

# RETURN TO SENDER: DOJ SEIZED EVIDENCE THAT UP TO 90 HIGHLY SENSITIVE DOCUMENTS MAY HAVE DISAPPEARED

As you read the more detailed inventory unsealed by Judge Aileen Cannon, keep in mind that Trump is under investigation not just for unlawful retention of classified documents, but also under both 18 USC 2071 and 18 USC 1519, for concealing documents and (under just 2071) for removing them.

And one of the most notable details about the inventory (aside from the fact that the Roger Stone pardon is classified Secret) is the number of empty folders:

- Item 2: The leatherbound box, containing news clippings dated 1/2017 to 10/2018
  - 43 empty folders with CLASSIFIED banners
  - 28 empty folders labeled Return to Staff Secretary/Military Aide
- Item 15: Box A-28, containing news clippings dated 10/2016 to 11/2018
  - 2 empty folders with CLASSIFIED banners
  - 2 empty folders

labeled Return to  
Staff  
Secretary/Military  
Aide

- Item 18: Box A-35,  
containing news clippings  
dated 1/2018 to 12/2019
  - 2 empty folders  
labeled Return to  
Staff  
Secretary/Military  
Aide
- Item 23: Box A-39,  
containing clippings dated  
11/2016 to 6/2018
  - 8 empty folders  
labeled Return to  
Staff  
Secretary/Military  
Aide
- Item 25: Box A-41,  
containing clippings dated  
10/2016 to 11/2017
  - 1 empty folder with  
CLASSIFIED banners
- Item 33: Box A-33 (includes  
potentially privileged  
documents), containing  
clippings dated 2/2017 to  
2/2018
  - 2 empty folders with  
CLASSIFIED banners
  - 2 empty folders  
labeled Return to  
Staff  
Secretary/Military  
Aide

All told, then, there are 48 empty CLASSIFIED document folders and 42 empty "Return to Staff Secretary/Military Aide" folders. Each of those is a highly sensitive – and now potentially missing – document.

Update: I've added the two empty CLASSIFIED folders in Item 15 and adjusted the headline.

Update: Here's my initial pass at the inventory (I need to proof the numbers; my missing Secret document happened to be Roger Stone!). An important point: Every one of the boxes seized had at least 2 government documents in it. Altogether, the FBI seized over 11,000 documents without classification markings.

Item	Box Number	Privileged	Classified	Clippings	Clippings start	Clippings end	Contents	TS	Secret	Confidential	WFO	Empty CLASS	Empty Aide	Clipping/DK	Book
1	Stone Clemency		X				Executive Grant of Clemency for 1		1			2			
2	Leahonboard			39	1/20/17	1/20/16			7	15	2	63	43	28	
3	Potential Presidential Record						Potential Presidential Record (2 items)					2			
4	Documents	X		26	1/20/20	1/10/20			1	1		357			
5	Binder of photos						Binder of photos					395			
6	Binder of photos						Binder of photos					640			
7	Handwritten note											1			
8	A-1			68	10/20/15	5/20/17						2			1
9	A-12			61	1/20/19	6/20/20						63			1
10	A-15	X		30	10/20/08	12/20/19				21	11	255			3
11	A-16	X		116	6/20/19	6/20/20						104			
12	A-17			39	1/20/17	5/20/20		2	1			71			
13	A-18	X		62	6/20/18	8/20/19					2	708			1
14	A-17	X		67	5/20/18	6/20/19					2	426			
15	A-28	X		65	10/20/16	11/20/18			4	1		78	2	2	2
16	A-20			76	11/20/17	12/20/17						60			
17	A-22			67	7/20/16	5/20/17						2			5
18	A-25	X		4	1/20/18	12/20/19						1571		2	
19	A-23	X		53	5/20/16	1/20/20				1		296			5
20	A-22			121	8/20/17	12/20/17						18			
21	A-26			2								1406			
22	A-24			109	6/20/20	10/20/20						29			
23	A-29	X		67	11/20/16	6/20/18				1		70		8	1
24	A-40			1								1623			
25	A-41	X		76	10/20/16	11/20/17						20		1	
26	A-42	X		8	10/20/17	3/20/20		3	1	1		1641			1
27	A-71			1	7/20/16	6/20/20						52			23
28	A-73	X		2	2/20/17	3/20/17		4	8	2		795			1
29	A-84	X	X	86	10/19/05	6/20/19				1		25			
30	A-28	X		29	5/20/20	9/20/20						82			
31	A-43	X		111	6/20/15	4/20/18						41			
32	A-13	X		94	2/20/08	4/20/20						88			1
33	A-33	X		63	2/20/17	2/20/18						46	3	2	1
				1673				18	54	31	11179	48	42	19	33