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TITLE: Vasilii Shumkov Collection

COLLECTION NUMBER: B2013.039

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Dates: 1991

Extent: 20 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in Russian.

Name of creator(s): Vasilii Shumkov

Administrative/Biographical History:

According to a news article published in *Vodnyi Transport* on January 24, 1991 (“Muzey Repressii”), Vasilii Shumkov exhibited these photographs in Magadan in a show titled “Proshcheniiu ne Podlezhit.” Nothing else was known about this photographer at the time of processing.

Scope and Content Description:

The collection consists of 19 mostly large-format black-and-white photographic prints of the Soviet-era gulag known as the Butugichag Corrective Labor Camp, and one newspaper.

Arrangement: Not applicable

CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE

Restrictions on Access: This collection is restricted. Please contact ARC staff for details.

Physical Access: Original items in good condition.

Technical Access: No special equipment is needed to access the materials.

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RELATED MATERIALS

Magadan Photographer Collection, B1995.020

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Collection was obtained by Connie Jones, Director of Cultural & Recreational Services for the Municipality of Anchorage circa 1994. Marianne Defendorf transferred the materials to the Anchorage Museum circa 1995. Collection was accessioned in 2013.

Processing Note

Newspaper article copied; entire paper retained in collection.

SUBJECTS

Shumkov, Vasilii

Concentration camps—Soviet Union

Prisons—Soviet Unions

Magadan (Russia)

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