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Series Description

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contains correspondence files; reports; meeting files; speeches; Apollo 15 commemorative covers scandal; Challenger (STS-51L) accident investigation; program management; Apollo astronauts; Space Station Freedom (SSF); astronaut Personal Preference Kit (PPK) and Official Flight Kit (OFK) policy; and risk management.

**General Notes**

None.

**Keywords:** Apollo program; Challenger (STS-51L) accident; risk analysis; Space Station Freedom (SSF); NASA management; commemorative covers; program management; Space Shuttle program; Official Flight Kit (OFK); James C. Fletcher; George M. Low; John D. Hodge; Richard H. Truly; Michael D. Griffin; and Philip E. Culbertson.

**Box and folder list**

**Box 1**
- I Think Group
- OFK Policy
- FH Report

**Box 2**
- Chron Files, 1968-1971
- Chron Files, 1972
- Chron Files, 1973-1975
- Chron Files, 1977-1980
- Chron Files, 1983
- Chron Files, 1984
- Chron Files, 1985
- Chron Files, 1986
- Chron Files, 1987-1989
- Chron Files, 1990
- Chron Files, 1991-1995
- Chron Files, 1998
- Chron Files, 1999
- Chron Files, 2000
- Chron Files, 2001, n.d.