include a study of Cuba under Castro; a review of reciprocal trade programs since 1934; State Department answers to twenty-two questions set forth by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on U.S. trade with the Soviet Union; and economic briefing papers concerning President Eisenhower's good will trip to South America in 1960.

Probably a third of the collection is of a legal nature and covers such subjects as jurisdiction of federal courts, antitrust concepts labor law, international aviation, and maritime flags of convenience. Much of this material consists of briefs, excerpts, and copies of court decisions, Civil Aeronautics Board opinions, and analyses by Mr. Areeda and others of legal issues.

Other subjects in the collection are: the budgets (1958-61) including messages by President Eisenhower; Republican political literature; and speech material used mainly by Mr. Areeda and Gabriel Hauge.

Major correspondents include: Sherman Adams; General Andrew Goodpaster; Gabriel Hauge; Bryce Harlow; David Kendall; Gerald Morgan; Robert Merriam; General Wilton Persons; Clarence Randall; and Don Paarlberg.

A small amount of correspondence concerns Mr. Areeda's personal affairs such as the position on the Harvard Law School Faculty which he accepted in 1961. The book file includes material for a book which Mr. Areeda was working on. This was probably Antitrust Analysis which he published in 1967.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Jan. 28, 1930	Born in Detroit, Michigan
1951	A.B., Harvard College
1954	L.L.B., Harvard Law School
1954	Admitted to the Michigan Bar
1954-55	Harvard University Traveling Fellowship in Law (Europe)
1955-57	First Lieutenant, United States Air Force
1956-61	Member of White House staff and Assistant Special Counsel to the President
1961	Became member of faculty, Harvard Law School
1963	Became Professor of Law, Harvard Law School
1967	Published Antitrust Analysis
1969	Executive Director, United States Cabinet Task Force on Oil Import Control

DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Series</u>
1-4	Chronological File-February 1957- January, 1961. 4 boxes. Arranged chronologically by month and year. Contains memoranda, correspondence of both official and personal nature, and form letters. Subjects include foreign trade policy, legal issues, and proposed legislation.
5-23	Subject File-Alphabetically arranged by subject. 18 1/2 boxes. Some items date from 1952 to 1962 although the bulk of the material falls in period from 1956-61. Series contains memoranda, studies, reports, position papers, briefs, copies, and summaries of court decisions; legal analyses; statistical data on budgetary matter; fact sheets; printed pamphlets; correspondence; speech material; statements, messages, and executive orders by DDE; and political material concerning Republican administration accomplishments. More than half of this series relates to foreign trade. Other subject areas include aviation, maritime shipping, legal and financial matters.
23-24	Book File - 1 1/2 boxes. Mainly 1954-58. This file consists of material pertaining to book which Mr. Areeda was working on. File includes bibliography cards; summaries and discussions of historical development of antitrust concepts; economists' statements; lawyers' opinions; analyses of union effects on wages; and Areeda's notes on subject matter.

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