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Miami, since they are submitting their own report in this matter.

The interview of JEB STUART MAGRUDER is being made part of the Administrative pages and will not be disseminated to the Department or the Prosecuting Attorneys until such time as they call for it. They are aware of the contents of the interview and are in agreement with this procedure.

Enclosures attached to this report were not made part of the official detailed investigation since the material arrived to late to be incorporated as such. It is being made available to the Prosecuting Attorneys, because of the interest of EGIL KROGH and his operation at the White House. At the present time, it is not known whether or not the documents are of significance.

The title of this case remains unchanged due to the indeterminate sentence imposed on the (5) who pled guilty; the still outstanding sentence to be imposed on MC CORD and the possibility of additional names being added at a future date.

One conviction claimed due to GEORGE GORDON LIDDY contempt of court citation for failure to testify before Federal grand jury.

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On May 23, 1973, SA GARY R. PETERSON, Intelligence Unit, Internal Revenue Service (IRS), advised SA J. PATRICK PARKER that the telephone number 964-4758, is listed to the Technical Branch, Intelligence Unit, IRS, Headquarters. He advised that STEVENS RESEARCH LAB had made contact at the Technical Branch to attempt to make a sale of equipment. No purchase was made by IRS.

PETERSON advised that FRANK HUDNER is in charge of the Technical Branch.

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As directed by SAC JOHN J. MC DERMOTT on Friday, April 6, 1973, at approximately 3:15 p.m., SA JOHN M. MC SHANE, III, Washington Field Office (WFO), accompanied by SA WILBUR G. STEVENS, Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Laboratory, went to meet SA DANIEL C. MAHAN at the Democratic National Committee Headquarters (DNCH), Watergate Office Building, 2600 Virginia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC), and there to examine a telephone instrument in which JAMES MC CORD reportedly said he had installed an electronic listening device. Upon arriving, SAs MC SHANE and STEVENS were introduced by SA MAHAN to the person then in charge of the DNCH, Mrs. MARY LOU BURG, who cleared the pertinent office space of its personnel and remained with the agents as MC SHANE and STEVENS examined the particular telephone instrument in question, and subsequently, every other telephone in that room. These examinations disclosed no foreign objects in those telephones. At this point the question of possible changes in telephone instruments arose and Mrs. MARY LOU BURG said that the Telephone Company representative who handles all service for the DNCH at the Watergate is one JOHN EVERETT, and that she could give SA MAHAN his number.

At this point SA MC SHANE called Mr. EARL CONNOR, Supervisor, Security Office, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, WDC, who advised that many telephone instrument changes had been made in the DNCH since the notorious June 17, 1972, break-in there, but there was probably no way to trace these changes. Mr. CONNOR noted that any such record of change orders, if made at all, would ordinarily be destroyed within a period of about two months - three months at most.

Mr. CONNOR said he knew personally that instruments were being changed in the areas adjoining and around Mr. OLIVER's (Mr. OLIVER of the DNCH) on September 13, 1972, when CONNOR was there. CONNOR suggested the best and perhaps the only hope of tracing any equipment changes in the DNCH would be in the memories of the installers who have done most of the telephone work there, Mr. LARRY CAPONE, and Mr. JIMMY HILTON.

Upon furnishing the above information to SAC MC DERMOTT, he instructed that every telephone instrument in the DNCH be examined. Since Mrs. BURG had conjectured there were 50-some telephones installed at that time in the DNCH, it was decided

to solicit more help in examining them. Mrs. BURG was asked for a blueprint of the DNCH space upon which the location of each telephone could be mapped by SA STEVENS. Meanwhile, SA MC SHANE picked up SAs JAMES B. REAMES, JOSEPH B. PARSONS, and JERRY H. BREIDENFELD, all of the FBI Laboratory, returning them to the DNCH. SAs PARSONS and MC SHANE then made a Radio Frequency (RF) (to detect any microphones of the type found in Mr. OLIVER's telephone on September 13, 1972) sweep of every line in every telephone instrument then present in the DNCH space. In addition, SAs REAMES, STEVENS, and BREIDENFELD opened and inspected all of these same telephone instruments, numbering approximately 77 instruments, all with negative results.

It is noted that Mr. CUNNINGHAM of the DNCH staff remained in the headquarters space with the agents during the above-described operation, and unlocked any locked offices to enable the agents to check every telephone instrument there at that time. Mr. CUNNINGHAM re-locked these offices and saw the agents out of the Watergate upon completion of their telephone inspection.

On Monday, April 9, 1973, Mr. LARRY CAPONE and Mr. JIMMY HILTON, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company Installers who handle telephone service at the DNCH were interviewed by SA JOHN M. MC SHANE, III, at Room 514, 600 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W., WDC. Mr. CAPONE said that he and a fellow installer, Mr. JOHN WILLIAMS, together with several Telephone Security men, had examined every telephone in the DNCH on September 13, 1972, the date on which a device was discovered in the telephone of Mr. OLIVER of the DNCH, and that nothing else was found. Mr. CAPONE and Mr. HILTON confirmed there have been many, many changes of telephone instruments since that time.

Concerning the specific office wherein Mr. MC CORD reportedly planted a device in a telephone, both CAPONE and HILTON recalled that to the best of their knowledge and recollection the present 6 button telephones in that office had replaced two 17 button Call Director telephone instruments which were there at

the time of the famous break-in and arrests on June 17, 1972. Mr. HILTON said he believes that every telephone instrument in the DNCH had been changed except for the Treasurer's Office.

Concerning the telephones which had been removed from the DNCH, Messrs. CAPONE and HILTON agreed that to the best of their knowledge and recollection all of these instruments had gone over to the Western Electric servicing facility in Arlington, Virginia.

On April 9, 1973, Mr. EARL CONNOR, Supervisor, Security Office, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, told SA MC SHANE that he had confirmed the following: That every telephone instrument sent to Western Electric in Arlington is opened and examined and any foregin objects are removed before delivery of the instrument to another subscriber; That to date the Western Electric people have not reported the discovery of anything resembling the device uncovered on September 13, 1972, at the DNCH, Watergate.

Mr. CONNOR stated that as a result of instant inquiry he has now instituted a procedure whereby he will be notified should any such device be uncovered by the Western Electric servicing shops in Arlington, Virginia, or in WDC, and that he will in turn notify the WFO, FBI, immediately.

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JEB STUART MAGRUDER, during the course of interviews held in the Washington Field Office, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D.C., made the following revelations to the interviewing agents. These revelations were made during and after examination of MAGRUDER on a polygraph.

He indicated that a person named ROBERT MERRICK, possibly now on the White House staff, had knowledge of the Watergate Coverup.

He stated that JEANNE MASON, a former secretary to the then Committee to re-elect the President, had committed perjury before the Federal Grand Jury and if contacted today, would probably be of assistance during an interview.

In matters concerned a previously discussed issued with MAGRUDER by SA ANGELO J. LANO, MAGRUDER advised that an individual identified as KEN L. CHACHIGIAN, a speech writer and member of the staff of former White House aide CHARLES COLSON, was involved with either the printing or preparation of literature detrimental to the opposing candidates in the Presidential election.

MAGRUDER advised that THOMAS BELL, former staff member at the Committee to Re-Elect the President, had printed in Tennessee some of this literature.

MAGRUDER further stated that HUGH WALTER SLOAN, JR., former Treasurer, Committee to Re-Elect the President, had his legal fees paid for by the Committee. Further, that SLOAN was brought back to work at the Committee as a Consultant and all his back pay was made up.

He stated that another person who has informaton about the Post Watergate coverup is LAURA FREDERICK, the secretary to FREDERICK LA RUE.

In addition, he stated that he was not certain if this was mentioned to the Federal Grand Jury by SALLY HARMONY, but he MAGRUDER, wanted it known that HARMONY delivered a set of

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"GEMSTONE" memos directly to him. ROBERT C. MARDIAN DC

MAGRUDER mentioned that a person who may have knowledge of the conversations held by himself and ROBERT MARIDAN, and FRED LA RUE while they were California, the weekend of June 17, 1972, is one RAY CALDIERO, who was the celebreties man for the CREP. DC

In conclusion, MAGRUDER mentioned that the Public Relations firm of Wagner & Baroody, did dirty tricks material work for CHARLES COLSON during the campaign. DC

MAGRUDER advised that to the best of his recollection, the above persons were the only other persons he could think of that he had not mentioned in the previous interview.

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Synopsis:

GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, 4/3/73, sentenced to additional 18 months for refusing to obey court order and testify before Federal Grand Jury. On 4/12/73, Bureau Agents with JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR. traveled to Poolesville, and Germantown, Maryland, to locate hidden electronics equipment. Some material located. MC CORD identified photos of RENALDO PICO and FELIPE DE DIEGO as being part of the group that entered the DNC during Memorial Day weekend, 1972. On 4/7/72, LEONARD LILLEY received $350,000 from ALEX BUTTERFIELD and placed same in safety deposit box. On 4/21/72, delivered $22,000 in cash to JOSEPH BAROODY, Public Affairs Consultant, WDC. On 11/28/72, LILLEY removed remaining money from safety deposit box and returned same to BUTTERFIELD. No other contacts made by BUTTERFIELD to LILLEY. HERBERT A. POST, Printer, advised GEORGE GORDON LIDDY requested him to prepare certain memorandum headed "GEMSTONE". Also requested to prepare envelopes with red borders marked "SENSITIVE MATERIAL". LIDDY made request sometime in June, 1972, and the job was completed on 6/11/72, with the material turned over to LIDDY on that date. Bill submitted for $75.66 not paid as of date of interview. JOEL CURTIS HERGE, Special Assistant to the Attorney General, advised he was conduit of $50,000 from Lehigh Valley Dairy Association and Committee to Re-Elect the President. Original offer of $100,000 was made to Committee if Vice-President AGNEW would be guest speaker. Since AGNEW not available, Secretary of Agriculture, BUTZ gave speech. Day of speech $25,000 turned over to BILL MINSHALL and JAMES MC CORD who in turn gave money to BART PORTER. Several days later, HERGE received additional $25,000 from FRANK (LNU) and that money also turned over to PORTER. TOM BELL,

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former member CRP, printed material regarding Senator ED MUSKIE and turned over literature and printing plates to BART PORTER. DARIUS N. KEATON, Monterey, California, interviewed regarding contribution to CRP after April, 1972. In particular, $1,650 wired to ROGER T. STONE, WDC. ROBERT A.F. REISNER, former Administrative Aide to JEB S. MAGRUDER, recalled "GEMSTONE" file in MAGRUDER's desk. Also stated (3) copies of Campaign activities memos prepared; (1) for MAGRUDER, (1) for JOHN N. MITCHELL and (1) for H.R. HALDEMAN. On 6/17/72, after call from MAGRUDER, REISNER placed GEMSTONE folder in ROBERT ODLE's briefcase. On 6/17/72, REISNER saw LIDDY and POWELL MOORE together in CRP headquarters. One remarked they were going to see the Attorney General (KLEINDIEST). VICTORIA L. CHERN, former secretary to JEB S. MAGRUDER maintained appointment and schedule book for MAGRUDER which was turned over to Senate Investigators. Recalled seeing typewritten forms captioned "GEMSTONE, RUBY, CRYSTAL, SEDAN CHAIR 1 & 2" and felt these were people planted in the Campaign staff of the opponents. Packaged MAGRUDER's files at the Committee for storage. Later went to MAGRUDER's home to look for a specific file. Recalled boxes appeared not to be labeled as she had once done. Investigation to locate artist who may have prepared charts for LIDDY determined there are approximately 737 such artist in the Metropolitan area. Interviews of GLENN SEDAM and EDWARD FQUILOR regarding item 2 of enclosures set forth.

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ENCLOSURES:

Enclosed for the Bureau, The Department and the United States Attorney are the following:

1) A copy of a Letterhead Memorandum captioned "DANIEL ELLSBERG: ANTHONY JOSEPH RUSSO, JR." which reflects an inventory of the documents and files removed from the former office of EGIL KROGH at the United States Department of Transportation.

2) A set of documents turned over by Archivist, Washington, D.C., which were located in 1972 Committee for the Re-Election of the President files.

DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

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On March 28, 1973, at the request of the United States Government, Chief Judge JOHN J. SIRICA, United States District Court, Washington, D.C., granted immunity from further prosecution to EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, JR., and ordered him to testify before the Federal Grand Jury.

On March, 30, 1973, Chief Judge SIRICA also granted immunity from further prosecution to GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, and ordered him to testify before the Federal Grand Jury.

On April 3, 1973, upon a motion from the U.S. Government, Judge SIRICA sentenced GEORGE GORDON LIDDY to 18 months in jail for refusing to obey his order of March 30, 1973, that is, to testify before the Federal Grand Jury. The Immunity conferred was under Sections 6001, 2 and 3 of the United States Code.

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., while in the presence of SAs ANGELO J. LANO and FELICE MUOLLO, was shown the following listed photographs in the order shown:

1. ALFRED HARRISON DOLDER, photograph taken 1971.
2. LARRY E. CANADA, photograph taken 1971.
3. JOHN EDWARD MURDOCK, photograph taken 1970.
4. FELIPE DE DIEGO, photograph taken 1972.
5. CHARLES MICHAEL TOLA, date taken unknown.
6. ORVILLE BURT MILLER, FBI 87-14345.
7. GORDON KEITH PROCTOR, FBI 4324211
8. REINALDO PICO, photographed furnished 1972.
9. ROBERT WADE DAVIS, FBI 87-8416.
10. Unknown white male in sport coat, stripped pants, with hands crossed in front.

Of the above photographs shown, MC CORD advised that the photograph of the person known as Number 8 was positively among the group of men who entered the Democratic National Committee Headquarters with him during the weekend of Memorial Day, 1972, in Washington, D. C. He advised he could not recall this persons name.

MC CORD also selected the photograph of the person depicted as Number 4. He said although he was not positive of this person, he did feel it was quite probable that this was another of the original group who entered the Democratic National Committee Headquarters during the Memorial Day weekend of 1972, in Washington, D. C.

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Pursuant to instructions furnished by Assistant United States Attorney EARL J. SILBERT, Washington, D. C., Special Agents ANGELO J. LANO and FELICE M. MUOLLO met JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR. at his residence 7 Winder Court, Rockville, Maryland, for the express purpose of being shown certain areas where he, MC CORD, had hidden electronics equipment used by him during the monitoring of Democratic National Committee Headquarters telephones.

After being introduced to SA MUOLLO, MC CORD furnished SA LANO with the following letter:

Germantown &

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JAMES W. McCORD, JR.
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April 12, 1972

TO: File

Per my offer to the USA's office in the presence of my attorney Bernard Fensterwald, the writer has voluntarily offered to take representatives of the FBI to the following locations to recover electronic equipment placed there following my arrest in June 1972, by the writer:

1. Davies farm, Elmer's School Road, near Poolesville Md.

2. Route 118, near Germantown Md

3. A paved street off of Route 28, where some items of equipment was placed in 4 drainage slots off of a paved street.

Some or none of the items may still be in place on Davies farm and off of Route 118. No major effort was made to conceal the equipment so some may have been found by owners of the property or other persons traversing the area. I have not removed any of such equipment since it was originally placed there.

James W. McCord Jr.
James W. McCord, Jr.

cc - Agt Lano

- Attorney Fensterwald

Per MC CORD's instructions, the Agents were directed to Poolesville, Maryland. After passing through Poolesville, we traveled to the intersection of Darnestown Road and Elmer's School Road. We turned left onto Elmer's School Road until we reached Davies Farm. We were directed to turn onto the approach road of Davies' Farm and proceed about forty yards. MC CORD then asked to stop and advised that in the area north of the road, he had hidden in the heavy brush, some of the electronics equipment. He indicated there might be one briefcase and numerous eavesdropping devices.

After a search of about thirty minutes, SA LANO uncovered a briefcase, reddish brown in color. After removing the heavy foilage from around the case, there came into view numerous other pieces of electronic equipment. MC CORD readily acknowledged that this was part of the items he concealed. However, he indicated that also in the area were two small boxes indicating they were about six inches by four inches by four inches in size. He indicated that they contained several "bugging" devices and panel boards. After MC CORD photographed the above recovered items the search for the other cartons continued.

The weather at the time was adverse. Heavy snow was rapidly falling and covering the ground making the search more difficult. The search was terminated due to the bad weather.

MC CORD then directed that we drive toward Germantown, Maryland. SA MUOLLO returned to Darnestown Road and proceeded toward Germantown. At the intersection of Route 28 and Route 118, SA MUOLLO turned onto Route 118. About four miles from the intersection MC CORD recognized the area where he felt he had hidden additional gear.

Before beginning a search, MC CORD indicated that in this area he had hidden two briefcases which had built into them two Uher tape recorders. In addition, he indicated there may be other electronics material. He readily admitted that in this location he did not make too great an effort to conceal the items.

It was obvious as the search began that someone or several people had been in the area. There was also evidence that possibly State maintenance crews or possibly park crew personnel had been in the area since there were several trees cut and trimmed in the area where MC CORD claimed to have hidden the equipment.

After searching for about four minutes, MC CORD uncovered in some heavy foilage numerous items of electronics gear, most of which were tools, batteries and a saw. There were several other items which will be listed on the inventory to follow. It was concluded that the valuable items, that is the tape recorders, were possibly picked up by someone walking through the area. Again, due to the heavy snow in the area, the search was called off.

MC CORD then directed that we continue on out Route 118 toward Interstate 70 S. At the intersection of Clopper and Maryland, Route 118, MC CORD asked to stop. He then stated that along a five mile stretch of road from this intersection back toward Route 70 S, he had thrown into the farm field two (2) Handie Talkies, Model 220S, worth about $1,000.00 each. He indicated that he possibly purchased these items from MICHAEL STEVENS in Chicago, Illinois. He indicated that he might possibly be able to recall the location where he dropped the items but it would take sometime to go over the area.

MC CORD then directed that we return to the intersection of Route 28 and 70 S. At this location, we turned West about two hundred yards on Route 28, until we reached Research Boulevard. Turning onto Research Boulevard, MC CORD indicated there were four storm drains on this short street in which he deposited several intercepting devices in each. No check was made of these drains. MC CORD indicated that the items were tossed away shortly after he was released from jail in June, 1972.

MC CORD also stated that southbound on Interstate 495, crossing over the Potomac River about 1/3 to 1/2 way across, he threw over the side, several pieces of electronics equipment including a tape recorder. This also was done in 1972.

From the area of the DAVIES Farm, the following items were located:

1 - Telephone block with red and orange wires and a miniature microphone attached. Block is labeled Miles - M-18.

1 - Black electronic microphone sealed with black tape connected to a Duracell 8.4 volt battery.

1 - Black microphone sealed with black tape connected to a Duracell 8.4 volt battery and held together with a rubber band.

1 - Black electronic device - 1" X 2½" X 3/4" with four orange wires. Two wires are connected to a miniature microphone.

1 - Plantair speaker with blue wire leading to alligator clip and tan wire leading to ear piece.

1 - Blue Pen - disguished - concealed microphone - with one blue wire to alligator clip; second wire to earphone.

1 - Simpson meter box.

1 - Plastic box branded "Memocord" Box 252, Englewood, New Jersey 07631.

2 - Uher akustomat - F 411 switches - SNS 16990 and 15804.

1 - Uher - "Gerate" type Z-162-12V.

1 - Sony battery pack BP-22.

1 - Calectro N 4-103 tele-amp.

1 - Uher telephone adapter.

1 - Memocord MR-550.

(1) Tele Amp with Adapter, # NA 4-0103

(2) UHER-Akustomat F 411 switches

(1) Miles Reproducer M-400 Automatic Telephone Monitor

(1) UHER connection cable # 665

(1) Small Blue charger

(1) Stuzzi MX 500 stand

(1) UHER automobile cable

(1) Martel 106 GA gain Amplifier

(1) set of cables UHER recorder

(1) Black metal box with (2) electrical plugs.

(1) Grey metal foot pedal with cord

(1) UHER power pack

(1) UHER headset

(1) UHER hand remote control unit

(1) Adapter "DC toDC Model # DC-9"

(1) Grey box marked "UHER type A-261"

(1) Black manual switch

(1) UHER headset without wrapping

(1) Overload junction box

(1) UHER cadium cord.

(8) miscellaneous cords

(2) male plugs

(2) cassette tapes still in original packages

(1) Strand of metal wire

(1) pack of plastic recording belts

(1) tube of epoxy glue

(1) empty can of 35 mm film

(1) Brown brief case. When examined it contained a recorder and a microphone which microphone was concealed in the side of the brief case.

After leaving Poolesville, MC CORD directed the Agents to Route 118, just outside of Germantown, Maryland. On a side of the road, approximately 10 to 15 feet into the brush, MC CORD explained he concealed some other equipment. He explained that there should be two briefcases with taperecorders inside. The Agents and MC CORD were unable to locate these items due to the snow. However, MC CORD did uncover a cache of miscellaneous tools and wires which he said were part of the items he concealed.

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On April 16, 1973, Special Agents ANGELO J. LANO, MICHAEL J. KING and DENNIS HOFFMAN of Washington Field Office and FELICE M. MUOLLO, Silver Spring Resident Agency, Federal Bureau of Investigation, traveled to Davies Farm, Poolesville, Maryland for the express purpose of again examining an area pointed out by JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., as being the place where he disposed of certain Electronics equipment.

Special Agent KING located behind a small tree, buried beneath a pile of leaves, a decayed cardboard box. In the remains of the box were the following items:

(Five) Oral Intercepting Devices.

(One) Wire Intercepting Device.

Several wire nuts and parts of a plug and jack were also located.

The Agents then traveled back to Route 118, just before Germantown, Maryland. This location had been searched with MC CORD, previously but due to inclement weather, the search was called off.

Located in a heavy underbrush by Special Agent MUOLLO, were two attache cases. Both cases are leather and the locks were corroded. When opened, each was found to contain a UHER tape recorder. One attache case was found to have a microphone housed in the handle with the leads running back to the tape recorder inside the brief case.

The items recovered from both locations were returned to Washington, D.C. to be shown to JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

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by Special Agents ANGELO J. LANO, DENNIS HOFFMAN, MICHAEL J. KING and FELICE M. MUOLLO Date dictated April 20, 1973

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It is noted that prior to going to the above locations, Special Agent LANO telephonically contacted BERNARD FENSTERWALD, attorney for MC CORD and informed him of the anticipated move. He agreed that MC CORD did not have to accompany the Agents, but desired to have MC CORD examine the items if any were located.

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PATRICIA A. PRESOCK, 7763 Riverdale Road, New Carrolton, Maryland, was interviewed in the United States District Court, Washington, D.C., pursuant to a Federal Grand Jury subpoena where she furnished the following information:

She is presently employed as a secretary to LAWRENCE HIGBY, who is a deputy to H.R. HALDEMAN at the White House.

She originally was a secretary to JEB S. MAGRUDER from August 1, 1972, until December, 1972, at the Committee for the Re-Election of the President and at the Inaugural Committee. In January, 1973, she moved over to the White House. Prior to the above she worked at the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and at the White House for FRED MALEK.

As a secretary for MAGRUDER she handled all his mail and personal correspondence. She worked closely with VICTORIA "VICKIE" CHERN. She also worked closely with ROBERT REISNER, MAGRUDER's Administrative Assistant. REISNER was replaced by BRUCE MILLER, when REISNER went to work for McGREGOR. PAULINE WATONA, now at Office of Economic Opportunity, replaced VICKIE CHERN.

She stated that memorandums of all sorts and descriptions were sent from MAGRUDER to GORDON STRACHAN at the White House. The memos to STRACHAN were for H.R. HALDEMAN. Some of these memos were also sent to CLARK McGREGOR.

When she typed a memo for MAGRUDER, there were three (3) copies made, one for McGREGOR, one for HALDEMAN, and one for MAGRUDER.

She recalled typing a memo directly to HALDEMAN from MAGRUDER which dealt with the Democrats having purchased prime television time or radio time.

She stated JEAN ROBERTS, MAGRUDER's former secretary, once kept a card file wherein she recorded the date and description of each memo that went to GORDON STRACHAN. However, she did not record them because it was mentioned to her by ROBERTS that it was not necessary.

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She stated that while at the Committee or shortly after the Inaugural she returned to 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue and packed up MAGRUDER's files. They were then placed in the empty office adjacent to MAGRUDER's. She took MAGRUDER's personal file and family letters to the Inaugural Office.

She stated VICKI CHERN sometime later called her and told her she was looking for a certain file for MAGRUDER. CHERN told PRESOCK that the boxes were not labeled. PRESOCK stated she recalled marking the boxes when she packed them. She also stated that when she packed them she did recall seeing a MITCHELL file in the carton. She stated these would have MAGRUDER's copies of the memos.

She recalled receiving on a daily basis from YVONNE ALLEN, copies of reports captioned CHAPMAN's Friend. These were forwarded to MAGRUDER. Later, MAGRUDER said it was not necessary to keep them, so they were being destroyed after MAGRUDER read them.

She stated GORDON STRACHAN visited MAGRUDER occasionally during the week and called quite frequently on the telephone. She does not recall STRACHAN coming to see MAGRUDER at the Inaugural Committee.

She stated JOHN W. DEAN called MAGRUDER on the telephone but not as often as STRACHAN. She advised DEAN probably visited MAGRUDER at the Committee on one occasion.

She stated MAGRUDER frequently called JOHN MITCHELL and vice versa. Even after MITCHELL left the Committee, MITCHELL continued to call MAGRUDER frequently.

While at the Inaugural Committee PRESOCK had the occasion to speak to Mrs. MAGRUDER on the telephone. She learned from Mrs. MAGRUDER that Mr. MAGRUDER was in New York visiting Mr. MITCHELL.

MITCHELL did not visit MAGRUDER at the Inaugural, but whenever MITCHELL came to Washington from New York, MAGRUDER would go to the law office of MITCHELL and meet with him.

She further stated that attorneys PARKINSON and O'BRIEN were frequent visitors to MAGRUDER's office. Whenever they were in MAGRUDER's office they would close the office door.

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KATHLEEN BALDSON, Staff Assistant to the President of the United States, was interviewed in her office at the Executive Office Building. BALDSON furnished the following information regarding certain cartons maintained in the office of EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, Jr.:

BALDSON advised that just prior to the Spring of 1972, RICHARD HOWARD, member of the staff of CHARLES COLSON, former White House Aide, and person for whom she worked in the past, asked her if she had room in her office to store some baxes. She said she did and HOWARD had brought into her office four or five small cartons. She examined these cartons and found them to contain copies of a book entitled, "The News Twisters" by EDITH EFRON. BALDSON advised that this was a best seller at the time and was being passed out among staff personnel at their meeting.

Sometime after the boxes were brought to her office, she decided that she did not have enough space for them. The office adjoining hers at the time was occupied by EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, JR. One day when HUNT was going into his office, she asked permission to store the cartons there. He agreed and she had them placed in the southwest corner of the room. There they remained until shortly before June, 1972, when the entire COLSON staff moved from the third floor to the second floor area. She had the cartons moved with her and kept them outside her second floor office, until a member of the Vice President's staff complained of the cartons being in the hallway.

Shortly before the move and thereafter, books were being dispersed to employees on a regular basis. She then displayed to the Agents, six copies of the book and she stated this is all that remains from the original five cartons. She said each carton probably held about twenty books.

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Asked to talk about HUNT, BALDSON said that the reason she knew that HUNT was or was not in his office daily was because HUNT had to pass through her office to enter his own. Whenever he was in he would usually lock the door behind him. Sometimes he would leave it ajar. HUNT had a telephone and a separate line from hers. She acknowledged answering the phone a couple of times, but most of the time, while HUNT was away from his office, the door would be locked.

She said his office had a desk, some chairs, a credenza and a file drawer type safe. She could not be certain if the cabinet had two or four drawers.

She was asked if she had seen HUNT with any visitors. She advised that GORDON LIDDY was a frequent visitor of Mr. HUNT's. She said she did not know LIDDY by name, and only recognized him as the visitor when she saw his picture in the paper with the mustache.

She said when HUNT first came to work at the Executive Office Building he would stay in his office and would be there regularly. But as time went on, he would be seen less frequently. Sometime he would come in for ten minutes and then not show up for several days or maybe even two weeks. She said on several occasions she would take his payroll check and slide it under the door to his office. BALDSON advised that when the COLSON staff moved to the second floor, HUNT stayed behind in the third floor space.

BALDSON advised that other than the cartons that she placed there herself, she neither saw nor removed any other cartons that would have belonged to HUNT from his office. She advised that she does not recall ever seeing anyone move any cartons from HUNT's office.

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BRUCE KEHRLI, Special Assistant to the President, whose office is in the west wing of the White House, furnished the following information regarding a memo dated March 22, 1972, stamped "Confidential" addressed to BRUCE KEHRLI from RICHARD HOWARD, who was then on the staff of CHARLES W. COLSON. The memo stated that HOWARD HUNT had been very effective in his position of Consultant, however, Mr. HOWARD felt that HUNT's services could be more effective at 1701. The memo recommended HUNT be terminated as a Consultant at the White House Office (WHO) effective April 1, 1972, and thereafter be immediately hired by 1701.

KEHRLI advised that on or about June 19 or June 20, 1972, he received a telephone call from then White House Counsel JOHN WESLEY DEAN, who wanted to know if HUNT was then on the White House payroll. At that time, KEHRLI reviewed the HUNT file and recalled that a memo had been forwarded to him from RICHARD HOWARD, dealing with Mr. HUNT's problem of staying on Government payroll and drawing CIA retirement benefits. He recalled that he was asked to determine what arrangements could be made back in late March or early April, 1972, to determine how HUNT could be still employed by the Government and not effect his CIA benefits. KEHRLI advised that the information was researched and it was determined at that time that the best employment possibility for HUNT would have been termination of his Consultant fees and hiring of him at the Committee for the Re-Election of the President (CRP), then in April, 1972. He stated that it was an administrative error at the time, that the memorandum was lost and after receiving the telephone call from JOHN DEAN on June 19 or 20, 1972, he began an extensive search for the document. After the document was located, he then wrote on the bottom of the document in pen that it was "Ok to transfer". He stated he did this on or about June 19 or 20, 1972, and not on March 20 or April 1, 1972.

He advised that after he located the memo and wrote the above on it, he believes he recontacted JOHN DEAN and told him that the matter concerning HUNT's problems with CIA benefits had been resolved and that as of April 1, 1972, HUNT was not on the White House payroll. He stated that the

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memo was then sent to the Personnel Section where it was placed in HUNT's file.

When asked as to whether or not he discussed this memo and his writing on it after June 17, 1972, with anyone else, KEHRLI advised that it was possible that he discussed the entire situation with CHARLES COLSON and RICHARD HOWARD at that time. He stated he can best recall that COLSON had no idea that HUNT was still employed.

KEHRLI emphatically denied having the documents typed after April 1, 1972, and stated again that it was an administrative error on his part that the documents had been misplaced and had not been located until JOHN DEAN had made inquiry of him on June 19 or 20, 1972.

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FRED FIELDING, Assistant White House Counsel, furnished the following information regarding access to the White House grounds by one ROY SHEPPARD during June, 1972:

June 2, 1972, SHEPPARD entered the White House grounds and visited with CARL KOROLOGOS. June 7, 1972, SHEPPARD displayed a Department of Transportation Identification Card at 12:35 p.m. and was going to visit with WILLIAM TIMMONS. June 9, 1972, SHEPPARD displayed a "P and S" delivery pass at 2:55 p.m. and again visited the office of WILLIAM TIMMONS. June 16, 1972, SHEPPARD displayed a Department of Transporation pass at 4:42 p.m. to visit the office of WILLIAM TIMMONS. June 21, 1972, SHEPPARD displayed Department of Transportation pass at 11:30 a.m. to visit the office of R. GIFFORD. June 21, 1972, SHEPPARD displayed a "P and S" pass at 11:38 a.m. and visited the office of Mr. O'NEIL in the press office. June 30, 1972, SHEPPARD displayed Department of Transportation pass at 2:00 and visited the offices of WILLIAM TIMMONS.

Mr. FIELDING advised that WILLIAM TIMMONS is a Staff Assistant to the President for Congressional Liaison and since SHEPPARD operates a delivery service it is conveivable that SHEPPARD did not visit Mr. TIMMONS in person but rather picked up a package from a secretary and forwarded it to someone at Capitol Hill.

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INVESTIGATION RE CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES

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LEONARD LILLEY, 3011 Cunningham Drive, Alexandria, Virginia, furnished the following information:

On April 7, 1972, he received a call from a close friend of his ALEX BUTTERFIELD, who was then a White House Aide. BUTTERFIELD related that he was charged with the responsibility of finding someone completely trustworthy and impeachable; someone who could be entrusted with a delicate task. LILLEY said he asked BUTTERFIELD who was making this request, but at that time BUTTERFIELD did not divulge the name of the person. LILLEY said he asked what it was that was to be entrusted, and BUTTERFIELD told him that a special part of the campaign fund was being set aside, and that someone outside the White House staff, someone who could be trusted; someone who would not reveal the mission and who would be in a position to travel. He recalled that BUTTERFIELD also called it a special or emergency fund and indicated that it might never be used. LILLEY said he would be honored in doing this and thought he could handle it without making it known to anyone.

BUTTERFIELD then suggested that LILLEY go to a bank and obtain a safety deposit box. LILLEY agreed and went the same day to the Clarendon Trust Bank, Rosslyn, Virginia. After obtaining the box, Number 187, he called BUTTERFIELD and they agreed to meet at the Key Bridge Marriott parking lot.

About 4:30 p.m., BUTTERFIELD showed up and turned over to LILLEY a beat up brown leather attache case. LILLEY asked BUTTERFIELD what was in the case and BUTTERFIELD said, "$350,000 in envelopes. I just counted every penny". After passing the attache case to LILLEY, LILLEY went across to the bank which was about three blocks away. BUTTERFIELD did not accompany him to the bank.

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At the bank, LILLEY opened the box then the attache case. He observed a large manila envelope marked $100,000.00. It was sealed with scotch tape. There were a number of small envelopes with $10,000 in each. It all added up to $350,000.00. LILLEY placed the envlopes in the box and left. Later that night, BUTTERFIELD called LILLEY and asked how he made out. LILLEY said he had no trouble.

A short period of time later, to be precise, April 21, 1972, ALEX BUTTERFIELD called LILLEY and said, "I've been instructed to ask you to deliver $22,000 to JOSEPH BAROODY, at 1100 17th Street, N.W., Room 712. LILLEY went to the bank and removed from the box two envelopes totaling $20,000. Then he opened a third and removed $2,000 from it. He noted that the envelope was mostly fifty and one hundred dollar bills.

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LILLEY then drove to the above address. He told the receptionist that he wanted to see Mr. BAROODY. A short time later, he was escorted to BAROODY's office. He told BAROODY, "I think you're expecting me". He asked BAROODY for his identification. After checking BAROODY over, he handed BAROODY the envelopes and left. He did not obtain a receipt from BAROODY.

LILLEY believes he may have called BUTTERFIELD and told him that he accomplished his mission, but he is not certain.

On November 28, 1972, BUTTERFIELD called again and said he wanted the rest of the money. LILLEY explained that he was enroute to Dulles Airport and did not have time to go to the bank. BUTTERFIELD insisted that he had to have the money today. LILLEY agreed to meet BUTTERFIELD again at the Marriott. LILLEY took the brown attache case and went to the bank. There he removed the remainder of the money and met with BUTTERFIELD. After he turned over the money to BUTTERFIELD, they parted.

LILLEY said that on one other occasion he went to the bank to check the box. That was on August 15, 1972. At that time he did not remove any funds from the box.

LILLEY said that one other person knew about the box, but not its contents. He said he feared that if he should die then no one could get to the box. He contacted a close friend named VINCE FORD who resides at 2001 North Adams Street, Arlington, Virginia. He explained the existence of the box to FORD, but not its contents. He also told FORD that should anything happen to him, the contents of the box should be delivered to ALEX BUTTERFIELD.

LILLEY further said that the night after he came into possession of the money from BUTTERFIELD, BUTTERFIELD told him that he was very happy to have brought up LILLEY's name; that "they" were very happy. LILLEY inquired as to who the "they" were and BUTTERFIELD responded that the persons who knew about his possession of the fund were "HALDERMAN, HIGBEY, STRACHAN and MAURICE STANS".

LILLEY said he has known BUTTERFIELD for approximately ten years. He followed BUTTERFIELD as adjutant at the U.S. Air Force Academy in Denver, Colorado, and they have been neighbors for about four years.

Other then the above information, LILLEY stated this was his only involvement with the White House or ALEX BUTTERFIELD.

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HERBERT A. POST, of H. A. Post Associates, Room 223, 1028 Connecticut Avenue, NW, furnished the following information:

He was hired to do printing work for the Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President in March, 1972. Sometime in June, 1972, he was called into the office of GEORGE GORDON LIDDY and shown several pieces of paper with written heading and caution statement. POST said LIDDY wanted to know if he, POST, could print up such material; some on plain paper and certain colored envelopes. POST agreed to do the job.

POST was asked if he has any such record and produced a large manila envelope marked "2515", Finance Committee To Re-Elect The President, Suite 272, 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, 20006. RE: Mr. GORDON LIDDY.

POST advised that he had subcontracted the job out. That 100 opaque envelopes, with red lines, marked "SENSITIVE MATERIAL"; 500 sheets of paper printed with captioned "GEMSTONE", "SOURCE" and "DATE". A warning statement was printed on the bottom. One hundred sheets of plain white paper captioned "GEMSTONE", "SOURCE" and "DATE" were also ordered. The subcontractors were printers named Doyle and one named Ginn's. The total price was $75.66. The original date of the contract was June 9, 1972. POST said he returned the completed items to LIDDY on June 11, 1972, and then on June 26, 1972, he sent the bill to the committee. Re-examination of the records failed to disclose that this bill had been paid.

POST advised he does not do and did not do any chart work for the Committee to Re-Elect or the Finance

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SA's EDWARD R. LEARY

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Company to Re-Elect of GORDON LIDDY. He did suggest that a person to contact about chart work for the Committee to Re-Elect would be Weadson Printing Service, 324, N. Fairfax, Alexandria, Virginia.

POST was given a receipt for the entire work envelope and all material contained therein. He initaled each item taken.

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Mr. JOHN D. LOFTON, Jr., Editor, Monday and First Monday, Official Republican Publications, Republican National Committee Headquarters, 310 First Street, S.E., Washington, D.C. (WDC), furnished the following information:

JOHN LOFTON

That his relationship with the Committee to Re-Elect the President, during 1971 and 1972, was not a close one. His publication had to be cleared by that Committee as the President had authorized them to handle his re-election campaign. Mr. LOFTON's contact with the Committee to Re-Elect the President (CREP) was primarily by telephone but sometimes he would visit.

On one such visit approximately a year ago, LOFTON was in JEB MAGRUDER's office, at CREP, upon entering he noticed FRED LA RUE was already present. [redacted] LOFTON asked MAGRUDER if he could use this material in his publication. MAGRUDER said, "no", as it would compromise his source. During this discussion MAGRUDER appeared to be referring to a memorandum on his desk. LOFTON described this memo as being in a soft blue folder and was entitled "Gemstone I". The writing appeared to be in a narrative form as compared to printed conversations. During this discussion Mr. LA RUE did not interject any comments. MAGRUDER stated he had more interesting information of the same nature and he appeared amused by it. MAGRUDER stated he had good sources in the Democratic Camp.

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On June 19, 1972, LOFTON contacted MAGRUDER by phone at CREP, and referring to the arrests at the Watergate office building on June 17, 1972, in jest, stated "well, I guess there goes Gemstone I?" There was a noticeable pause on MAGRUDER's part, and finally MAGRUDER said, "never use that term again".

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A second discussion regarding "Gemstone" was held with MAGRUDER by LOFTON prior to Inauguration Day, 1973. The Word "Gemstone" was never used, and MAGRUDER indicated that LOFTON had never seen the "Gemstone memo". LOFTON told MAGRUDER that he did in fact see it. MAGRUDER indicated that many people had lied under oath that this activity never occurred. MAGRUDER inferred that "Gemstone" was of a parallel intelligence nature to Watergate, but not illegal. LOFTON saw MAGRUDER on this occasion in order to pick up tickets for an Inaugural Ball. Upon entering MAGRUDER's office he noticed GORDON STRACHAN was present and LOFTON indicated he did not wish to talk in front of STRACHAN. MAGRUDER indicated it was all right and the above conversation commenced.

MARY CHOTINER

Mr. LOFTON stated that he received a report from MAURRY CHOTINER, about interviews of a reporter who had interviewed Senators, MUSKIE, HUMPHREY and MC GOVERN about themselves. CHOTINER told LOFTON to destroy the material after he had used it in the Monday publications. LOFTON never knew the identity of this reporter as the top of the page, assumed to bear his name, was blocked out. CHOTINER later stated that this reporter was not being used anymore as the money to pay him ran out.

Approximately three or four weeks ago LOFTON received a phone call from JEB MAGRUDER. MAGRUDER began the conversation with small talk then stated, "I trust you're not talking about what we discussed before." LOFTON stated he would really like to sit down with MAGRUDER and "get it straight", MAGRUDER indicated they would but the meeting never materialized.

Mr. LOFTON denied ever corresponding with MAGRUDER in writing and particularly denied ever writing a memo to him referring to MAGRUDER as a diamond or other precious stone.

Mr. LOFTON stated that he did not go to the authorities with this information because initially he did not know what it was, explaining he only recently learned what "Gemstone" referred to by reading syndicated columnist JACK ANDERSON. At the time of the presidential Inaugural the matter

stayed in the back of his mind and he was not prepared to discuss it with MAGRUDER. Finally, Mr. LOFTON stated that just a link to this entire situation could cost someone his job and future.

Mr. LOFTON provided a binder containing issues of the Monday publications for the period of November, 1972 to March, 1973, for persual.

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Mr. JOEL CURTIS HERGE, Special Assistant to the Attorney General, appeared at the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) where he was made aware of the identities of the interviewing Agents and the fact he was being interviewed pursuant to the request of the United States Federal Grand Jury, Washington, D.C. (WDC), which body is currently hearing testimony concerning the "Watergate Affair". WC

1103 WAYNEWOOD BOULEVARD, ALEXANDRIA, VA

Mr. HERGE related he was employed with the Committee to Re-Elect the President (CRP) from December 10, 1971 through November, 1972, at which time he left to join the Presidential Inaugural Committee. His duties at the CRP were scheduling the speeches of surrogate candidates throughout the country. His superior during this period was HERBERT PORTER.

In April, 1972, he was contacted by FRANK (last name unknown) who is a Lobbyist for the Lehigh Valley Dairy Association, who wanted him to supply a speaker for a major Republican dinner in Pennsylvania. At first FRANK (last name unknown) wanted Vice President AGNEW to speak and offered to pay $100,000 in the form of a campaign contribution. HERGE advised it was impossible to schedule Mr. AGNEW, but substituted Secretary of Agriculture BUTTS to make the speech. FRANK (last name unknown) then offered to make a $50,000 campaign contribution at which time he informed JEB MAGRUDER about the offer. HERGE stated when he talked to MAGRUDER they were standing outside JOHN MITCHELL's office. MAGRUDER told HERGE he would check, at which time MAGRUDER went into MITCHELL's office, stayed several minutes, and came out and told HERGE to accept the contribution. The aforementioned speech was given in late April, 1972, and the day of the speech FRANK (last name unknown) turned over $25,000 in cash to BILL MINSHALL, Assistant Scheduler for the CRP and JAMES MC CORD, who in turn turned the money over to PORTER. Several days after the speech FRANK (last name unknown) gave directly to HERGE another $25,000 in cash, and he gave it to PORTER, who put the money in his safe. DC

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HERGE stated the next day PORTER and himself delivered the entire $50,000 in cash to HUGH SLOAN. He stated he did not get a receipt from SLOAN and has no idea what SLOAN did with the funds or how SLOAN recorded the receipt of the money. He stated; however, that SLOAN was aware of the origin of the funds.

He advised the only other time he had any contact with FRANK (last name unknown) was in May, 1972, when he approached him to see if he (HERGE) could help him out with a tax case, that was evidently before the courts, involving the Lehigh Valley Dairy Association, in return for a large campaign contribution.

HERGE stated he discussed this proposal with MAGRUDER and MAGRUDER flatly rejected the idea.

Sometime in October or November he discussed the previously described $50,000 contribution with MAURICE STANS and STANS told him that he was already aware of the details of the contribution.

HERGE advised PORTER spent the majority of his time on scheduling and political strategy sessions, but also would arrange counter-demonstrations to offset any demonstrations against Republican candidates. PORTER would enlist the aid of KENNETH RIETZ and ROGER STONE, both employed by the CRP, to use their contacts with young Republicans to supply the manpower for these counter-demonstrations.

He advised that PORTER also had an individual working for him with the code name "SEDANCHAIR" (true name unknown) whose job it was to infiltrate various Democratic Campaign Headquarters and gather intelligence. PORTER paid "SEDANCHAIR" through ROGER STONE who wired "SEDANCHAIR" money via Western Union. HERGE stated he is unaware of the amount of money "SEDANCHAIR" was paid, the frequency of the payment or the information "SEDANCHAIR" furnished.

The only other activity of this type was prior to a Presidential speech when JOHN MITCHELL instructed all CRP staff members to elicit the aid of their friends and write telegrams and postcards in support of the President's speech.

The only other event that HERGE can recall that may have relevance is a discussion he had with PORTER where PORTER related that on June 18, 1972, he (PORTER) was at a dinner in California with the top people in the CRP. During the dinner MAGRUDER left the room and several minutes came back and stated he had just received a phone call from GORDON LIDDY who wanted MAGRUDER to call him back on a "safe" phone. MAGRUDER decided to call LIDDY back on a pay phone and was gone several minutes. When he returned he was visibly shaken and told JOHN MITCHELL "Boss we have a serious public relations problem". MAGRUDER then sat down with MITCHELL, FRED LARUE and ROBERT MARDIAN and as PORTER was not at the same table did not hear what was discussed.

HERGE stated this is all of the information that he can possibly recall that may be pertinent. He furnished his home address as 1102 Waynewood Boulevard, Alexandria, Virginia, phone number 360-7987.

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THOMAS BELL TOM BELL D.C.

THOMAS D. BELL, JR., Sloan Building, Harpeth Drive, Brentwood, Tennessee, telephone number 834-1460, who resides at 111 Old Hickory Boulevard, Apartment 121, Nashville, Tennessee, telephone number 356-7975, after having read and signed a statement of his rights and waiver, advised that he was presently engaged in a land development business in Brentwood under the name of Stamps-Bell and Associates and he was also engaged in an institutional fund raising business operating under the name B.D.F. Associates of Tennessee.

Mr. BELL advised that prior to June 1, 1971, he was on Senator BROCK's staff in Washington, D. C., and beginning on June 1, 1971, he was appointed Deputy Director of the Young Voters for the President (YVP) and remained in that position until November 15, 1972. He stated the Director of this organization was KEN RIETZ, who was there during the approximate same period of time. Mr. BELL advised that the office for the YVP was first located at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., and after a short period of time was moved to 1730 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. He stated when they first started operation, they had a small staff but by the end of their services they had a full-time staff of approximately 40 to 50 people with a large number of these being volunteers. He stated the purpose of the YVP was to capture the youth vote which was classified as voters between the age of 18 and 30. He stated that his primary purpose was to involve young people in the Presidential campaign and that in this connection he had approximately 500,000 volunteers.

Mr. BELL advised that during this period of time he was part owner of a printing firm known as Capitol Graphics, Inc., located in the J. C. Bradford Building, Fourth and Church Street, Nashville, Tennessee. He stated the President of this business was JOHN STAMPS, who resides at 213 Vaughns Gap Road, Nashville, Tennessee, and who has offices in the Sloan Building with him and who is associated with him in their land development business. He stated the

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by SA LAWRENCE M. MANDYCK and SA JOHN EDWARD RODGERS JER:mrp Date dictated 4/25/73

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Capitol Graphics, Inc., business is no longer in existence and that they ceased the operation sometime in September or October of 1972 when they sold the equipment. He stated in their operation of this business they lost money and it was liquidated. He advised the business was operated mostly by JOHN STAMPS and that any records of the business would be in the possession of STAMPS.

Mr. BELL advised that one of the individuals who interviewed him for the position of Deputy Director of the YVP was HERBERT (BART) PORTER, who was Director of Spokesmen Resources, which was a division of the Committee to Re-Elect the President. He stated he considered PORTER his superior.

Mr. BELL stated that he made a bid to print the stationery for the Committee to Re-Elect the President, but his bid was unsuccessful. Mr. BELL advised that during the pre-primary period PORTER came to him and asked him to do a printing job for him and stated he would furnish him a copy of a desired matter to be printed at a later date. He advised that PORTER instructed him to personally take the copy to Nashville, Tennessee, and personally supervise its printing and then return it to him personally along with the copy which was furnished and all layouts and plates used in the printing. He stated he did thereafter bring the copy to Nashville, Tennessee, and that he personally took it to the printer and instructed MICKEY WILLIAMS, who was at that time employed by them as a printer, to print the item and return it to him. BELL stated that 500 copies of the item were printed and returned to him and that he personally flew to Washington, D. C., and turned these over to PORTER. He stated the package which he turned over to PORTER was approximately 30 inches long, 20 inches wide, and 20 inches deep and contained the printed material as well as the copy and any layout or plate which was utilized in the printing of same. Mr. BELL advised that he did not remember the title of this pamphlet or the content of same but that he believed that it was blue in color and was done in what they call a letter fold, which is a sheet of paper 8½ inches by 11 inches which is folded three times. This pamphlet contained a picture of ED MUSKIE on either the front or the back.

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Mr. BELL advised that he does not recall the name or content of this pamphlet and that he does not know whether or not this was a pamphlet entitled "Why a Liberal Should Vote for McGovern." He stated that he did think that the pamphlet had to do with a candidate in the Democratic primary.

Mr. BELL stated that he considered the commissioning and arrangements regarding this printing unusual but that it was done by a person he considered his superior and he followed instructions and asked no questions.

Mr. BELL stated that he later received a second order from PORTER, which was handed to him in the same fashion but without the secrecy and with no instructions that he personally supervise the printing of same. He stated he sent this order to his printing company in Nashville and that it was printed and subsequently returned via some type of commercial shipment to PORTER. Mr. BELL stated he is under the impression that this second order was an order for stationery and did not relate to any type of pamphlet. He stated in both instances Mr. PORTER paid him in cash.

Mr. BELL stated at a later date Mr. PORTER requested a bill marked "Paid" in regard to the two printing transactions in order that some record might be kept for money expended. Mr. BELL stated he passed this request on to his company in Nashville and assumes that they sent PORTER a bill marked "Paid."

Mr. BELL advised that the YVP utilized many pamphlets, posters, and much printed material which were supplied to him by the Committee for the Re-Election of the President. He stated he did not at any time have anything to do with any printing of pamphlets or other material other than in those two instances described above. He stated that the material used in the campaign was varied but he specifically recalls that they had four posters which depicted the President in four different areas of accomplishment, one of these being in regard to the President's trip to China, another relating to his

accomplishments during his first administration, and there were two others which he could not specifically recall. He stated he also recalls that there were numerous pamphlets which they used, and he recalls one dealing with the war in Vietnam, another dealing with the draft, a third dealing with ecology, and a fourth dealing with vocational education. Mr. BELL stated that this was merely a small portion of the printed material utilized but this was the best he could remember and stated that he presently has no material which was utilized during the campaign.

Mr. BELL advised that his day-to-day function upon assuming the position of Deputy Director of the YVP was basically research. He stated he conducted extensive research during the first part of his tenure in this job in an effort to determine the ten major counties in a number of critical states where the youth vote would be substantial. He stated starting in January of 1972 he traveled extensively and met and appointed State Chairmen in the organization and people on the staff. He stated another major function during his tenure in this office was preparing the program for the young voters at the convention. He stated following the convention, his time was consumed with maintaining contact with the various State Chairmen and other people engaged in the campaign in the YVP organization.

Mr. BELL pointed out that during this period of time his activities related almost solely to the YVP and that his activities were such that he did not ask many questions about other activities in the Party and he felt like he was furnished information on an almost need-to-know basis. He stated that during this period of time he saw no activities which he considered unethical or illegal in his organization or any other organization involving the re-election of the President. He pointed out that his whole objective in the campaign was to convince the youth of the country that political activity was clean, decent, honorable, and above-board and that had he observed any activity which would have indicated otherwise, he would not have been able to continue in his position.

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MIKE MCMINOWAY

MICHAEL WAYNE MC MINOWAY was located at his residence, 8118 West Manslick Road, Louisville, Kentucky, at which time he was advised of the identity of the interviewing agent.

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He was advised of the nature of the interview and that it involved his activities concerning employment with the Republican Party during the presidential campaign of 1972.

BORN - 9/16/46, LOUISVILLE, KY.

MC MINOWAY requested that he be contacted at his place of employment, 4118 Flintlock, Louisville, Kentucky, after 9 AM on the morning of May 2, 1973.

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by SA WALTER R. SPOONER/mlh Date dictated 5/3/73

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MICHAEL WAYNE MC MINOWAY, 8118 Manslick Road, Louisville, Kentucky, was contacted at his place of business, McMinoway Productions, Investigators, 4118 Flintlock, Louisville, Kentucky. MC MINOWAY was advised of the nature of the interview and furnished a waiver of rights form. He read the waiver of rights form, stated he understood his rights but declined at that time to sign the form. He added that he wanted to cooperate fully with any investigation being conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), but that he desired to contact his attorney, FRANK E. HADDAD, JR., regarding the interview. He stated that he had been in contact with Mr. HADDAD on the evening of May 1, 1973, and had been advised at that time that Mr. HADDAD wanted to be present during any interviewing of MC MINOWAY.

After being advised of the reason and nature of this interview he did add that he did not know any individual by the name of ROGER STONE but did know an individual who had been introduced to him as JASON RAINER. RAINER had been to Louisville to contact him and had hired him to work for the Republican Party. He was told by RAINER that at no time was he to represent himself as having been employed by the Committee to Re-Elect the President (CREP). During this employment he traveled to various states among which he admitted were California and Wisconsin, but he declined to further describe what duties he performed in these states. He did also state that during these travels he was in contact with no other person who was employed in a similar capacity and the only person he had any contact with officially during this entire time was RAINER.

MC MINOWAY reiterated that he wanted to cooperate fully with the FBI and that he felt he had not violated any law but to be sure of his position he felt that he needed legal counsel.

The following description was obtained of MC MINOWAY through observation and interview:

Name: MICHAEL WAYNE MC MINOWAY
Address: 8118 West Manslick Road, Box 101 (trailer park)

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by SA EUGENE N. THOMECZEK
SA WALTER R. SPOONER WRS/mlh Date dictated 5/3/73

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Date of Birth:	September 10, 1946
Place of Birth:	Louisville, Kentucky
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Height:	5' 8"
Weight:	165
Hair:	Brown, long sideburns
Eyes:	Blue
Wife:	MARY E. also known as BETSY
Daughter:	HOLLY MC MINOWAY, age 18 months
Military service:	None
Arrest record:	None
Social Security Number:	406-62-1023
Education:	Bachelor of Science in Political Science, Murray State University, 1969

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The following investigation was conducted by SA WALTER R. SPOONER at Louisville, Kentucky:

On May 2, 1973, FRANK E. HADDAD, JR., advised that he was representing MICHAEL WAYNE MC MINOWAY as his attorney. He stated that after discussion with Mr. MC MINOWAY he felt that he could not allow Mr. MC MINOWAY to be interviewed without the promise of immunity from any federal prosecution.

He added further that he was willing to have his client disclose all of his activities during the presidential campaign of 1972 providing immunity was granted to him.

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Mr. MORTON C. BLACKWELL, 3128 17th Street, North Arlington, Virginia, (Telephone 524-0299), who is employed by the Richard A. Viguerie Company, Incorporated, 1825 Connecticut Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., was interviewed at his home by Special Agents HARVEY E. WILKINSON and LESLIE B. CHISHOLM. SA CHISHOLM advised Mr. BLACKWELL that he would like to interview him concerning his acquaintanceship and associations, if any, with Mr. JEB STUART MAGRUDER, BART PORTER, ROGER STONE, and MIKE MC MINNOWAY and inquiry would also be made concerning BLACKWELL's activities, if any, during the last campaign. SA CHISHOLM advised BLACKWELL of his rights and BLACKWELL executed an "Advise of Rights" form. BLACKWELL advised as follows:

BLACKWELL attended Louisianna State University (LSU), graduating in 1965 as a Chemical Engineer. During the period BLACKWELL attended LSU he was active in young Republican Party groups and activities.

After graduating from LSU, BLACKWELL was employed by the College Republican National Committee (CRNC), from 1965 to 1970, which is funded by the Republican National Committee. During the period BLACKWELL was with the CRNC, he served in various capacities including that of Southern Area Field Director, National Director of Field activities and Executive Director.

BLACKWELL is not personally acquainted with JEB STUART MAGRUDER or BART PORTER, and he has had no association with either. BLACKWELL is acquainted with ROGER J. STONE, Jr., and MIKE MC MINNOWAY, having been associated with them in the CRNC.

BLACKWELL met MC MINNOWAY, a student at State University, Murray, Kentucky, in 1967, during the campaign of LOUIE B. NUNN for the Governership of Kentucky. MC MINNOWAY and BLACKWELL were active in the NUNN Campaign.

BLACKWELL met STONE, who was associated with the CRNC in the District of Columbia about 1968, and they have been associated in the CRNC and social activities over the period of their acquaintanceship.

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by SA HARVEY E. WILKINSON
SA LESLIE B. CHISHOLM/LBC:lmm Date dictated 5/11/73

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About a year ago STONE, then State Chairman of the CRNC for the District of Columbia requested BLACKWELL to suggest someone who might do some field work with intelligence aspects. (According to BLACKWELL, Intelligence is very important in politics and a great deal of emphasis is placed on knowing what the other side is doing. BLACKWELL pointed out that he has prepared several manuals for CRNC which emphsize the importance of intelligence). At the time STONE contacted BLACKWELL, STONE indicated he was working with the Committee for the Re-Election of the President scheduling some of the "Surrogate Candidates," who were prominent individuals, to fill in and speak in place of the President at various functions. MC MINNOWAY's name came to BLACKWELL's mind as an individual who might be available for field work.

BLACKWELL contacted MC MINNOWAY, who was employed by the Ford Motor Company, Louisville, Kentucky, and inquired as to whether MC MINNOWAY would be available for field work. MC MINNOWAY told BLACKWELL that he might be available and BLACKWELL furnished MC MINNOWAY's name to STONE. STONE did not in any way indicate to BLACKWELL that MC MINNOWAY or anyone else BLACKWELL might recommend would be engaged in political pranks to disrupt campaigns or anything whatsoever illegal.

BLACKWELL does not know whether MC MINNOWAY was employed by STONE and he has heard nothing concerning MC MINNOWAY's activities. The only contacts BLACKWELL has had with MC MINNOWAY since the NUNN campaign was one conversation in 1968 and the contact about one year ago in connection with STONE. Today is the first time BLACKWELL has heard MC MINNOWAY's name mentioned since the contact a year ago.

BLACKWELL did not consider it at all unusual to be asked to suggest someone for campaign employment because of his activities with CRNC. BLACKWELL has placed or suggested the names of many acquaintances to be used in political campaigns since his experiences with CRNC beginning in 1968.

The only activities that STONE indicated he was engaged in with the campaign was the "Surrogate Candidate" activities.

After leaving the CRNC in November, 1970, BLACKWELL returned to his home in Louisiana for about three months. He returned to Washington, D. C. in January, 1971, and was employed by the Enterprise Institute for Public Research Policy, 1150 17th Street, N. W., heading various computer projects. In May, 1972, BLACKWELL gave up his position with the institute and returned to Louisiana to be married. In June, 1972, BLACKWELL was employed by the Richard A. Viguerie Company, Incorporated, and has remained with this company until the present time.

BLACKWELL had no role in the 1972 Presidential Campaign and did not participate in any activities in connection therewith. The only political activities of any kind in which BLACKWELL became engaged in 1972 was in placing people he was acquainted with through CRNC activities in some Senate and Congressional races.

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DARIUS NATHANIEL KEATON, JR., was interviewed at the FBI Resident Agency, Monterey, California.

At the outset of the interview KEATON was advised of his rights and furnished a copy of the Form FD-395 (Interrogation; Advice of Rights). After reading it, he signed and agreed to be interviewed.

He set forth that he undertook the job of Western Regional Finance Chairman for the Committee to Re-Elect the President (CREP) during the last week of April or the first week of May, 1972. This region encompassed California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Arizona, Hawaii, and Alaska. In such position he was responsible for the forwarding of many hundreds of thousands of dollars of campaign contributions to CREP headquarters at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC) - but in the form of checks of other persons.

He himself ~~contributed~~ W. A. THOMPSON $25,000 to CREP by means of a check (issued by his personal secretary, SHIRLEY NAHAS) in July, 1972. This check was actually for $40,000, but by letter directed to PAUL E. BARRICK, Treasurer, CREP, WDC, it was pointed out that $25,000 was to be his contribution and the $15,000 balance was the contribution of WILLIAM THOMPSON, an oil-man friend in the Los Angeles, California, area. KEATON advised he would furnish a copy of the above $40,000 check, as well as the receipts, dated in December, 1972, acknowledging the receipt of the contribution by KEATON. These receipts were issued by several CREP units.

KEATON advised that in July, 1972, he received a telephone call from HERBERT "BART" PORTER, an official at CREP headquarters in WDC, presumably emanating from WDC. PORTER informed that money was needed urgently immediately and requesting $1,650. KEATON said he was assured by PORTER that there was nothing "shady or snaky" about the deal. He was instructed to send the money to ROGER J. STONE, JR., at 1310 New Hampshire Avenue NW, WDC. KEATON advised he reluctantly sent this $1,650 by Western Union money order. He advised he could furnish a copy of his receipt for this transaction. KEATON stated he does not know STONE or his connection, if any, with CREP. Concerning this transaction, PORTER telephonically contacted KEATON at Pebble

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by WARREN A. COOK / ER Date dictated 5/1/73

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Beach, California, on April 26, 1973, advising he had been interrogated by the FBI and wanted to assure himself that it was in fact KEATON who had made the above $1,650 contribution and not FRED LA RUE.

After the election, in January, 1973, he received another telephone call from PORTER setting forth that FRED LA RUE, another official at CREP headquarters in WDC, would like to see him in WDC. KEATON questioned PORTER closely as to the purpose of and PORTER professed not to know. KEATON flew to WDC and met LA RUE on the Tuesday before the inauguration (January 16, 1973), the best he can recall. He met him on the 2nd floor of 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W., WDC - although PORTER said that LA RUE would meet him anywhere in the country. LA RUE asked him to contribute himself or to arrange to get more money - as much as he could. LA RUE would not say for what the money was to be used. KEATON put LA RUE Off, saying the election was over and contributions seemed uncalled for in view of reported abundance of funds already collected. KEATON stated he never really intended to attempt to obtain additional funds. However, he told LA RUE he would make some contacts to see what he could arrange. He never made any such contacts and never heard from PORTER or LA RUE again about this matter. Just after talking to LA RUE, he reported his conversation to LEE NUNN, another CREP official having an office on the second floor of 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, but was not given any satisfaction as to why such additional funds were needed.

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KEATON denied secretly giving $50,000 of his own money to CREP, or anyone, during April, 1972. He also denied giving $16,000 to CREP or anyone after April 7, 1972, or after June 17, 1972. The only contributions he made of his own were the $25,000 and the $1,650 amounts set out above. Further, he denied he has made any contributions since the November, 1972, election and, specifically, not in December, 1972, or February, 1973.

KEATON stated he first met BART PORTER in about May, 1972, in WDC. Since then he has seen him a total of about eight or nine times, including two or three times at celebrity campaign functions in the Los Angeles area, casually - usually at dinner meetings in WDC, and once when PORTER attended the Bing Crosby golf tournament at Pebble Beach, California, in January, 1973. He never had any long discussions one for one with PORTER, except for the telephone conversation concerning his trip to WDC to meet with LA RUE.

As to LA RUE, KEATON set out that he has also known him since about May, 1972, and since then has met with him only

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casually on five or six occasions in WDC - usually in a group, except for the incident set out above on January 16, 1973.

He maintained that his meetings with PORTER and LA RUE had nothing to do with the so-called Watergate incident.

In addition, the following description was obtained from observation and interview: DARIUS KEATON

Name	DARIUS NATHANIEL KEATON
Aliases	"Dee"
Sex	Male DARIUS N KEATON
Race	White
DOB	April 20, 1924
POB	Atlanta, Georgia
Residence	P. O. Box 695, Riata Road, Pebble Beach, California
Height	6'2"
Weight	220 pounds
Build	Heavy DG
Hair	Grey
Eyes	Blue
Complexion	Ruddy D. N. KEATON
Occupation	President, Charter Trading Company, 666 El Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California
Marital status	Married
Wife	CAROL KEATON, same address
Driver's license #	B295227, State of California

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DARIUS N. KEATON, JR., President, Charter Trading Co., 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, furnished copies of the following items:

1. Telegraphic Money Order Receipt #76 389 50, dated 7/1/72 in the amount of $1,650 plus $25.60 fee. This was sent to ROGER J. STONE, JR., 1310 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. The sender was D. N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey.

2. Check #108 dated 7/17/72, payable to Committee for the Re-Election of the President, in the amount of $40,000. It was signed by SHIRLEY NAHAS and drawn on the SHIRLEY NAHAS, Special Account, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California 93940. It was drawn on the Crocker-Citizens National Bank, Monterey Office, 439 Alvarado Street, Monterey.

3. Receipt #4652 for $3,000, issued on 12/11/72 to DARVIS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the New York Committee to Re-Elect the President, Inc.

4. Receipt #663, for $3,000, dated 12/12/72, issued to DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the Ohio Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President.

5. Receipt for $3,000, dated 12/12/72, issued to DARIUS KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the California Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President.

6. Receipt #17075 for $3,000, dated 12/1/72, issued to DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President.

7. Receipt #2340 for $3,000, dated 12/1/72, issued to DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the Media Committee to Re-Elect the President.

8. Receipt #2340, dated 12/1/72, for $3,000, issued to DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the Radio Committee to Re-Elect the President.

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9. Receipt #3638, for $3,000, dated 12/11/72, issued to DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the Pennsylvania Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President.

10. Receipt #2466 for $3,000, dated 12/1/72, issued to DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey, California, by the Television Committee to Re-Elect the President.

KEATON set forth that he had been unable to locate a copy of the letter accompanying the $40,000 check (item 2 above), but that he has requested a copy of it to be sent to him by PAUL E. BARRICK, Treasurer of CREP, Washington, D.C., and has told BARRICK that the FBI will contact him to obtain a copy of the letter, which shows the allocation of the check between himself and WILLIAM THOMPSON ($25,000 to himself and $15,000 to THOMPSON.

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TELEGRAPHIC MONEY ORDER RECEIPT

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PAYMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF $ _____ RECEIVED.

SIGNED

the following Money Order subject to conditions below and on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

AMT.	1,650	00
FEE	25	00
TOLLS		
TAX		
TOTAL	1,675	00

Dr. Monterey

MOD 76 388 50

AMOUNT: ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED FIFTY/NO 1,650.00

ROGER J. STONE, JR. 202 223-0328

ESS: 1310 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVE. N.W.

STATE WASH., D.C.

D.N. KEATON 765 14 St

D. N. KEATON, 666 CAMINO AGUAJITO, MTRY 373-095

SENDER'S FULL NAME: ADDRESS TELEPHONE NUMBER

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SHIRLEY NAHAS
SPECIAL ACCOUNT
666 CAMINO AGUAJITO
MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA 93940

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July 17 1972

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Pay to the Order Committee for the Re-election of the President $40,000.00

Forty thousand & no/100 Dollars

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439 Alvarado St. • Monterey, California
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KENNETH RIETZ, Former Director of the Youth Division, Committee for the Re-Election of the President, was interviewed at the U.S. District Court. Present during the interview was Attorney JERRIS LEONARD. After being advised of the nature of the interivew, RIETZ furnished the following statement:

On or about July 1, 1971, RIETZ set up the Youth for Nixon Campaign for the Committee of the Re-Election of the President. Between July and October of 1971, he formulated a group of people to travel the country to study the "Young People" on how the "Youths" were reacting toward the "Re-Election of the President".

At the time he had a staff of three people. The project first centered on opinion poll, both college and non-college. They determined that one third of all the young people in the country were going to college; that another survey showed that a majority of young people lived in 150 counties in the country and that a survey of the colleges of the country revealed a great percentage of the young people attended 400 colleges. In addition his survey showed that only 18 percent of the American Youths were Republican.

Part of his coordination was to mix the youth groups, that is, the "Republican Youths" with the "Democratic Youths". He did this in New Hampshire where the MC GOVERN and NIXON supporters lived together.

One of his surveys showed that some young people felt "all young people" disliked NIXON. At the time of the Convention, RIETZ estimated he had 450,000 young NIXON supporters. Three thousand of them paid their own way to the Convention.

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During the Campaign he was responsible for having TED BRILL posted in front of the White House. BRILL was hired by a member of RIETZ's staff, GEORGE GORTON. This was done at the request of JEB S. MAGRUDER. At the time, there was a "radical" group posted outside the White House. At sometimes, the group differed from "Quakers" and other groups. This location seemed to be a meeting place for all sorts of groups and people coming to or passing through Washington. RIETZ advised BRILL was able to learn of plans by radicals intended at the convention and also was able to estimate the number of radicals traveling to the Convention site. BRILL reported to GORTON orally. GORTON wrote a memo to RIETZ who passed the memo on to MAGRUDER. BRILL also passed on some information about a "pot" party that was to take place.

On or about June 19, 1972, BRILL was terminated from the post and he believes this was done on MAGRUDER's request. BRILL was not put back to work at that location and RIETZ stated he did not receive any message to reinstate him.

RIETZ stated he recalled being asked about furnishing youths for counterdemonstrations. He stated he never permitted this to happen; however, he did agree to allowing his young people appear at rallies with NIXON signs and NIXON buttons. To his knowledge, they did not engage in any disruptions. He advised the above request came from BILL RHATICAN through CHARLES COLSON. He stated RHATICAN or someone on the staff requested RIETZ to have someone attend the "Gay Liberation Conference" wearing MC GOVERN buttons.

He stated MAGRUDER was the person who wanted to know if RIETZ's "Young People" could create embarrassing situations at MC GOVERN rallies, especially by cheering against MC GOVERN. He refused. He stated that those people who did appear with NIXON signs were all volunteers, and no one was paid for any activity.

He stated BRILL was paid about $150.00 a week. This money came as cash from HERBERT PORTER.

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GLENN F. SEDAM, JR.

Mr. GLENN SEDAM, Consultant, Department of Transportation, Washington, D. C. (WDC); home address 907 Leigh Mill Road, Great Falls, Virginia, voluntarily appeared at the Washington Field Office (WFO) of the FBI and furnished the following information:

He became a General Counsel to the Committee to Re-Elect the President (CRP), WDC, on April 28, 1972, taking the place of GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, when Mr. LIDDY became Counsel to the Finance Committee of the CRP on that date. Mr. SEDAM stayed with the CRP through the Presidential election in November, 1972. MEMBER - ACTION COMMITTEE ON AMERICAN/ARAB RELATIONS M.T. 411 LEXINGTON AVE NEW YORK, N.Y.

In the Fall of 1972 he was furnished a letter from Mr. EDWARD FAILOR of the CRP directed to a Mr. MEDHI and signed GEORGE McGOVERN. This letter indicated Mr. McGOVERN's support for the Arab cause in the Middle East. He believes at that time Mr. FAILOR also provided him with some newspaper clippings which also indicated Mr. McGOVERN's support of the Arab cause. Mr. FAILOR requested Mr. SEDAM to check the authenticity of this particular letter. Thereafter, Mr. SEDAM contacted a Mr. ROBERT CHASE of the Republican National Committee and solicited from him a copy of Mr. McGOVERN's signature and typewriter impressions from Mr. McGOVERN's office in the United States Senate. Mr. SEDAM also attempted to verify the existence of Dr. MEDHI and his American Arab Relations Committee in New York City, New York. Mr. SEDAM does not recall if he ever made a conclusion if the letter was authentic but does not think that he did. Mr. SEDAM stated that he does not recall what he told Mr. FAILOR about his research in this matter. D.C.

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At this time Mr. SEDAM was in the process of obtaining and checking election contributions at the Government Accounting Office (GAO) in an effort to determine if Mr. McGOVERN was complying with the new election laws regarding his campaign. This particular research indicated that Mr. McGOVERN was in fact complying with these laws, but that his office did detect various technical violations. Mr. SEDAM stated that he believes that these technical violations were used in accusations against Mr. McGOVERN's campaign in various

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speeches and letters of Senator DOLE. In this regard, Mr. SEDAM stated that two of his assistants, C. MICHAEL TARONE, currently with the Office of Economic Opportunity and Mr. JOSEPH ADAMS, currently with the White House staff, did much of the work in these various research projects.

On another occasion, Mr. FAILOR requested Mr. SEDAM to check on the authenticity of a story that Mr. McGOVERN's daughter was under treatment in a mental institution. Mr. SEDAM stated that he accepted the task from Mr. FAILOR but never researched it and never gave Mr. FAILOR any conclusions.

In another request of a similar nature, Mr. SEDAM stated that at approximately the same time he received a request from the office of JOHN DEAN, Legal Counsel to the President, to check the deed on Senator McGOVERN's home in Maryland to determine if it had any restrictive covenants to the effect of reselling the home to a member of the Negro race. Mr. SEDAM believed that this was done as someone had check the deed to Mr. NIXON's home in Spring Valley, Maryland, and determined that his home in fact had such a clause. Mr. SEDAM stated that he believed Mr. McGOVERN's home had the same restrictive clause in his deed as many of the homes in that area when they were sold in years past had such restrictive clauses but since that time they have been held unconstitutional by the United States Supreme Court.

Mr. SEDAM stated that he saw Mr. FAILOR frequently in media strategy meetings and that his input in these meetings would be limited to the perusal of the public records regarding Senator McGOVERN's campaign contributions.

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Mr. EDWARD D. FAILOR, Administrator of Social and Economic Administration, Room 4858, United States Department of Commerce, 14th and E Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. (WDC), furnished the following information: EDWARD FAILOR

He was a Special Assistant to the Campaign Manager for the Committee to Re-Elect the President (CRP), WDC, from June 19, 1972 through the conclusion of the Presidential campaign in November, 1972. Prior to his employment at the CRP, Mr. FAILOR was a Staff Associate to the Director of Mines.

At the conclusion of the Republican Convention in Miami, Florida, in the Summer of 1972, it was Mr. FAILOR's position to interface with Mr. CHARLES COLSON of the White House regarding strategy matters of the upcoming Republican Presidential campaign, and as such he would hold daily meetings with Mr. COLSON and other members of various staffs at 9:15 a.m. Mr. FAILOR stated that he would essentially be involved with blocks of time to be used in radio and television wherein surrogate candidates could introduce new ideas or counter-Democratic issues. Other persons present at these meetings would be Mr. DICK HOWARD, PAT BUCHANAN, AL ABRAMS, DES BARKER, KEN CLAUSEN, and WALLY JOHNSON, who was Congressional Liaison for the White House at that time. D.C.

In regard to a letter allegedly sent by Senator McGOVERN to an Arab group in New York, Mr. FAILOR stated that many such items were received by the CRP and many of these items received were complete fabrications and that whenever he received such an item he would do his utmost to determine that it was authentic before using it and this was the case in this particular letter. Mr. FAILOR stated that he believes he furnished this letter to Mr. GLENN SEDAM who was General Counsel to the CRP at the time, for the purpose of checking McGOVERN's signature and to determine if the recipient of the letter had furnished any contributions to McGOVERN's campaign. Mr. FAILOR stated that SEDAM's research indicated that the letter was not accurate and therefore it was not used. Mr. FAILOR stated that he had no recollection of any newspaper accounts of this letter. In this regard, Mr. FAILOR stated that he recollects

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receiving a letter on McGOVERN's war conduct, and newspaper clippings from South Dakota indicating that McGOVERN's daughter was either involved with drugs or in a mental institution. Other such letters would indicate that Senator McGOVERN's brother had a severe alcohol problem but as far as Mr. FAILOR can remember, these items were not used in the campaign against Mr. McGOVERN.

Mr. FAILOR stated that at the aforementioned meetings with Mr. COLSON that in essence he was the CRP's representative on campaign strategy. Prior to these meetings, he would attend strategy meetings at the CPR which he described as informative.

In regard to a report entitled "Chapmans Friend", Mr. FAILOR stated that he was aware of such a report as he received one daily. Mr. FAILOR did not know the identity of the person involved, but he stated that from reading the reports it was easily determined that this individual had to be a member of the press traveling with Senator McGOVERN's plane. These reports essentially contained McGOVERN's itinerary and what his reactions were to the press that particular day and what issues bothered him the most. Each day Mr. FAILOR would destroy his copy of "Chapmans Friend" as he stated they were not necessary to keep. These reports were supplied to him from Mr. MAURY CHOWLER's office through his secretary, YVONNE ALLEN. However, when he first arrived at the CRP these reports were supplied to him from Mr. JEB STUART MAGRUDER's secretary.

Mr. FAILOR stated that ~~he is also aware~~ CODENAME of the term "SEDAN CHAIR". Mr. FAILOR stated that when he first came to the CRP he was shown the various functions of the CRP, and on one occasion he was asked to talk to BART PORTER by Mr. MAGRUDER regarding "SEDAN CHAIR". PORTER advised Mr. FAILOR that "SEDAN CHAIR" was some individual involved in Senator HUMPHREY's campaign and his Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, headquarters. Mr. FAILOR stated that he advised PORTER through Mr. MAGRUDER that in his, FAILOR's, judgement that such activity on the part of the CRP was no longer wise in view of the Watergate incident. Mr. FAILOR stated that he assumes Mr. MAGRUDER and Mr. PORTER followed his judgement in removing this individual from Mr. HUMPHREY's campaign.

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Mr. FAILOR stated that he was totally unaware of any telephone monitoring being conducted by the CRP and that the term "Gemstone" was not known to him until he read it recently in a newspaper column. In regards to the term VIOLA SMITH, Mr. FAILOR stated that this term was used by persons calling into any local CRP Office in ascertaining opposition candidates' itinerary. Mr. FAILOR stated that when a person called into a local CRP Office and asked for VIOLA SMITH the recipient of the call would immediately know the subject matter of the call and take the necessary information. Mr. FAILOR stated that this technique was used because it was possible for persons calling into various offices not to always be connected with the person to whom they were calling. In determining the itinerary of various opposition candidates, Mr. FAILOR stated that by knowing their whereabouts he could schedule surrogate candidates to appear before them and shortly thereafter.

In regard to the Watergate matter, Mr. FAILOR stated that he applied what he called his "blurr technique". Mr. FAILOR described this as making similar accusations against the opposition by reviewing public record matter such as the campaign contributions submitted to the GAO. When he inquired as to the facts of the Watergate matter to Mr. MAGRUDER and what the Committee was going to do about it, he was always informed by Mr. MAGRUDER that a special committee was handling the Watergate matter.

Mr. FAILOR stated that in no way did he participate in the cover-up of the Committee's possible involvement in the Watergate matter and that he had no direct knowledge of any persons involved and that he would not speculate or provide hearsay knowledge to that effect.

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ROBERT A. R. REISNER, Office of Management and Budget, was interviewed at 2000 L Street, N.W., Room 815, the office of his attorney, GEORGE L. CHRISTOPHER. Mr. CHRISTOPHER was not present during the interview, however, he was advised of the nature of the interview.

REISNER advised he was the Administrative Aide to JEB S. MAGRUDER from November, 1971 to July, 1972. REISNER advised he resides at 2727 29th Street, N.W., Apartment 332. His present employment is in room 10001, of the New Executive Office Building.

REISNER advised that "Sedan - Chair 2", to him, was the code name for a person working for HERBERT "BART" PORTER. This is not a known fact to REISNER, only an inference because one time in April, 1972, PORTER went into a closed door meeting with MAGRUDER. As PORTER left, REISNER heard MAGRUDER tell PORTER to "go do something about it". PORTER returned a short time later, but could not get into see MAGRUDER. PORTER gave a memo to REISNER, and told him to get it into MAGRUDER.

REISNER said he read about two pages of the memo; recalled it was from or referenced "Sedan - Chair 2". That the memo was ten pages long, double spaced: That whoever the person was, it was apparent he was in Philadelphia working in the HUMPHREY campaign. The tone of the memo was that this person was taking pleasure in fouling up the "mailing list".

He further believes "Sedan - Chair 2" was a person in Philadelphia because one day MAGRUDER and PORTER conversed about PORTER's having problems with the man in Philadelphia not doing a very good job.

Further, he saw a $1,000 monthly expenditure to "S C-2" in a ledger kept by PORTER, in PORTER's safe. The reason he saw this was he helped count cash on hand and receipts for PORTER one time, in PORTER's office. He described the book as a steno notebook.

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REISNER said when he was questioned by the Senate Staff about receipts, books and the identity of "S C-2".

In another related matter dealing with intelligence gathering, REISNER stated as follows:

In December, 1971, PORTER had a photo of a California "MUSKIE" Rally. The photo depicted Spanish looking pickets. PORTER and MAGRUDER discussed the photo and REISNER got the impression that the pickets may have been organized by the CREP, however, this is speculation on his part, although it was an Anti MUSKIE picket group.

REISNER said PORTER oftentimes kept his office door locked when he was in or out.

One time, PORTER indicated to REISNER that he was involved in something. He had a projector in his office. The projector was not an ordinary 35 mm type, but one that appeared to be able to project micro-film.

One Saturday morning in the spring of 1972, REISNER and PORTER were in the CREP. PORTER was using the projector. He opened the door and called REISNER to the doorway. PORTER told REISNER that what he, REISNER, saw projected on the wall was a mailing list. REISNER said he saw writing on the wall, and that it could have been a list, but he was not certain. He said the inference from PORTER at the time was that the "MUSKIE" mailing list.

One time he saw PORTER give MAGRUDER a booklet or a pamphlet. He described it as being yellow and carried a picture of "MUSKIE" with a cigar on the front. He recalled some wording on it as saying, "Liberals watch out".

REISNER said he recalled this particular pamphlet because MAGRUDER gave him a copy to place in the "MITCHELL" folder.

Again on Intelligence gathering, REISNER said there was a guy who stood in front of the White House wearing a McGOVERN button. This person would sit with the demonstrators. A problem arose one time and REISNER felt MAGRUDER called KEN REITZ and told him to take the guy away. He said this

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because, after MAGRUDER received a call from the White House, MAGRUDER called REITZ to put the guy back. All this happened before June 17, 1972. After June 17, 1972, REISNER was told by MAGRUDER to have REITZ remove the guy from in front of the White House.

Around the beginning of June, 1972, a person identified now as RICK FORE, presently employed at H.U.D., traveled to California where he observed McGOVERN's campaign. The idea was to determine McGOVERN's strategy. Shortly after his arrival in California, FORE wrote a paper from which 5,000 copies were made and distributed all over the country to Republican campaign offices.

REISNER further believes that FORE met with "top level people" on his intelligence gathering mission. In addition to having done work for MAGRUDER, FORE also worked for BOB MERRICK and JERRY JONES.

REISNER stated he was aware of reports being received by MAGRUDER from "CHAPMAN'S FRIEND". He stated he saw these reports in July, 1972 and told CLARK MAC GREGOR that it was foolish for this type of material to be received by CREP. According to REISNER, MAC GREGOR agreed that MAGRUDER should be told to stop and instructed REISNER to relay the message. REISNER did; however, in August of 1972, while in MAGRUDER's office, he saw a new report from 'CHAPMAN'S FRIEND".

On separate occasions, REISNER recalled seeing two memos from HERBERT PORTER going to MAGRUDER. One had something to do with "MUSKIE's Issue Group", which REISNER felt was later leaked to the press via "ERNEST and NOVAK". The second was a memo about TERRY SANFORD and whether or not he would be a candidate for high office. This memo was a Xerox copy with certain names blocked out. It was going from PORTER to MAGRUDER.

REISNER recalled seeing a pamphlet which he described as being a "Demonstrator's Manual" on how to get to San Diego and where to stay. A copy of this pamphlet was placed in the MITCHELL file per MAGRUDER's orders.

Again in talking about certain memos, REISNER said copies of all memos went as follows: One to MAGRUDER, one to MITCHELL file and one was sent to HALDEMAN.

REISNER said the reason he knew memos went to HALDEMAN was because oftentimes he would send them, via messenger, or JEAN ROBERTS, The Secretary would send them. He said on sensitive memos, MAGRUDER would put those in the MITCHELL file himself, but did not know if MAGRUDER sent sensitive memos to HALDEMAN.

On June 17, 1972, REISNER received a telephone call at his home about 6:00 pm. It was from MAGRUDER. MAGRUDER asked REISNER to go to the office and pull the sensitive files from his desk.

When REISNER arrived at the office, he found ROBERT ODLE there. He told ODLE that MAGRUDER wanted him to remove certain files from his desk. ODLE then called MAGRUDER. They both spoke to MAGRUDER in California. REISNER removed a blue folder which had the "GEMSTONE" memos in it. He placed this file in ODLE's briefcase. He also removed a Polling Book, a notebook on campaign strategy and a file pertaining to some "Democrats for NIXON". When asked about the MAGRUDER and MITCHELL files, REISNER stated he recalled MAGRUDER had taken those two files to the West Coast that week. They were not in the desk on June 17, 1972.

Regarding the "GEMSTONE" file, REISNER said he saw that folder on three occasions:

1. One time MAGRUDER gave it to him and said, "Put this in the MITCHELL file".

2. One evening, prior to week of June 17, he happened to be putting items in MAGRUDER's desk, and he saw the blue folder at that time.

3. The evening of the 17th of June, 1972, he put the folder in ODLE's briefcase.

REISNER said that on one or two occasions, JAMES MC CORD gave MAGRUDER memos. He recalled one saying, "A source has revealed, etc.". This memo given to MAGRUDER in a sealed envelope. The only way REISNER found out about it was that MAGRUDER put it in the out box and when REISNER picked it up, MAGRUDER said, "Destroy it".

REISNER said he recalled ROBERT ODLE being upset because MC CORD was bypassing him and going to MAGRUDER.

REISNER said the week of June 17, 1972, MC CORD came around to see MAGRUDER but did not get in to see him.

On one occasion, he recalled GEORGE GORDON LIDDY came by to see MAGRUDER. The office door was closed. LIDDY told REISNER that MAGRUDER wanted to see him. LIDDY gave REISNER a sheet of paper, face down and told REISNER to be certain that MAGRUDER got it. A short time later, REISNER brought the paper into MAGRUDER. He recalled it had hand-written material on it. One column had figures, the other column had words. REISNER speculated this was a type of budget.

REISNER said he recalled seeing a memo or two from a source called "RUBY - 2". One memo from this source related that a certain congressman, who could cause potential embarrassment to the Administration was BARRY GOLDWATER, JR. REISNER could not elaborate on this statement.

The second memo reflected that an unrecalled individual, who was a Spanish appointee in the Administration could also be of potential embarrassment to the Administration.

Along these same lines, REISNER said LIDDY sent MAGRUDER a memo about two "agents" running into each other; "collided in their work". REISNER felt this meant that two undercover CREP workers crossed paths on the same opposing candidate and could have brought embarrassment to the CREP.

REISNER said that JOHN LOFTON, Editor of the Republican National Committee Magazine "Monday" and "First Monday", once wrote a memo to MAGRUDER, with aliases of "Diamond, emerald, etc.". REISNER said he felt LOFTON must have had knowledge of "GEMSTONE" to write something like that.

REISNER said that sometimes in the Winter of 1972, about January or February, LIDDY asked him if there was an easel at the Justice Department to put charts on. LIDDY told him that he was going to meet with then Attorney General JOHN N. MITCHELL and needed the easel. REISNER said he looked for one at CREP but was unsuccessful. He believes he then called LEA JABLONSKY, MITCHELL's secretary and asked her. He does not know if she found one.

REISNER said he never saw the charts quoted in the newspapers. But he did see LIDDY with charts at that time and they were turned in such a manner that only their reverse sides could be seen.

Concerning "GEMSTONE", REISNER said another person who appeared to have knowledge of this matter is KEN KACHIGIAN (ph) who is a speech writer at the White House.

About two weeks prior to June 17, 1972, KACHIGIAN visited with MAGRUDER in his, MAGRUDER's, office. The door was closed. Late that same day, KACHIGIAN called REISNER and said he was interested in seeing "that folder". REISNER replied, "You mean GEMSTONE memos?" REISNER said there was a sudden pause as if KACHIGIAN was surprised that REISNER knew of the file. Then KACHIGIAN acknowledged that it was the correct file. REISNER told KACHIGIAN to speak to MAGRUDER about it. He does not know if KACHIGIAN was ever able to see the file. KACHIGIAN would visit MAGRUDER from time to time. KACHIGIAN also wrote a strategy paper on how to cope with Senator MC GOVERN.

DL POWELL A. MOORE

In addition to previously mentioned information about June 17, 1972, REISNER said that he understood GORDON LIDDY and POWELL MOORE may have talked to the A.G. on that date. REISNER said he was in LIDDY's office about 1:00 pm. LIDDY was on the telephone about four or five minutes with JEB MAGRUDER. The only thing he remembered was that LIDDY said "MC CORD had many clients". REISNER, After finding out about MC CORD's arrest, asked LIDDY why MC CORD would be involved. He said LIDDY replied, "I was under so much pressure". LIDDY also said that he and MOORE were going to see the Attorney General. They appeared to leave, but he felt they went to MOORE's office because a while later when REISNER was going to his car, he saw LIDDY and MOORE leaving 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue.

REISNER recalled that on numerous occasions he carried messages to LIDDY from MAGRUDER. One time LIDDY came down from his office and told REISNER he needed approval for a project, that he had people waiting. REISNER carried the message to MAGRUDER and it was denied. On another occasion in March, 1972, MAGRUDER told REISNER to call LIDDY and tell him the "first part is approved". REISNER did so and LIDDY said he couldn't go ahead. REISNER

suggested LIDDY get together with MAGRUDER since he, REISNER, didn't know what was happening. Not long after, MAGRUDER and LIDDY did talk in MAGRUDER's office. REISNER said that if MAGRUDER needed approval on certain matters, that approval could only come from JOHN MITCHELL. REISNER recalled one time a plane trip to Florida, during the ITT hearings he, REISNER, said he hoped "we're (CREP) doing something about this". MAGRUDER replied, "Don't worry about it. Somebody's working on it".

Just recently, when REISNER was served with a subpoena by the Senate Committee, MAGRUDER called and suggested REISNER have a lawyer with him. He told REISNER that he should be careful about what he has to say "because a lot rides on this". REISNER said he felt the call came from Attorney PAUL O'BRIEN's office because he remembered first telling O'BRIEN that he did not think MAGRUDER should meet with him (REISNER) prior to going to the Senate. O'BRIEN allowed MAGRUDER to talk because O'BRIEN said he was leaving to go get some tobacco.

He recalled speaking with MAGRUDER again that same day. MAGRUDER indicated to REISNER that he (REISNER) could not speculate on anything. "Mens lives are at stake here". REISNER agreed and said he would not speculate. REISNER said he last spoke to FRED FIELDING about Executive Privilege before giving any testimony to the Senate. FIELDING, as well as PAUL O'BRIEN told him to tell the truth because, "You're not a major witness".

REISNER recalled a discussion with MAGRUDER wherein MAGRUDER mentioned a problem has arisen with "JACK ANDERSON". It was REISNER's understanding that LIDDY was going to handle the ANDERSON problem.

REISNER said he remembered a time in the Spring of 1972 when GORDON LIDDY came rushing into MAGRUDER's office saying that he was going to have a girl paint "MC GOVERN" across her chest and go busting in front of a television camera during a campaign speech, and expose herself.

REISNER also recalled LIDDY suggesting that he arrange to send 100 pizzas to a MUSKIE dinner.

Sometime around May 1, 1972, MAGRUDER received a rush call from a high official. The only reason he says it was a high official was because MAGRUDER acted so swiftly

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after the call. MAGRUDER told REISNER to get LIDDY upstairs right away. The nature of the discussion was counter-demonstrations. LIDDY said it would take several thousand dollars because he needed plane tickets.

REISNER said PORTER maintained a safe in his office. PORTER gave REISNER the combination. The only two times REISNER opened the safe to his knowledge was once when PORTER was away, FRED LA RUE asked him to open it. He did not know if LA RUE put something in or took it out. The second occasion was to take a typewriter ball out of the safe and give it to LIDDY, who in turn gave it to SALLY HARMONY.

REISNER said he could not think of any more information which would be of value to the investigators in this case.

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SANDY HOBBS, who resides at 415 East 85th Street, New York City, New York, was interviewed at the United States District Court, Washington, D.C. (WDC). Present during the interview was her attorney, identified as ALFRED D. SWERSKY, of 123 North Pitt Street, Alexandria, Virginia.

HOBBS advised she was hired by the law firm of Mudge, Rose, Guthrie and Alexander to be a legal secretary to JOHN N. MITCHELL. She began this job on April 1, 1972, at the Committee for the Re-election of the President, 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., WDC. At the time she was hired, LEA JABLONSKI was Mr. MITCHELL's personal secretary. On or about July 4, 1972, JABLONSKI became the secretary to CLARK MC GREGOR.

While acting as the legal secretary to Mr. MITCHELL at the Committee for the Re-election of the President, in addition to maintaining a log of visitors to Mr. MITCHELL, she also handled his correspondence both business and personal. She recalls that she received numerous envelopes marked confidential addressed to Mr. MITCHELL. She advised she had an agreement with Mr. MITCHELL that she would handcarry the sealed envelope to his desk and open it in his presence. Mr. MITCHELL would then remove the contents and review it for whatever action was necessary. She advised during the time that she was employed as his secretary at the Committee for the Re-election of the President, she did not see any memos addressed to either Mr. MITCHELL or JEB STUART MAGRUDER which bore the caption "Gemstone, Ruby, Crystal, Chapman's Friend or Sedan Chair."

She advised that a majority of memos coming from the Committee to Re-elect the President while Mr. MITCHELL was head of that organization were memos clearly marked either on the first, second or third page, "approved or disapproved." She stated whatever course of action Mr. MITCHELL chose to indicate on these memos, each memo was sent back to the original sender.

She stated that at the time Mr. MITCHELL left the Committee and returned to his law practice, all the files were material that came into his possession which he maintained a copy of, were returned to MAGRUDER or CLARK MAC GREGOR. She

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stated that Mr. MITCHELL's personal files from the Justice Department and/or the Committee for the Re-election of the President, are currently stored in a warehouse in New York City. She estimated that there are approximately 40 to 50 such cartons clearly labeled with their contents.

After Mr. MITCHELL left the Committee for the Re-election of the President and returned to his law practice at the same address, she continued her employment, and continues to be his personal secretary now that he is back in New York. She advised that Mr. MITCHELL left WDC in late November, 1972, and took up permanent residence in New York City. Although she could not state positively, HOBBS advised that MAGRUDER did visit with Mr. MITCHELL between July and November, 1972, in the law office at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue. She further stated that she is quite certain that MAGRUDER visited MITCHELL in New York City between November, 1972, and March, 1973, on at least two occasions. At the time of the Presidential Inaugural in 1973, Mr. MITCHELL came to Washington and did have a meeting with Governor NELSON ROCKETFELLER of New York. She did not know if Mr. MITCHELL met with Mr. MAGRUDER during that period of time in WDC.

HOBBS advised that she saw GEORGE GORDON LIDDY one time on the third floor at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, in the hallway. She advised she never saw LIDDY in Mr. MITCHELL's office nor does she recall ever making an appointment for Mr. LIDDY to visit with Mr. MITCHELL while at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue.

She advised that she received a call shortly before leaving Washington or possibly after her arrival in New York City, from someone at the Committee for the Re-election of the President, wanting to know if Mr. MITCHELL wanted any of his files to go to the Archives. To the best of her knowledge, all materials pertaining to the campaign, held by Mr. MITCHELL, were returned to Mr. MAGRUDER or Mr. MAC GREGOR and nothing of Mr. MITCHELL's involvement in the campaign to the Archives.

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EVELINE HYDE, 5807 Aberdeen Road, Bethesda, Maryland, was located and interviewed at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., and she furnished the following information:

She began working at the Committee for the Re-election of the President as a volunteer in June 1971. In December 1971, she began full-time employment and was entered on the payroll.

On June 17, 1972, she was already at the Committee for the Re-election of the President (CREP) office when GORDON LIDDY arrived. HUGH SLOAN was also at the office. LIDDY went directly in to see SLOAN. The door was closed and therefore she could not see or hear what was going on. Her desk was right outside of LIDDY's office. Shortly thereafter, she saw LIDDY carrying things - papers - from his office. She does not know where LIDDY went with the material.

She believes she left around one or two p.m. that day and LIDDY was still working.

She stated she never saw any charts going in or out of LIDDY's office. She claimed that LIDDY was a secretive person in that unlike other officials at the CREP, LIDDY would always close his office door, even if he was in there alone.

She recalls that JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR. would visit with LIDDY about twice a week, more or less.

She also recalled answering the telephone for SALLY HARMONY, LIDDY's secretary. The call was from Mr. JOHN MITCHELL's secretary for LIDDY. This was while LIDDY was with the Finance Committee.

She recalled that on June 19, 1972, LANG WASHBURN called a meeting of the Finance Committee and said that the Committee was not involved in the June 17th break-in of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters. WASHBURN turned to LIDDY and said, "Don't you agree GORDON?" LIDDY agreed that the Committee was not involved.

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Part of her duties in the Finance Committee dealt with keeping a record for Secretary MAURICE STANS of persons to be contacted and persons who contributed; persons who gave after April 7 and prior to June 17, 1972; persons who gave and whom the Committee felt could give more.

There was one set of cards kept by her which identified amounts of contributions and by whom donated. This record has been subpoenaed by Common Cause.

In conclusion, HYDE stated the names "GEMSTONE, RUBY, CRYSTAL, SEDAN-CHAIR and CHAPMAN's Friend" meant nothing to her.

She further stated that HUGH SLOAN kept a large sum of money in his safe. She knows this because she kept her records in his safe and often times, while taking the records out or putting them back, she would see the cash. She said she was never told what it was being used for.

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Miss JEAN K. ROBERTS, 5601 Seminary Road, Apartment 117 North, Falls Church, Virginia, Secretary, Office of the Secretary of Defense, Room 3E282, telephone number OX5-0348, Pentagon Building, Arlington, Virginia, voluntarily appeared at the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and furnished the following information: D.C.

JEAN ROBERTS GENE ROBERTS PA.

That one JEB STUART MAGRUDER came from the White House to the Committee to Re-Elect the President on May 1, 1971 and she also came over to the committee with him and remained his secretary until approximately August 9, 1972 at which time she became the appointment secretary for Mr. CLARK MC GREGOR, who then was the Chairman for the Committee to Re-Elect the President.

During Miss ROBERTS employment to the Committee to Re-Elect the President, she recalls the name "GEMSTONE" perhaps appearing on a piece of paper early in the spring of 1972.

H. R. HALDEMAN

Prior to Mr. JOHN N. MITCHELL's arrival at the Committee to Re-Elect the President as its chairman in May, 1972, Mr. MAGRUDER traveled to the Department of Justice and brought with him various memoranda and other materials to furnish to Mr. MITCHELL. Miss ROBERTS stated it was standard operating procedure to make a copy of all correspondence directed to Mr. MITCHELL for Mr. BOB HALDEMAN at the White House. In like manner, she stated, it was also current procedure for her to make a copy of all memoranda to Mr. HALDEMAN and direct it to Mr. MITCHELL. Miss ROBERTS stated that an example of this type of procedure would be that all budget, advertisement, primary, and administrative memo copies would go to both HALDEMAN and MITCHELL. When Mr. MITCHELL came over to the Committee to Re-Elect the President as its chairman, Mr. MAGRUDER would hand-carry copies of all correspondence to Mr. MITCHELL's office. Miss ROBERTS would make a total of four copies of all correspondence to Mr. MITCHELL; a working copy for Mr. MAGRUDER, a copy for Mr. MITCHELL, a copy for the subject file and a copy for Mr. HALDEMAN. Original memorandum that came back from Mr. MITCHELL and Mr. HALDEMAN were filed in chronological order. D.C.

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When Miss ROBERTS left MAGRUDER in order to go to Mr. MC GREGOR's office, all correspondence were located in filing cabinets in Mr. MAGRUDER's office and she stated that she has not seen these items since that time. However, Miss ROBERTS did state that she returned to Mr. MAGRUDER's office on occasion to find various items for the assistants of other secretarial help.

During the weekend of June 17, 1972, Miss ROBERTS was in Pennsylvania visiting her parents. During this period of time, Miss ROBERTS lived with JEAN MASON. On returning to Washington, D. C. (WDC) on June 18, 1972, she was informed of the break-in of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters by Miss MASON during the evening hours. On June 19, 1972, business was conducted as usual at the Committee to Re-Elect the President. Mr. MAGRUDER had returned from California and fellow employees at the Committee to Re-Elect the President did not wish to talk about the break-in.

During Miss ROBERTS' employment at the committee, she recalls typing memos on the convention and convention sites. Occasionally she saw memos from Mr. MC CORD to Mr. MAGRUDER regarding proposed demonstrations. During her employment with the committee, she also saw reports concerning a Mr. CHAPMAN's friends directed to Mr. MAGRUDER from Mr. MAURY CHOTINER. Reports were hand-carried to Mr. MAGRUDER by Mr. CHOTINER's secretary, EVONNE ALLEN, either on a weekly or monthly basis. Miss ROBERTS said she probably destroyed these reports as they were not marked strictly for the purpose of filing.

Closed door meetings held by Mr. MAGRUDER did not mean anything to Miss ROBERTS, as he had such meetings with numerous individuals including GEORGE GORDON LIDDY. In regard to Mr. MAGRUDER's appointment book, Miss ROBERTS stated that she turned it over to a subsequent secretary, VICKY CHERN. Miss ROBERTS stated that she does not know what files, if any, were taken with Mr. MAGRUDER when he left the Committee to Re-Elect the President. Most budget memorandums were prepared by the individual division of the committee that was requesting default and was directed to Mr. ROBERT OBLE then to Mr. MAGRUDER and eventually on to Mr. JOHN MITCHELL. Mr. MAGRUDER had no authority to approve budgets and could not approve the expenditure of any sum of money. Such approval was left up to Mr. MITCHELL or MAURICE STANS.

An individual by the name of PATTY PRESOCK succeeded Miss ROBERTS as Mr. MAGRUDER's secretary. In regards to Mr. JOHN LOFTON, Miss ROBERTS stated that he called occasionally as well as visiting. Miss ROBERTS stated that it was entirely possible that Mr. MAGRUDER could have received a written correspondence from Mr. LOFTON. Mr. GORDON STRACHAN was a frequent caller to Mr. MAGRUDER, but a less frequent visitor at the Committee to Re-Elect the President. During her period as secretary to Mr. MAGRUDER, Miss ROBERTS started a card file, consisting of index cards, regarding correspondence that left Mr. MAGRUDER's desk. This index card contained the addressee, date of correspondence, subject and distribution of the same correspondence. This card file was started regarding correspondents MITCHELL and HALDEMAN because of frequent requests as to the whereabouts of correspondence already forwarded to them. After Miss ROBERTS left Mr. MAGRUDER, this practice stopped. When she left Mr. MAGRUDER's office, the card file was left there. At the present time, PATTY PRESOCK is employed as a secretary on the White House staff working for a Mr. HIGBY. Mr. DWIGHT CHAPIN and Mr. KEN KHACHIGIAN were also frequent visitors to Mr. MAGRUDER at the Committee to Re-Elect the President. Mr. MAGRUDER had an executive assistant by the name of REISNER who eventually went with Mr. CLARK MC GREGOR when Mr. MC GREGOR arrived at the Committee to Re-Elect the President. In Mr. REISNER's place, Mr. MAGRUDER hired a Mr. ~~ROBERT MILLER~~ DC as his executive assistant.

Miss ROBERTS stated that she never recalled seeing a blue file containing the name "GEMSTONE" and that in July, 1972 she testified before a Federal Grand Jury in WDC about her knowledge of the Watergate affair as related above. An attorney by the name of PAUL O'BRIEN went with her to the U.S. District Courthouse, WDC upon completion of her testimony he inquired of her as to the questions and answers posed of her in the grand jury room. Miss ROBERTS stated that she also provided the same information to Mr. FRED LA RUE of the Committee to Re-Elect the President.

Miss ROBERTS terminated her employment with the committee on January 12, 1973.

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JEAN ROBERTS, telephone number OX5-0348, telephonically advised that the only appointment book she kept for JEB STUART MAGRUDER, during her employment with the Committee To Re-Elect the President, was turned over to VICKI CHERN, in January, 1972. She stated she did not keep a copy of the appointment book for her own records.

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VICTORIA L. CHERN, who resides at 1435 4th Street, S.W., and who is employed with the United States Information Agency, News and Special Events Section, Old Post Office Building, 12th and Pennsylvania, N.W., was interviewed on the Sixth floor of the Old Post Office Building. VICKI CHERN

VICKI CHERN advised that in October, 1971, at the Committee for the Re-election of the President (CRP), she was a secretary for KENNETH RIETZ, at 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. At that time, RIETZ was in charge of the Youth Division for the Re-election of the President. Sometime around the end of October, 1971, she had an occasion to schedule a trip for JEB S. MAGRUDER and Mr. RIETZ to Los Angeles, California. She stated the trip was in line with CRP official business and that MAGRUDER and RIETZ stayed at either the Beverly Hills or the Beverly Wilshire Hotel, in the new wing. After the trip, RIETZ informed her that MAGRUDER wanted her to become his secretary. She stated she moved over and became MAGRUDER's appointment secretary which entailed her to schedule MAGRUDER's trips and to keep his appointment book current.

She advised that in addition to the above, she also scheduled the weekly strategy meetings which were held in the Hays Adam Hotel on Monday nights. After a critical news article had appeared in the paper about the CRP conferences being held at the above hotel, the conferences were moved back to 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. She remarked that on one occasion, a strategy meeting was held in the apartment of FRED LA RUE. The persons who attended the strategy meetings to the best of her recollection were: RICHARD MOORE, LEONARD GARMENT, PETER DALEY, HARRY FLEMING, BOB MARIK, CLIFF MILLER, PHIL ODANOU, GORDON STRACHAN, DWIGHT CHAPIN. She stated on occasion ROBERT MARDIAN would attend some of the meetings.

CHERN advised that her duties were limited to a great extent because she was not a typist and therefore could not be a full-time secretary. She stated that GENE ROBERTS

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was the full-time secretary to MAGRUDER. She stated her job, in addition to the previously mentioned, also consisted of delivering and receiving memorandum for MAGRUDER from various persons either at the committee or at the White House. She stated that the last six weeks of the campaign, she spent in Connecticut running a telephone campaign which covered five cities in the state of Connecticut. She returned to the Committee for the Re-election of the President on Election Day, 1972. Following that, she moved over to the Inaugural Committee to assist Mr. MAGRUDER.

CHERN then furnished the following information concerning activities relevant to the current investigation regarding JEB S. MAGRUDER and others at the Committee for the Re-election of the President:

In connection with the strategy conferences held weekly, she said it was the job of JAMES WALTER MC CORD, Jr. to check out the room. She stated MC CORD carried around with him a small electronic device which he had explained to her as being capable of locating any "bugs" in the conference room. After he would complete his search, door would be locked until the meeting began. To her knowledge, most of the strategy conferences dealt with the advertising campaign of the committee.

Two weeks prior to the beginning of the convention in Miami Beach, PATTY PRESOCK replaced GENE ROBERTS as MAGRUDER's secretary. Following the election, PRESOCK went with MAGRUDER to the Inaugural Committee Office. After the inaugural, PRESOCK moved over to the White House and became a secretary to LARRY HIGBY, who is the number one aide to H.R. HALDEMAN.

Sometime in February, 1973, she recalled having gone back to the Committee for the Re-election of the President to pack up the files belonging to MAGRUDER. She stated in this project she was assisted by ROBERT ODLE. She recalled that most of the papers in MAGRUDER's personal files pertained to materials gathered by him while he was employed at the White House. She stated that CARL FOSTER, who was MAGRUDER's driver, removed the cartons from MAGRUDER's office and brought them to MAGRUDER's home. One particular carton was last seen by her at the Inaugural Committee, prior

to MAGRUDER going on vacation. Some of the files as she recalled being packed were the "chron file", the "subject file" and some files marked sensitive which were maintained in MAGRUDER's desk. She stated that after each box was packed, a label furnished by ODLE was placed on the side of the box. In addition to the above described files, she recalled that some of the material contained letters written to and from JEB MAGRUDER while he was at the White House.

Although she could not recall the exact date, sometime in late February, she received a telephone call from MAGRUDER who stated that he could not find a certain document in these files. He related to her that he was going on a trip with his family and that he wanted her to come over to his house and search through the cartons for this particular item. He said the maid would let her in and that the boxes would be located in the "bomb shelter". She stated she did go to MAGRUDER's house and although she cannot recall at this time what it was she was looking for, she did observe that there were approximately six to eight cartons at his home, identical to the ones which she had packed at the committee office.

CHERN advised that it was also her duty to make copies of certain memos from MAGRUDER for his files. When asked if she could recall any of the particular memos which she may have had copied, she stated that she had seen memorandum containing the code name of "Ruby, Crystal, Gem Stone and Sedan Chair one and two". She stated that in connection with these memos, she only saw the above described material in typewritten form, not on a printed type of stationery. Whenever she would copy the above described material, she would make one or two copies. To the best of her recollection, one of the memos dealt with a person who had a "Cuban" type name who apparently lived in Florida but was sleeping with some girl, not his wife. Another memorandum dealt with a rally being held in Wisconsin on a particular date in which the scheduled time of a candidate to appear at the rally had been altered. She also recalled that sometime during the New Hampshire Primary, a handout peice of literature made its way to MAGRUDER's office. Although she did not know what the handout contained, it apparently did have material which MAGRUDER felt was very funny.

Ken Clausen

On one occasion, MAGRUDER sent CHERN to the Office of KENNETH CLAWSON, who was in the White House. When she informed CLAWSON why she was there, he reached into his desk and pulled out a memorandum which she promptly folded and placed in her purse. CLAWSON told her to take it back to MAGRUDER. She stated she did not read it and when she handed the memorandum over to MAGRUDER, he could not believe that she did not read it. MAGRUDER then gave it to her and told her to read it. It was an article which was later leaked by MAGRUDER to Columnists "EVANS and NOVAK" which pertained to the changing of the convention site. To the best of her knowledge, this was the only memorandum which she recalled picking up from CLAWSON's office.

She stated that GORDON STRACHAN was the go between for HALDEMAN and MAGRUDER. In addition to attending the strategy meetings, MAGRUDER and STRACHAN would talk quite frequently on the telephone. However, she does not know of any conversations held in her presence which dealt with intelligence. STRACHAN received a copy of all memorandum that went to the "Attorney General". CHERN also stated that whenever a memorandum of any sort was being sent to STRACHAN, the envelope was addressed to HALDEMAN, in care of GORDON STRACHAN and sometimes STRACHAN would receive a copy of a memorandum before the "Attorney General" would receive his. Memorandums were sent to STRACHAN either by messenger, GENE ROBERTS or CHERN herself would carry them over and give them to STRACHAN's secretary. When asked to explain who she was referring to whenever she would say "Attorney General", CHERN stated that she was speaking of JOHN MITCHELL. When asked to describe what type of memorandum was being sent to Mr. STRACHAN, CHERN advised to the best of her knowledge and ones that she knew for certain which were being sent were the budget memos and whatever else was being placed in the "MITCHELL" file.

Another person who was also a visitor and caller to JEB MAGRUDER was JOHN LOFTON of the Republican National Committee. She advised she did see a memorandum from LOFTON to MAGRUDER, however, she could not recall the contents of that memo.

JOHN MITCHELL, while he was Attorney General and when he came to 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., after his resignation

in the Department of Justice, was visited by JEB MAGRUDER on several occasions. Sometimes CHERN would receive telephone calls from LEA JABLONSKY, MITCHELL's secretary, who would inform CHERN that "MITCHELL wants to see JEB right away". Sometimes the Attorney General would make last minute calls and therefore, it is possible that some meetings between MAGRUDER and MITCHELL were not reflected in the appointment calendar which she maintained for MAGRUDER. Whenever MAGRUDER would meet with JOHN MITCHELL, he would take two files with him. One of these files was the MITCHELL file and the other was MAGRUDER's file. The reason for the maintaining of two files was that everything going to MITCHELL, one copy was maintained by MAGRUDER. These files were maintained by ROBERT REISNER and GENE ROBERTS.

She stated to the best of her knowledge, JOHN W. DEAN visited on a few occasions with MAGRUDER but could not be classified as a frequent visitor to MAGRUDER's office.

FRED LA RUE was a frequent visitor to MAGRUDER's office, especially after JOHN MITCHELL left the committee in July, 1972.

HERBERT PORTER, who was the Scheduling Director, working directly under JEB MAGRUDER, was a very good friend of MAGRUDERS and also went to the Inaugural Committee after the election. PORTER maintained a safe in his office and on occasion, CHERN would have PORTER cash her check. On one occasion, PORTER urged CHERN to arrange for him to have a car because he had to meet someone and "pick up some money". After explaining how difficult it was to arrange to have a car at the committee, she arranged for PORTER to utilize MAGRUDER's automobile.

JEANNE MASON was a secretary at the Committee for ROBERT ODLE. According to CHERN, MASON was tormented by ODLE and one time GORDON LIDDY went to ODLE and attempted to have MASON transferred to LIDDY's office for his own sake. MASON got along extremely well with both LIDDY and MAGRUDER. According to CHERN, LIDDY was not successful in his efforts.

MARTHA DUNCAN was a secretary at the Committee for HERBERT PORTER. Recently, DUNCAN experienced the death of her mother and during that time, she and CHERN had several conversations about the Watergate investigation. CHERN stated that

one time DUNCAN mentioned to her that HERBERT PORTER made the comment "We did not do anything illegal, just unethical". PORTER occasionally would lock DUNCAN in a room and have her do some typing. DUNCAN related to CHERN that what she had typed was information on Democratic National Committee stationery. On another occasion, after typing a letter, DUNCAN mailed the letter to Columnist JACK ANDERSON. According to CHERN, DUNCAN did not inform her as to what information had been typed on the above stationery.

SALLY HARMONY, was formerly employed at the committee as a Secretary for GORDON LIDDY, until late June, 1972, when LIDDY left. HARMONY stayed at the committee for a short time and then left. She returned and worked for ROBERT ODLE because JEANNE MASON had gone on to become a secretary for a Supreme Court Justice. After the election, CHERN again met SALLY HARMONY at the Inaugural Committee. SALLY confided in CHERN claiming that she always felt CHERN knew more about the activity going on at 1701, then she let on to believe.

About one month ago, CHERN received a telephone call from MAGRUDER who informed her that she would be called before the Senate Committee to testify. CHERN called PAUL O'BRIEN, one of the committee attorneys, and after a brief conversation she concluded that O'BRIEN was being very nonchalent about her proposed testimony when she informed O'BRIEN that she knew about the "reports" because she had the responsibility of making copies of them for MAGRUDER. According to CHERN, O'BRIEN said "Now look, I xerox a lot of things, just put them in a machine and take them out. How can you remember things that happened that long ago". CHERN went on to say that she got the definite indication or message that she was to forget what she had seen. She relayed this conversation to SALLY HARMONY. She believes that HARMONY called O'BRIEN because a short time later, O'BRIEN called her back and told her to go up there and tell the truth.

The next day, O'BRIEN called her and she told him what had happened. She stated that the committee wanted MAGRUDER's appointment book and that she did not have it but felt that it was at the Inaugural Committee. She said O'BRIEN told her to hold on to it. Not feeling certain about this statement, CHERN said she called MAGRUDER and MAGRUDER told her to take the book to the committee, which she did.

Another frequent visitor to the Finance Committee was HERBERT KALMBACH. All she knew about KALMBACH was that he was a lawyer and on occasions of his visits to the committee, he would stop in and talk with MAGRUDER.

CHERN recalled that on one occasion she was speaking to a friend of hers on the telephone and remarked that the person did not have to drop her off directly in front of her home because this would be out of that persons 's way. She must have said aloud that she was not afraid to walk a few blocks to her home because GORDON LIDDY overheard this remark and told her that she was not going to walk anywhere alone. She said LIDDY went so far as to offer her a gun. She told LIDDY that she did not know how to use one and did not want it but LIDDY insisted that all she had to do was act like she knew how to use it and she would be able to frighten anyone away. She advised that she never did accept a gun from LIDDY and added that she never saw LIDDY at the committee with a gun.

CHERN stated she felt that LIDDY lived in a make believe world and that he was a "super secret" person. She once heard a story about how he burned his hand. LIDDY told her that while he was in California, he was watching some attractive girls walk by and he dropped a match on his hand because he was paying more attention to the girls than he was the match. She recalled that on one occasion, LIDDY came to his office carrying what appeared to be a metal suitcase. CHERN attempted to engage LIDDY into telling her what he was carrying and he merely told her in a whisper that it was "electronic gear". She did not, at that time, believe what LIDDY had told her and had never seen what exactly was in the suitcase. She stated that she never saw GORDON LIDDY with any type of charts, however, there were numerous charts on budgetary matters in planning, at the committee, in the possession of numerous people.

She stated that JAMES MC CORD, on several occasions, demonstrated alarms and gave security lectures at the committee. She stated he was a person who respected law enforcement officials and also MC CORD frequently visited with ROBERT ODLE.

CHERN advised that on either June 18 or June 19, 1972, ROBERT ODLE made a remark to TOM DWYER, to the effect that "One of our boys got caught". According to CHERN, one week later ODLE was emphatically denying that he had ever made that statement. D.C.

She stated that HARRY FLEMING and JEB MAGRUDER at one time were both described as Deputy Directors of the Campaign. At one time during the campaign, MAGRUDER and JOHN MITCHELL wanted to fire FLEMING, however, to her knowledge, FLEMING threatened to "blow the whistle" and a decision was made by MAGRUDER to keep FLEMING on board but to place him in a different position. She never learned exactly what it was that FLEMING had used to imply his threat.

On June 19, 1972, MAGRUDER came to the office late. He called ROBERTS, REISNER and CHERN into his office and stated that there was nothing for them to worry about and that work would continue on as scheduled. After the meeting, she got together with REISNER in his office and REISNER was quite upset, occasionally saying "VICKI, you really don't know what's been going on". She stated REISNER was a person who would keep things within himself and at no time did he ever tell her what exactly what MAGRUDER was doing.

In conclusion, CHERN stated that all the memorandums now talked about in the news media, in particular Gem Stone and Sedan Chair two, she felt were memorandum from various people who were planted in various organizations. She stated that she never saw any reference to any activity going on or overheard in the Democratic National Committee Headquarters.

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VICKI CHERN, former secretary at the Committee for the Re-Election of the President, telephonically advised that she turned over to the Investigator of the Watergate Committee investigating the matter, a Mr. LIPSETT, the only copy of an appointment book she maintained for JEB STUART MAGRUDER. She advised she did not make a Xerox copy for herself and believed that the information contained in her appointment book is identical to that maintained in MAGRUDER's.

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LEA JABONSKY, 2800 Woodley Road, N.W., Apartment 418, D.C. was contacted at her residence where she was interviewed in the lobby of the apartment house at her request due to the presence of guests in her apartment.

LEA JABLONSKY CAL.

She was advised the purpose of the interview was to ascertain the whereabouts of the appointment book for the period June, 1971, through November, 1972, which she kept for JOHN MITCHELL, then Attorney General of the United States. She advised that she was employed during that time as appointment secretary for said individual until he resigned to become Chairman of the Committee to Re-elect the President. She stayed on for a short period of time in order to assist the incoming Attorney General, after which she left and became a "Field Representative" for the Republican campaign committee.

JABONSKY advised that when she left MITCHELL's office, she did not remove any office materials, including said appointment book. She further advised she has no idea as to its present whereabouts, and she noted she did not pack any of the office materials for MITCHELL's move from the office. She advised she trained SANDY HOBBS as to the office procedure, and she inferred that this individual might have supervised the removal of the materials from MITCHELL's office. Miss HOBBS is presently employed by MITCHELL as his private secretary in New York.

She furnished the following numbers at which she can be reached:

225-2351	Senate Campaign Committee
484-6660	Republican National Committee

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SA JESSE C. HOUSE
SA DONALD W. MARSLAND:amp Date dictated 4/19/73

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Miss LEA JABLONSKY, 2800 Woodley Road, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC), Secretary, National Republican Senatorial Committee, Old Senate Office Building, WDC, voluntarily furnished the following information in the presence of her attorney, Mr. ANDREW T. ALTMAN, at the United States District Court House, WDC; 1030 5TH AVE., NEW YORK, N.Y.

JOHN

She was employed as a Secretary by Mr. JOHN N. MITCHELL from September 7, 1971 through July, 1972. This employment consisted of secretarial duties at both the United States Department of Justice and the Committee to Re-elect the President. While Mr. MITCHELL was Attorney General, Miss JABLONSKY was assisted by BETTY RUSEN. During the period of time Miss JABLONSKY was employed by Mr. MITCHELL she does not recall any inquiries regarding an eisel. As Mr. MITCHELL's secretary, Miss JABLONSKY would receive all of his incoming correspondence. In this regard, Miss JABLONSKY would prepare a folder, entitle it Personal, Political, Etc., and placed the incoming mail therein for his review. Miss JABLONSKY could provide no information as to what disposition would make of this correspondence. The only correspondence that Mr. MITCHELL would require her to type was of a personal nature and that she would not only type it, but also prepare it. Prior to Mr. MITCHELL's going to the Committee to Re-elect the President, he would receive memoranda from both the Committee to Re-elect the President and the Republican National Committee requiring his decision. However, it was not unusual for this type of memoranda to sit on his desk for days at a time. Miss JABLONSKY stated that it did not take long for persons wishing an immediate decision to walk his memoranda directly into Mr. MITCHELL, and in doing so, she would never see it.

In regard to Mr. MITCHELL's incoming papers at the Committee to Re-elect the President when he terminated in July, 1972, Miss JABLONSKY does not know as to the disposition of these materials. Miss JABLONSKY suggested that an additional secretary, SANDY HOBBS, might know the disposition of these materials.

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The weekend of June 17, 1972, was spent in California by Miss JABLONSKY, assisting Mrs. JOHN MITCHELL. Miss JABLONSKY stated that she traveled to California on June 15 or 16 in the place of Mrs. MITCHELL's secretary. During that time, Miss JABLONSKY had no idea as to what Mr. MITCHELL's activities were, as she was totally involved with Mrs. MITCHELL. After Mr. MITCHELL terminated with the Committee to Re-elect the President in July of 1972, Miss JABLONSKY stayed on to assist the secretaries of Mr. CLARK MC GREGOR in this transitional period. Miss JABLONSKY stated that she could provide no information regarding Mr. MITCHELL's decisions and actions as she was not a confidant of his.

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On Tuesday, May 15, 1973, SAs ANGELO J. LANO and DANIEL C. MAHAN, accompanied Attorney JAMES SHARP, to the residence of JEB STUART MAGRUDER, for the purpose of recovering several cartons of material relating directly or indirectly to the Committee for the Re-Election of the President.

JEB MAGRUDER JEB S. MAGRUDER CAL.

While at MAGRUDER's residence, 4814 Ft. Sumner Drive, Washington, D. C. agents and Mr. SHARP removed 7 cartons of records from the basement of Mr. MAGRUDER's home. One carton was left behind because it was empty.

The above material was brought to the Washington Field Office where it was examined.

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SA DANIEL C. MAHAN:dcs

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Miss ARDEN CHAMBERS, 2400 Virginia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., Secretary to Mr. MAURICE STANS, 1701 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., volunteered, in the presence of her attorney, Mr. EDWARD C. O'CONNELL the following information: D.C.

MAURICE H.

That she has been associated with Mr. STANS since November 1967, in connection with a Republican Campaign in New York of 1968. She came to the Committee to Re-Elect the President with Mr. STANS on February 15, 1972. Mr. STANS came to the Committee to Re-Elect the President as Finance Chairman and talked with JOHN N. MITCHELL on numerous occasions regarding the Campaign to Re-Elect the President. Many of these meetings were attended by GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, as LIDDY was the legal counsel to the Finance Committee for the Committee to Re-Elect the President.

Miss CHAMBERS stated that she never heard of the word gemstone or other similar terms relating to precious stones, and has never met a Mr. PORTER at the Committee to Re-Elect the President.

Miss CHAMBERS stated that she has known Mr. HUGH SLOAN since 1968, and that Mr. SLOAN was Treasurer of the Committee to Re-Elect the President. In April 1972, Mr. SLOAN placed in Mr. STANS' safe what Miss CHAMBERS described as thousands of dollars in cash. This placement of money occurred around the April deadline of the new federal regulations regarding campaign contributions.

Miss CHAMBERS advised that she knew of the circumstances surrounding the so called "Dahlberg check" from newspaper accounts, and the only other similar contribution that she was aware of was that of Mr. VESCO in the amount of $200,000. Miss CHAMBERS stated that she did not come into possession of this knowledge until 1973, when STANS' appointment book was subpoenaed by a Federal Grand Jury in New York City. At this time this particular appointment book has been returned to her attorneys. Miss CHAMBERS stated that she has no knowledge of any Mexican checks contributed to the Committee to Re-Elect the President.

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In regard to the above contributions, Miss CHAMBERS stated, that Mr. STANS had legal advice from Mr. GORDON LIDDY as to the acceptance of these funds.

Miss CHAMBERS stated that it was not Mr. STANS' responsibility to report contributions to the Government Accounting Office as that responsibility was up to the Treasurer. Miss CHAMBERS advised that she never saw any big charts or similar paraphenilia in the possession of Mr. LIDDY when he met with Mr. STANS. Mr. STANS frequently dealt with Mr. JOHN DEAN and JOHN EHRICHLMAN of the White House Staff during his tenure as Finance Chairman of the Committee to Re-Elect the President.

On June 17, 1972, Mr. STANS was in the Washington, D.C. area and Miss CHAMBERS read about the break-in at the Watergate Office Complex in the newspapers. Miss CHAMBERS assumed that Mr. FRED LA RUE of the Committee to Re-Elect the President kept Mr. STANS' advised of the status of the Watergate investigation. Until approximately three or four weeks ago, Mr. STANS exercised no control over funds and the payment of bills by the Committee to Re-Elect the President. However, due to recent events regarding contributions and the disclosure of funds used by personnel of the Committee to Re-Elect the President, Mr. STANS approves all expenditures.

Referring to the money placed in Mr. STANS' safe by Mr. SLOAN, Miss CHAMBERS stated that this was done while Mr. STANS was away from Washington, D.C., probably during the period of April 12 - May 25, 1972. During this period of time, Mr. SLOAN made several withdrawals and she inquired of SLOAN about these withdrawals. Mr. SLOAN responded that he had the authority from Mr. JEB MAGRUDER and that Mr. SLOAN used the name of MITCHELL, referring to the former attorney general, JOHN N. MITCHELL, when he made these withdrawals. Miss CHAMBERS never brought this to the attention of Mr. STANS.

During the period of time that public charges were made against Mr. STANS regarding the acceptance of various campaign contributions to the Committee to Re-Elect the

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President, Mr. FRED LA RUE asked Mr. STANS not to make any statements denying these allegations. Miss CHAMBERS has spoken with JOHN DEAN about the same allegations and she was told by him not to worry about them. Mr. STANS had prepared press releases to respond to the various public allegations made against him but that they were never used and are still in his possession.

Miss CHAMBERS stated that she does not think that Mr. STANS was in any way involved in a coverup of the Watergate investigation by the authorities.

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Pursuant to the issuance of a subpoena by the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia, Mr. EARL A. CONNOR, Staff Supervisor, Security, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, 1825 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC), furnished a xerox copy of toll records for February 1, 1973, through April 23, 1973, for the following subscriber service:

Telephone Number	Subscriber
967-4385	JEB STUART MAGRUDER Director of Policy and Development U.S. Department of Commerce 15th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., WDC

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SA [illegible] JOHNSON, JR.:lmt Date dictated 5/4/73

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GORDON STRACHAN, was located and served with a subpoena to appear before the Federal Grand Jury on April 11, 1973.

STRACHAN is currently employed at the United States Information Agency, 1776 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

D.C.

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ROBERT REISNER, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, was served with a subpoena, for his appearance before the Federal Grand Jury on Thursday, April 12, 1973.

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Vice President of the Riggs National Bank, 1503 Pennsylavnia Avenue, N.W., MELVIN L. CHRISMAN, was served with a subpoena to produce records of SARAH RUTH and JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., before the Federal Grand Jury. This appearance is for Thursday, April 12, 1973.

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SALLY J. HARMONY was telephonically contacted at her place of employment, the Presidential Inaugural Committee, 2nd and T Streets, S.W., Washington, D. C. She requested to know the Agent desired to speak with her. She was informed that it concerned an ongoing inquiry in which she was previously questioned.

The Agent arrived at the above address and after identifying himself to Mrs. HARMONY, she stated she has been instructed by her attorney not to make any statement to the Agent.

She was advised that the only reason in contacting her to serve her with a subpoena requiring her appearance before the Federal Grand Jury on Thursday, April 12, 1973.

She was advised that she should be accompanied by an attorney for her scheduled appearance.

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SYLVIA PANARITES was contacted at her place of employment, Main Treasury Building, Room 3419, 15th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W. and served with a subpoena to appear before the Federal Grand Jury on April 12, 1973.

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A forthwith subpoena was served on POWELL A. MOORE, Staff Aide in the presence of WILLIAM TIMMONS, Congressional Liasion at the West Wing of the White House. MR. MOORE advised he desired to contact an attorney first. He was advised the Federal Grand Jury convened between 9:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. in the United States District Courthouse.

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SA GEORGE SAUNDERS:agp Date dictated 4/12/73

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ROBERT GOFF, Legal Counsel, United States Secret Service, 18th and G Street, N.W., was served with a subpoena requiring the Executive Protective Service to turn over their logs of entry onto the Protective Grounds of the White House and the Executive Office Building on June 18, 1972.

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Chief EARL DRESCHER, Executive Protective Service, 1310 L Street, NW, in the presence of LOUIS SIMS, Chief Internal Unit, United States Secret Service, and ROBERT GOFF - Legal Counsel, made available the records showing entry in the White House grounds on June 18, 1972.

The only persons entering on that date, with legitimate identification and reasoning, are attached hereto.

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RICHARD MOORE, Staff Assistant, Executive Office Building, was served with a subpoena to appear before the Federal Grand Jury on April 18, 1973.

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Mr. WILLIAM O. BITTMAN, Attorney, advised that he was speaking for E. HOWARD HUNT and that Mr. HUNT did not desire to be interviewed by representatives of the FBI regarding the DANIEL ELLSBERG case.

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Mr. CLINTON D. USITALO, Comptroller, Statler Hilton Hotel, 16th and K Streets, N.W., was served with a subpoena duces tecum for all records of registration and tolls of HERBERT W. KALMBACH for the period June, 1972 through April, 1973.

H.W. KALMBACH 550 Newport Center
Newport Beach CAL.

H. KALMBACH

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Mrs. JOHN DE MUTH, Office of the Comptroller, Madison Hotel, 15th and M Streets, N.W., was served with a subponea duces tecum for all records of HERBERT W. KLAMBACH for the period June, 1972, through April, 1973.

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Mr. WILLIAM M. TREADWELL, Attorney at Law, 910 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC) furnished the following information:

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That he is the attorney representing EGIL KROGH, former White House Aide, and that he had Mr. KROGH's authority to accept a subpoena for a Federal Grand Jury sitting in WDC. Such a subpoena was served on Mr. TREADWELL for Mr. KROGH's appearance on Friday, May 4, 1973, at 1:30 p.m.

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BUD KROGH

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EGIL E. KROGH, JR.

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L. PATRICK GRAY, III was served with a subpoena to appear before the Federal Grand Jury on Monday, May 7, 1973.

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Mr. DOUGLAS CADDY, voluntarily appeared at the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and accepted a Federal Grand Jury subpoena for him to appear at the U.S. District Court House, Washington, D.C. on Monday, May 7, 1973, at 9:30 a.m.

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Pursuant to a Federal Grand Jury subpoena issued for records of the Madison Hotel 15, th and M Streets, NW, for HERBERT W. KALMBACH, MARTHA BATEMAN, Assistant Manager, Credit Department, furnished the following records for the period, 1972 and 1973:

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On May 3, 1973, a subpoena duces tecum was served on JULIUS HELVEY, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, 1825 K Street, N.W. for toll records of telephone 333-2013, for the period covering December, 1971, through February, 1973.

Mr. HELVEY turned over to Special Agent MICHAEL J. KING the above requested records.

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1 PAUL F. BARRICK

In response to a subponea duces tecum served on him, PAUL BARRICK, Treasurer, Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President turned over the original letters forwarded to him by DARIUS N. KEATON, 666 Camino Aguajito, Monterey California, dated October 29, 1972 and a letter from W. A. THOMPSON, Petroleum Maintenance Company, 1854 Harbor Avenue, Long Beach, California, dated October 29, 1972. These letters are being turned over to the Federal Grand Jury.

Mr. BARRICK also made available the attached copy of the personnel file of one ROGER J. STONE, who was terminated at the Committee to Re-Elect the President on November 15, 1972.

A receipt for the above material was furnished.

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JOHN FOSTER, Design Associates, Incorporated, 1913 I Street, N.W., advised that he did advertising work for the Committee for the Re-Election of the President in June, 1972. He advised that he also did various other work for the Committee late in 1971 and some during early 1972. He was shown a photograph of GEORGE GORDON LIDDY and advised that he did no work for this person and made no charts reflecting any information regarding budgets or other matters which would have called for a cash payment.

The only charts he made were for CLARK MC GREGOR to use at the Miami Convention site and they were black and white "reverse" charts.

FOSTER suggested that the following persons be contacted for possibly having done charts for LIDDY:

HAROLD WICKHAM and Associates.

Cretative Arts.

Display Services, 5821 Seminary Road, Bailey's Crossroads

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GENE MAGRUDER, Job Manager, Graham Associates, 1150 17th Street, N.W., advised that early in 1972, he did have a job in which the person wanting the work done, constantly stopped in to see how it was coming along. He indicated that he has several charts and when he checked his work sheet, he determined that it was a Governmental Job for NEA, and was on a Government purchase order. He advised that the chart was educational material.

He was shown a photograph of GEORGE GORDON LIDDY and advised that this was not the same person who was in to see him in 1972. He advised that the name GEORGE LEONARD was not familiar to him and was not a person ordering work in December, 1971 or January - February, 1972. He further advised that the job order book did not list any work for LIDDY, LEONARD or the Committee for the Re-Election of the President.

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JERRY GRAHAM, Graham Associates, 1150 17th Street, N.W., advised that his firm did not make any charts, organizational or otherwise for anyone named GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, GEORGE LEONARD or the Committe for the Re-Election of the President, during 1972. He indicated that there are approxiamtely 737 such artists in the Metropolitan Area who are registered with General Services Administration for contract work, and that if the agent so desired, he would provide a list of these persons.

GRAHAM advised he did have one employee who did a job sometime in early 1972 in which the person odering the job constantly came in and looked over the employee's shoulder and advised how he wanted it done. He advised that this employee, was GENE MAGRUDER.

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ROBERT SCHUMACHER, 1015 18th Street, N.W., was contacted regarding the possibility that his company may have done some work for GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, GEORGE LEONARD, or The Committee for the Re-election of the President, in particular, the making of possibly six (6) four by four organizational charts. At the same time, Mr. SCHUMACHER was shown a photograph of LIDDY.

SCHUMACHER advised that he did not do such work for LIDDY or the Committee. He did, however, suggest that the following persons or companies may have been contacted by LIDDY for such a job:

Dunlop Photographic Center, 2321 4th Street, N.E., ROBERT POOLE.

Jands Photo, Silver Spring, Maryland, JERRY MENDELSON, Proprietor.

Warren Adler, Ltd., who did work for the Republican National Committee, his last office was listed at 1101 17th N.W.

Color Fax, Silver Spring, Maryland.

BARBARA SACHS, independent operator in Washington, D.C.

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PHIL JORDON, Executive AR Director, Beveridge and Associates, Incorporated, 1730 K Street, advised that his firm did not do any work for the Committee for the Re-Election of the President, GEORGE GORDON LIDDY or GEORGE LEONARD. He advised that his company does not specialize in chart work and therefore had it been done, he would have easily recalled it.

JORDON advised he would contact the agent if he heard anything about someone being contacted to do such a job.

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Mr. JEB STUART MAGRUDER voluntarily appeared at the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and thereafter was accompanied by SA DANIEL C. MAHAN to the National Archives located at 7th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC) for the purpose of reviewing certain records of the Committee to Re-elect the President for the purpose of their possible inclusion in a library of RICHARD M. NIXON, the President of the United States.

Mr. RICHARD A. JACOBS, Deputy Assistant Archivist, presented various cartons of materials for Mr. MAGRUDERS review.

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Mr. RICHARD A. JACOBS, Deputy Assistant Archivist, United States General Services Administration, National Archives and Records Service, 7th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC) provided copies of the following list of documents, contained in materials donated by the Committee to Re-elect the President, WDC, for a possible Presidential Library of RICHARD M. NIXON, after the services of an appropriate subpoena duces tecum:

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Subsequent to the receipt of the above items Mr. JACOBS provided the following list of additional items he had observed in the same documents of the Committee to Re-elect the President pursuant to the same subpoena:

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Documents from the custody of the General Services Administration, National Archives and Records Services, 7th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC), donated by the Committee to Re-elect the President, WDC for possible inclusion in a Presidential Library of RICHARD M. NIXON were reviewed by Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), WDC, after the execution of appropriate subpoena duces tecum.

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Mr. RICHARD A. JACOBS, Deputy Assistant Archivist, United States General Services Administration, National Archives and Records Services, 7th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC) provided copies of documents donated by the Committee to Re-elect the President, reviewed by Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) on May 11, 1973.

The following is the list of the documents provided:

Box 311 - GLENN J. SEDAM, JR.

Folder - Concerned Vietnam Veterans for NIXON

Confidential Memo - GLENN J. SEDAM, JR. through JEB MAGRUDER to CLARK MAC GREGOR of September 1, 1972, re: Concerned Vietnam Veterans for NIXON (pamphlet attached: "Reason Why Veterans Can't Support GEORGE MC GOVERN."

Folder - Postal Lotteries

Confidential Memo - BOB MORGAN to JEB MAGRUDER re: MC GOVERN Fund-Raising Effort, August 28, 1972. Attachments (news clippings, memo). Manuscript memo from TOM MARKEY to GLENN J. SEDAM, JR. of August 30, 1972.

Box 310

Folder - State Election Laws, Analysis

Confidential Memo - G. GORDON LIDDY to JOHN MITCHELL, March 13, 1972, re: "Write-In Opportunities in Remaining Primary States."

Memo, GLENN J. SEDAM, JR. to HARRY S. FLEMMING re: Tennessee Primary Change of Date Legislation, February 18, 1972. Attached memo from PATRICK BUCHANAN to Attorney General and H.R. HALDEMAN, February 4, 1972, and accompanying newspaper clipping.

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Folder - Porter Chron. May, 1972

Memo, HERBERT L. PORTER to JON FOUST, May 23, 1972, re: "Celebrity Event."

Folder - Porter Chron. May-August, 1971

Memo, JEB MAGRUDER to Attorney General, July 28, 1971, re: "MC CLOSKEY Truth Squad."

Memo, BART PORTER to JEB MAGRUDER, July 26, 1971, re: "MC CLOSKEY Truth Squad."

Memo, JEB MAGRUDER to Attorney General, July 28, 1971, re: "MC CLOSKEY Truth Squad."

Box 359 - HERBERT PORTER

Folder - MC CLOSKEY - MCCLOSKEY Truth Squad

Memo, JEB MAGRUDER to Attorney General, July 28, 1971, re: "MC CLOSKEY Truth Squad."

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Memo, JEB MAGRUDER to Attorney General, July 28, 1971, re: "MC CLOSKEY Truth Squad."

Memo, HERBERT PORTER to JEB MAGRUDER, November 1, 1971, re: MC CLOSKEY's activities in New Hampshire. Clipping from Concord Monitor of October 7, 1971; manuscript notes.

Folder - Cabinet Meeting

Memo, ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD, October 29, 1972, re: "Proposed Agenda Items for next cabinet meeting." Cover memo (HALDEMAN) to GORDON STRACHAN.

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The above listed documents were turned over the United States Attorney's Office, District of Columbia, Washington, D.C.

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A review of records of the Committee to Re-elect the President maintained in the Archives of the United States reflected the following:

Present in a box of records, numbered 311, was a memorandum setting forth information pertinent to a deed held by GEORGE and ELEANOR MC GOVERN for property located in Montgomery County, Maryland, and to a deed held by GEORGE and ELEANOR MC GOVERN for property located in Washington, D. C. Also present was a copy of the aforementioned deeds for Lot Number Six, Block "A", Rock Creek Knoll Subdivision, plat recorded in Plat Book Number 26, Plat Number 1658, Montgomery County, Maryland, recorded at Liber 2311, Folio 221; and for Lot Number 920 of Square Number 1426, Washington, D. C., recorded at Liber Number 12989, Folio Number 433.

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Mr. JOHN EVERETT, Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, home address 10201 Forest Grove Drive, Silver Spring, Maryland, furnished the following information:

That he is the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company representative handling the Democratic National Committee Headquarters located at 2600 Virginia Avenue, Washington, D.C. (WDC). Mr. EVERETT stated that since June 17, 1972, there have been numerous telephone changes within the Democratic National Committee Headquarters, including removal, switching and replacement of telephone instruments. The last of these changes occurred approximately one month ago in an area adjacent to Mr. SPENCER OLIVER's room. That area would be located to the east of Mr. OLIVER's office.

Mr. EVERETT explained that when telephone instruments are removed by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company they are then sent to the Western Electric Plant located at 1201 South Hayes Street, Arlington, Virginia, where the telephone number is removed, the instrument is cleaned and serviced and put back into stock. Once the instrument is removed from a particular premise and the telephone number removed the telephone company no longer maintains a record on the whereabouts of this particular instrument.

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At 3:20 p.m. on April 6, 1973, Miss MARY LOU BURG, Deputy Chairman, Democratic National Committee (DNC), 2600 Virginia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. (WDC), was advised of the official identities of the interviewing agents as well as the fact that certain information had been received which indicated that one of the telephones in the DNC Headquarters might contain a listening device. Miss BURG stated she had no objection to the telephones in DNC Headquarters being dismantled for examination in an effort to locate the listening device in question.

Democratic National Committee

Miss BURG advised that ROBERT S. STRAUSS, DNC Chairman, was out of town on a previously scheduled engagement in Oklahoma. At 3:55 p.m., April 6, 1973, Mr. STRAUSS telephonically contacted DNC Headquarters and subsequently indicated a desire to speak with one of the interviewing agents. Thereupon, SA DANIEL C. MAHAN advised Mr. STRAUSS in line with the above information furnished Miss BURG. Mr. STRAUSS stated he had no objection concerning the examination of telephones at the DNC Headquarters and, thereafter, representatives of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Laboratory arrived and examined each telephone within the DNC space. It is noted that no listening device was located on any of the telephones.

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Mrs. DORIS P. HOOVER, 320 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E., Washington, D.C. (WDC) (telephone number 546-6666), was contacted at her place of business, The Hoover Reporting Company, Incorporated. Mrs. HOOVER was apprised of the identities of the interviewing Agents by display of official credential. SA MAHAN subsequently advised Mrs. HOOVER of the nature of this inquiry. Mrs. HOOVER was subsequently advised of her constitutional rights as shown on a printed form entitled "Interrogation; Advice of Rights; Your Rights". Mrs. HOOVER read the noted form, stated that she understood its contents, and therefore executed the waiver portion of that form. She furnished the following information:

Mrs. HOOVER indicated that she operates the Hoover Reporting Company, Incorporated, which she described as a firm that supplied court reporters for the receipt and transcription of testimony in connection with various functions of the United States District Court, WDC. She stated that her firm has some thirty employees. She stated that her firm has supplied some seven court reporters to the United States District Court, WDC, who have handled the receipt of testimony of witnesses before the Federal Grand Jury which is currently investigating the "Watergate" incident. Of those seven court reporters, two of the reporters, Miss ANN TIPTON and Miss KAREN SCHIENBERG, have received the majority of this testimony.

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Mrs. HOOVER identified the aforementioned court reporters who have received testimony in conjunction with a Federal Grand Jury's investigation of the "Watergate" incident as DEBORAH ANN LEHMAN, BENJAMIN LEESMAN, W. CALVIN LYNN, WILLIAM H. DILLINGHAM, KAREN SCHIENBERG, ANN TIPTON, and CARL MADDEN. Mrs. HOOVER stated that CARL MADDEN is not an employee of her firm. However, she noted that she had obtained Mr. MADDEN's services as a court reporter on a subcontract basis. Mrs. HOOVER also stated that with the exception of W. CALVIN LYNN, all of the aforementioned court reporters personally transcribe from either voice recording or stenographic notes, testimony which they recorded at the noted Federal Grand Jury proceedings. Testimony recorded by W. CALVIN LYNN was

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transcribed from Mr. LYNN's notes by Miss BEULAH BING and Mr. DARRELL MONTGOMERY of the Hoover Reporting Company.

Mrs. HOOVER indicated that it is the normal procedure of her office to make an original and two carbon copies of grand jury testimony recorded by court reporters of her firm. After such testimony has been transcribed, a court reporter will furnish the unassembled transcribed material to a clerical employee of the Hoover Reporting Company. This clerical employee will subsequently separate the carbon paper from the original and copies and then discard that paper. Mrs. HOOVER stated that her firm utilizes the services of a private trash collecting firm operated by ROBERT PRICE, whom she described as a self-employed trash collector.

Mrs. HOOVER indicated that her office maintains the second carbon copy of all transcribed testimony, which had been recorded by court reporters employed by her firm. She stated that the original and the first carbon copy of this testimony are furnished to the United States Attorney's Office in a sealed envelope on the day following the date on which this testimony was received by a grand jury. Mrs. HOOVER advised that a clerical employee of her office personally handcarries this material to the United States Attorney's Office and furnishes it to the appropriate member of the United States Attorney's Staff who directed the grand jury on the date the testimony was received.

Mrs. HOOVER identified RICHARD DEAN as the employee of her office responsible for assembling and packaging the transcribed grand jury testimony, and for the subsequent delivery of this material to the United States Attorney's Office.

Mrs. HOOVER stated that it has been the procedure of her office to maintain the third copy of grand jury testimony transcribed by court reporters of her firm in the Hoover Company Offices.

She stated that her firm is required by law to maintain those voice recordings and/or stenographic notes which constitute a record of testimony made before a grand jury. She indicated that these records must be maintained for a period of one year.

Mrs. HOOVER indicated that said voice recordings and/or stenographic notes are normally stored at the Hoover Reporting Company. However, she noted that in some instances

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individual court reporters maintain their own notes at their residences.

Mrs. HOOVER advised that in view of the importance of the grand jury proceedings held in connection with the "Watergate" case, she instructed that the office copy of such testimony be maintained in a locked file cabinet in her personal office. She noted that after such material had been transcribed, it would be assembled by RICHARD DEAN. DEAN would place the original copy of such testimony and the first carbon copy of that testimony in an envelope which he would seal and deliver to the United States Attorney's Office. DEAN would furnish the third or office copy of such testimony to Mrs. HOOVER, who would subsequently lock this copy in her file cabinet. Mrs. HOOVER stated that no one other than herself had had access to the noted file cabinet.

Mrs. HOOVER advised that she had recently been contacted by Assistant United States Attorney EARL J. SILBERT whom she described as that member of the United States Attorney's Office and who conducted the Federal Grand Jury's investigation of the "Watergate" incident. Mr. SILBERT directed Mrs. HOOVER's attention to a newspaper column, written by Columnist JACK ANDERSON, which appeared in "The Washington Post". Mr. SILBERT alleged that information set forth in that article had been derived from an apparent review of the testimony received in secret by the Federal Grand Jury investigating the "Watergate" incident. According to Mrs. HOOVER, Mr. SILBERT accused one of her employees, ANN TIPTON, and another member of her firm of "leaking" that information to the press. Upon receipt of Mr. SILBERT's allegation, Mrs. HOOVER indicated that she obtained her office copy of the testimony which is related in the aforementioned newspaper column. Mrs. HOOVER noted that information set forth in the newspaper column was an apparent direct quote from the grand jury testimony. Mrs. HOOVER stated that it was her professional opinion that the described newspaper article could only have been written after a review of the grand jury testimony which had been recorded and subsequently transcribed by a member of her firm. Mrs. HOOVER indicated that she emphatically denied that the information set forth in that newspaper article had been obtained from a member of her firm.

According to Mrs. HOOVER, with the exception of the instance noted above, she never reviewed any of the testimony which had been recorded and transcribed by members of her firm in connection with grand jury proceedings which related to the "Watergate" incident.

Mrs. HOOVER stated that after receiving Mr. SILBERT's allegation, she removed all office copies of the testimony, which had been received by the Federal Grand Jury investigating the "Watergate" incident, from her office files. Mrs. HOOVER stated that she had taken this material to her residence and had burned it on the morning of April 18, 1973. Mrs. HOOVER advised that she had removed the cover pages from each section of the testimony.

Mrs. HOOVER noted that she had burned her office copy of testimony before the "Watergate" Grand Jury in order to prevent the possibility of anyone obtaining this material from her firm. She stated she had reviewed the cover sheets which had previously been attached to the noted testimony and had determined that she had, in fact, burned all copies maintained by her firm of testimony which had been received by the "Watergate" Grand Jury. She stated that she also had caused a review to be made of the voice recordings and/or stenographic notes on file in her office, which related to the "Watergate" Grand Jury proceedings. She noted that this review indicated that all such material was currently present in her office.

Mrs. HOOVER indicated that she had not questioned any of her employees with regard to the possible "leak" of grand jury material from the "Watergate" investigation to the press. She stated that she had never received a reason to distrust any of her employees. She indicated that she had never personally been approached by any individual with regard to obtaining that material. She also stated that to her knowledge, no employee of her firm had been approached by any other individual with respect to obtaining information relative to the testimony which had been received by the "Watergate" Grand Jury.

Mrs. HOOVER indicated that in her opinion the security measures employed at the United States District Court, WDC, for the security of transcribed grand jury testimony were considerably lacking. She stated that her opinion was based upon information which she had received from employees of her firm. Mrs. HOOVER indicated that KAREN SCHIENBERG had returned to a grand jury room on one occasion following a lunch break. Upon Miss SCHIENBERG's return, she found the grand jury room unlocked, and unattended. Upon entering the room, Miss SCHIENBERG discovered copies of transcribed grand jury testimony laying insecure on a table within the grand jury room. Mrs. HOOVER also indicated that she had

personally visited the United States Attorney's Office recently. On that occasion, she was able to walk unchallenged throughout the United States Attorney's Office.

Mrs. HOOVER stated that she could furnish no information in regard to the manner in which information present in transcribed grand jury testimony had been obtained by the news media.

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LOWIN RICHARD DEANE was contacted at his place of employment, The Hoover Reporting Company, Incorporated, 320 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E., Washington, D.C. (WDC) (telephone number 546-6666). Mr. DEANE stated that he resides at 1512 R Street, N.W., WDC (telephone number 797-8684). Mr. DEAN also indicated that he was born on December 17, 1951, and that he has been employed by the Hoover Reporting Company since September, 1972. Richard Dean

Mr. DEANE advised that he is employed by the Hoover Reporting Company in a clerical capacity. He stated that it is his responsibility to assemble copies of transcribed grand jury testimony, which had been recorded by court reporters employed by the Hoover Reporting Company.

Mr. DEANE indicated that court reporters employed by the Hoover firm would furnish him with transcribed material in an unassembled state. Upon receipt of such material, DEANE indicated that he will remove any carbon paper present and discard that carbon paper in an office trash receptacle. He advised that he would subsequently assemble the material in three copies.

Mr. DEANE indicated that it is normal procedure of the Hoover Reporting Company to make three copies of testimony received by Federal Grand Juries. He indicated that the original and first carbon copy of such testimony are packaged and handcarried to the United States Attorney's Office by himself. He also indicated that the third copy of such testimony is normally stored in file cabinets in the company office space. Mr. DEANE stated that at the direction of his employer, Mrs. HOOVER, he furnished her personally with the third copy of grand jury testimony which had been received by the Federal Grand Jury investigating the "Watergate" incident. According to Mr. DEANE, Mrs. HOOVER subsequently locked that material in a secure file cabinet in her own office.

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Mr. DEANE advised that he is responsible for the transportation and delivery of grand jury testimony to the United States Attorney's Office, United States District Court, WDC.

Mr. DEANE advised he has never been approached by any individual in an attempt to secure information present in testimony which had been recorded before a Federal Grand Jury.

Mr. DEANE stated he could furnish no information relative to the manner in which the news media had obtained information present in grand jury testimony received by the Federal Grand Jury investigating the "Watergate" incident.

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KATHRYN EVANS HOOVER, South Faukner Road, Charles County, Maryland, telephone 870-3140, Administrative Assistant to the Owner, her mother, DORIS HOOVER, Hoover Reporting Company, Incorporated, 320 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E., Washington, D. C. (WDC), was interviewed at her place of employment and provided the following information:

She has worked full time for her mother since June, 1972. Before that she was studying for her masters degree.

Of the ten court reporters employed by her mother, the following individuals have taken Grand Jury Testimony in the Watergate case:

1. BEN LEESMAN
2. DEBRANNE LEHMAN
3. KAREN SCHIENBERG
4. ANN TIPTON
5. CALVIN LYNN

From this group, ANN TIPTON and KAREN SCHIENBERG transcribed their tapes at home and returned the finished products consisting of the original and two carbon copies to the office the following day. They give the three copies to RICHARD JAMES, who in turn brings one carbon copy to Mrs. HOOVER. She locks this copy in her desk or the safe downstairs. He then places the original and one copy in an envelope and brings them to Mr. COTTER's office at the United States District Court. However, in the Watergate case he brings the copy of the transcripts directly to Mr. SILBERT's office.

She explained it is standard operating procedure to make three copies. The office copy, which is maintained by her mother, is used to prove the transcripts were actually made if for some reason they were not actually received at court and to make additional Xerox copies from if needed by court personnel.

In regard to the segments of the Grand Jury transcripts which appeared word for word in JACK ANDERSON's column

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she first heard about it the afternoon the first article appeared. Mr. SILBERT called up and accused Mrs. TIPTON of leaking the information appearing in this column. Mrs. HOOVER told her of the receipt of this call from Mr. SILBERT and discussed the matter with Mrs. TIPTON at some length. The feeling of everyone at the shop was and still is that the transcript was obtained at court by JACK ANDERSON in view of the lax security there. She has heard that transcripts are often left unattended either in the Grand Jury Rooms or in the offices of Assistant United States Attorneys.

She does not believe that the transcript or information contained therein could have come from her office. In fact, to insure this her mother burned the file copies, except for the cover pages, of all the Grand Jury Testimony to insure that no one else could get them. Her mother took this action on her own initiative this very morning.

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ELIZABETH ANN TIPTON, 11225 Dewey Court, Kensington, Maryland, telephone 946-4436, was interviewed at the United States District Court and provided the following information:

She has been employed as a court reporter for the Hoover Reporting Company, 320 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E., Washington, D. C. (WDC), since the first week in January, 1973. In this capacity, she has transcribed the testimony from several Grand Jury proceedings dealing with the Watergate case.

The standard operating procedure she follows is to take the testimony down on tape which she then takes home to transcribe herself. She types the original and two carbon copies in one set so that the carbon sheets remain with the copies.

She then returns the sets unassembled to RICHARD JAMES or if he is not there she leaves them on a table in the main room. She noted that there are always employees in that room. JAMES assembles and binds the copies and gives one carbon to Mrs. HOOVER to be maintained as a file copy. Then he delivers the original and one carbon copy to Mr. COTTER at the United States District Court, who in turn furnishes them to the proper Assistant United States Attorney. With regard to the Watergate transcripts, the only change in this normal procedure is for JAMES to hand the original and carbon copy directly to Mr. SILBERT himself or to leave them on his secretary's desk. Occasionally, he would leave the copies on her desk even though she was not in her office at that time.

She recalled one occasion on April 5, 1973, when she had forgotten to sign a transcript which had been completed by KAREN SCHIENBERG. The transcript had been delivered to the office by KAREN late that morning and JAMES left the two copies on Mr. SILBERT's secretary's desk. Sometime between 2:00 and 3:00 p.m. she remembered she had not signed that particular transcript so she asked Mr. SILBERT in the Grand Jury Room if she could go to his office and sign it. He said to go ahead but he had not seen

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that transcript yet. She went to his office and his secretary was not there, but she saw the envelope on the secretary's desk with Hoover Reporting Company on it. She opened this envelope, signed the transcript and sealed the envelope up again. While she was doing this someone other than Mr. SILBERT's secretary may have come into the office but nothing was said to her.

In regard to the lax security at the Courthouse, she recalled overhearing Mr. SILBERT telling Mr. GLANZER how a reporter had walked right into Mr. SILBERT's office while Mr. CAMPBELL was there without any hesitation at all.

On April 9, 1973, she took the afternoon Grand Jury Testimony and finished transcribing it at noon on April 10, 1973. She then delivered the finished copies to her office, handing them to RICHARD JAMES at approximately 1:00 p.m. She had no more contact with that transcript that particular day and returned home. When handing the transcript to JAMES, she told him "They'll need this as soon as they can have it." On Monday, April 16, 1973, word for word excerpts from this testimony appeared in JACK ANDERSON's column. Also on Tuesday, April 17, 1973, more excerpts appeared.

On April 16, 1973, the appearance of the column in "The Washington Post" was followed by a call from Mr. SILBERT to Mrs. HOOVER. When she (TIPTON) came to work Mrs. HOOVER called her into her office and told her that portions of her transcript of April 9, 1973, had appeared that day in JACK ANDERSON's column. At that point she compared the office copy of that transcript for that day with the column appearing in the paper and determined they were identical, even down to the punctuation. She explained that she had no idea how Mr. ANDERSON had obtained this transcript. After this conference she reported to the Courthouse where she was summoned by Mr. SILBERT, Mr. GLANZER and Mr. CAMPBELL. She told them all she knew and this seemed to clear the air. She is no way involved in JACK ANDERSON's obtaining any Grand Jury transcripts and has no reason to believe any employee at the Hoover Reporting Company may have been responsible.

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CHARLES W. WATKINS, Assistant to Manager, Colby Inn, Mandeville Highway, telephone 892-2681, furnished the following information:

He does not know MICHAEL MARCUS STEVENS and does not recall receiving a call at the motel for or by him on March 1, 1973.

Their records show an individual whose last name was STEVENS registered there on March 1, 1973, and stayed for five nights. He had guest registration card 2492. He was part of a party of ten who were there during the Mardi Gras season and the entire party were guests of PHILLIP RAY ALLISON, Allison Flavors, Inc., 5461 N. East River Road, Chicago, Illinois. When this party checked out, all bills were paid by ALLISON. All registration cards were in the name of Allison Flavors, Inc. of the above address.

STEVENS came in a 1973 Mercury bearing current Illinois license HN8800. WATKINS described STEVENS as a white male, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches to 5 feet 11 inches, black hair, 170-180 pounds and well built. The motel has no record of his first name, but WATKINS felt certain he would be well-known to ALLISON.

Other persons in this party included ALLISON's daughter and a number of her guests as well as a Mr. and Mrs. JAMES POUK, 622 W. Blaff Street, Streator, Illinois, also a representative of Allison Flavors, Inc..

WATKINS stated that during the month of March they had no other guests from Chicago and no other guests named STEVENS, BERNARD GORDON or anyone with a name of ALISTO JOSEPH GIOVANNONNI.

WATKINS added that the motel had no record of any long-distance calls made by STEVENS to Chicago or Washington, D.C..

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Mrs. MARTHA MITCHELL, wife of former Attorney General JOHN MITCHELL, was contacted and interviewed at her residence, 1030 5th Avenue, Apartment 11. After being advised of the nature of the interview, Mrs. MITCHELL responded as follows:

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Mrs. MITCHELL advised that she had no knowledge, directly or indirectly relating to the break in at the Democratic National Committee Headquarters on June 17, 1972, at the Watergate Office Building. She was asked to explain why she is often times quoted about statements implying that she is going to tell all, or knows the identity of certain people who are involved. She stated that she never made such a statement and that often times the press quotes her out of context. She stated that she has intentions about writing a book, but it is going to be about her experiences as the wife of a cabinet official and also about the elected representatives of the American people and what they really do in Washington, D.C.

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She stated in response to a question again about her knowledge of the incident on June 17, 1972, while she was in California. She replied by stating the best way to clear that matter up is to say simply, "Do you think, that if I knew anything, that my husband and the other members of the Committee who were also in California, would leave me alone out there while they flew back to Washington?" She again insisted that she had no knowledge of the break in.

Mrs. MITCHELL was asked about her association with JAMES MC CORD as he was then the Security Officer for the CREP. She stated that first of all, MC CORD was lying when he said her husband was involved. Further, that she and her husband were not in daily contact with MC CORD. She said the first time she met MC CORD was during the "transition period," that is when her husband was leaving the Attorney General position to head the CREP. MC CORD came to her apartment at the Watergate. She did not remember if he was alone or if someone introduced him to her. Present at the

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time were Special Agents DENNIS CREEDON and GERALD HOGAN, her guards. She advised after meeting MC CORD, she told CREEDON and HOGAN that she did not like MC CORD's shifty eyes and in general did not like him. She felt he was a "Double Agent" and told CREEDON and HOGAN to have him checked out. She did not know if they did.

Another occasion, after the Bureau no longer afforded her protection, she recalled that MC CORD came to the Watergate Apartment and had some type of electronics gear with him. She was not able to describe it, but MC CORD went back to her husband's study which was in the rear of the apartment and spent a great deal of time there. She did not know what he was doing, but felt it might have something to do with checking the apartment for bugs and taps. She stated she only surmised this because, once a week, the FBI came by to check her apartment and her telephones. She maintained that during the entire time of their residence at the Watergate, her private telephone was tapped because often times during a conversation she would hear "clickingnnoises" on the line.

During this discussion about MC CORD, Mrs. MITCHELL advised that she heard from "sources" that MC CORD attempted to bug her husband's offices or the room directly behind her husband's office. She described this room as having several "pipes" in it. She did not name her sources.

She was asked about a September 27, 1972 United Press International story wherein she was quoted as saying that"after the election she was going to tell it all." The article inferred that she was speaking about the Watergate affair of June 17, 1972. She replied that this was the book she first spoke about. That it had nothing to do with the Watergate episode.

She then stated that this whole affair was trying to make liars out of the Administration and her husband. She emphatically denied again that neither she nor her husband had any knowledge of the Watergate affair prior to and after June 17, 1972.

Mrs. MITCHELL then recalled another incident involving her meeting Mr. MC CORD. She stated one time there was an altercation

in the hallway at the CREP where she also maintained an office. This incident took place in the hallway near her office. MC CORD heard about it and came running up to check and see if she was all right. She was not involved and does not know who the people were that were involved in that matter.

On one other occasion, she stated she and her husband were leaving the office and MC CORD, with another person, went walking past. MC CORD was asked by the person he was with as to the identity of the couple (Mr. and Mrs. MITCHELL). She heard MC CORD give the person her name.

Mrs. MITCHELL advised that the thing she recalled most about MC CORD was that he sent her six of the most incompetent people she has ever met. She said included in that list was ALFRED BALDWIN.

She stated that there was one point that she thought ought to be cleared up. She said JAMES WALTER MC CORD was not the Security Officer for the CREP. She said FRED LA RUE held that position. She said she never dealt directly with MC CORD over any matter concerning her travels. She said everyting was handled by CRISTINE FROSTBURG, her former secretary. FROSTBURG, she said, dealt only with LA RUE and not MC CORD.

Returning to her comments about the Watergate, Mrs. MITCHELL remarked that she and two of her close friends, Mrs. MAURICE STANS and Mrs. PATRICIA MOSBACHER, utilized the health facilities and the pool at the Watergate complex during her residency. She stated that the three of them never knew the Democrats had an office in the complex, until the incident of June 17, 1972.

Present during the above interview SANDY HOBBS, the personal secretary for both Mr. and Mrs. MITCHELL, and Mrs. KENNETH EBBITT, a close personal friend for support. Mrs. MITCHELL insisted that the above interview be recorded by Miss HOBBS in order that she, Mrs. MITCHELL, may have an adequate recording of the conversation.

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I. INQUIRY AT UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) REGARDING DOCUMENTS AND FILES IN POSSESSION OF FORMER WHITE HOUSE EMPLOYEE EGIL KROGH

Set forth on pages 3-13 are the results of inquiry concerning documents and files in the possession of former White House employee Egil Krogh, who resigned as Undersecretary of the DOT on May 9, 1973.

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Mr. JOHN W. BARNUM, General Counsel, U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 7th Street, S.W., furnished the following information in the presence of Attorneys JOHN MARTIN and ALFRED HANTMAN of the Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

Mr. EGIL KROGH resigned as Undersecretary of the Department of Transportation (DOT) May 9, 1973, and has vacated his office. Mr. KROGH's personal effects, including all documents which he brought with him in connection with his prior employment with the White House, have been removed from his office and are presently being packed by Mr. KROGH's former Special Assistant, Mr. RONALD PLOTO.

Mr. BARNUM advised that he had no information regarding material locked in a safe at the DOT which was to be delivered to Mr. KROGH, nor had he been contacted by Mr. KROGH regarding disposition of any such material. He has not reviewed any of the material removed from Mr. KROGH's office as it was his understanding that none of it related to the DOT.

Mr. BARNUM requested that should the Federal Bureau of Investigation review this material and discover any DOT documents, that these documents be returned to the DOT.

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Mr. RONALD J. FLOTO, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary of the U. S. Department of Transportation, (DOT), 400 7th Street, S.W., furnished the following information in the presence of Attorneys JOHN MARTIN and ALFRED HANTMAN of the Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

He was formerly associated with Mr. EGIL KROGH at the White House and more recently was employed as Mr. KROGH's Special Assistant at the DOT.

On May 9, 1973, Mr. KROGH resigned his position as Under Secretary of the DOT. The letter of resignation was hand carried to the White House at approximately 10:30 a.m. After this, he had lunch with Mr. KROGH. KROGH did not return to his office after lunch and he (FLOTO) told KROGH that he would see that KROGH's personal files and other materials at his office were packaged and delivered to KROGH's residence. KROGH did not request that he do this and the offer was made voluntarily and spontaneously by FLOTO.

Upon returning to KROGH's office, he, assisted by DOROTHY JEFFERSON, KROGH's secretary, began packing KROGH's personal files. Mr. FLOTO noted that some of KROGH's files brought from his White House office were contained in a locked safe-type metal file cabinet having a combination lock. He contacted Mr. WILLIAM HEFFELFINGER, Assistant Secretary for Administration of the DOT to inform him that he (FLOTO) was in the process of moving KROGH's property out of KROGH's office. HEFFELFINGER stated that no one would be allowed access to KROGH's files in the safe-type file cabinet without KROGH's permission. He (FLOTO) then telephonically contacted Mr. KROGH to inform him of Mr. HEFFELFINGER's statement regarding access to the locked file cabinet.

At approximately 9:45 a.m. on the following day (May 10, 1973) he was informed by Mr. HEFFELFINGER that he would be given access to the files contained in the safe-type file cabinet.

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Mr. FLOTO advised that he had not reviewed the material in the file cabinet, but assumed that it contained files which Mr. KROGH had brought from his White House office to the DOT.

Mr. FLOTO advised he was uncertain at this time as to whether his actions relating to packaging files and other items from Mr. KROGH's office would be considered as part of his official DOT duties or as a personal favor for KROGH.

At the present time, he felt it would not be appropriate for him to release on his own authority any of Mr. KROGH's files without first obtaining permission to do so from Mr. KROGH.

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On May 10, 1973, a conference was held in the office of RONALD J. FLOTO, Special Assistant to the Under-secretary of the Department of Transportation (DOT). Present at this conference were Mr. FLOTO, Special Agents EDWARD L. GRAMPP and WILLIAM F. MORAN, of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and Justice Department Attorneys JOHN MARTIN and ALFRED HANTMAN.

In an effort to determine whether EGIL KROGH would entertain permission for the FBI to review the material located in files which KROGH had in his possession while an employee at DOT, and which files were in the process of being boxed and transported to the residence of Mr. KROGH by Mr. FLOTO, a request was made by Mr. HANTMAN that Mr. FLOTO make a telephone call to KROGH to secure this permission. Mr. HANTMAN instructed that Agent GRAMPP listen in on a telephone extension during this telephone conversation and at the outset of the telephone call that KROGH be specifically advised that Agent GRAMPP was listening in on the telephone. Mr. HANTMAN also stated that even if KROGH gave permission, he was to be told that he should contact his attorney to insure there was no objection on the part of his attorney.

Mr. FLOTO and Agent GRAMPP went to another room where Mr. FLOTO made this telephone call and Agent GRAMPP listened on an extension. Mr. FLOTO advised Mr. KROGH that Agent GRAMPP was listening to this conversation. Mr. KROGH offered no objection to this arrangement. He was asked by Mr. FLOTO whether he (KROGH) would grant permission for the FBI to review the material mentioned above. Without hesitation Mr. KROGH said this was entirely acceptable to him.

At this point Mr. FLOTO asked Mr. KROGH to check with his lawyer to make certain this was agreeable to him. KROGH said this was not necessary but would be done immediately in view of the Justice Department's instructions and his attorney would be in touch with Mr. FLOTO. This concluded the telephone conversation.

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Mr. WILLIAM M. TREADWELL, Attorney at Law, office address 910 Sixteenth Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., appeared at the office of Mr. RONALD J. FLOTO, Undersecretary of the United States Department of Transportation (DOT), 400 Seventh Street, Southwest. Mr. TREADWELL furnished the following information in the presence of Mr. FLOTO:

He represents Mr. EGIL KROGH, former Undersecretary of the United States DOT. He has just been informed by Mr. KROGH that the Federal Bureau of Investigation had been given his (KROGH's) permission to review all files and other material which were taken from his former office at the DOT for subsequent delivery to his (KROGH's) residence.

While his client had nothing to hide and was cooperating with the United States Government in connection with the so-called Watergate and ELLSBERG investigations, he (TREADWELL) was reluctant to allow the Federal Bureau of Investigation to review everything taken from Mr. KROGH's office at this time. Mr. TREADWELL noted that he had not reviewed this material and felt that it could possibly contain documents of which Mr. KROGH was unaware which could conceivably implicate KROGH in some unknown manner.

Mr. TREADWELL advised that he would allow the Federal Bureau of Investigation complete access to files contained in a locked safe-type file cabinet which he believed contained only files which Mr. KROGH had brought to the DOT from the White House, but would not allow a Federal Bureau of Investigation review of the other material taken from Mr. KROGH's office, which contained KROGH's personal correspondence.

At this point, Mr. ALFRED HANTMAN of the Criminal Division of the United States Department of Justice, arrived at Mr. FLOTO's office. Mr. TREADWELL then explained to Mr. HANTMAN his position with regard to a Federal Bureau of Investigation search of records taken from Mr. KROGH's DOT office.

Mr. TREADWELL then advised that he would permit a Federal Bureau of Investigation search of all of the material

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taken from Mr. KROGH's office after Mr. KROGH's Special Assistants had removed items of a personal nature from the material. He stated that the Federal Bureau of Investigation could have access to the material contained in the safe-type locked file cabinet without a prior review by Mr. KROGH's Special Assistants as the cabinet was believed to contain only White House material.

Mr. TREADWELL advised that the material would be reviewed for personal items by Mr. KROGH's former Special Assistants on the following day, May 11, 1973.

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Mr. RONALD J. FLOTO, Special Assistant to the Undersecretary of the U.S. Department of Transportation, (DOT), 400 7th Street, S. W., furnished the following information.

After a discussion with Mr. JOHN W. BARNUM, General Counsel, DOT, Mr. FLOTO was advised by Mr. BARNUM that he would be acting in an official capacity as part of his DOT duties with respect to his removal of files and other items from the former DOT office of Mr. EGIL KROGH.

Mr. FLOTO advised that he and Mr. RICHARD NORDAHL, who is also a Special Assistant to the Undersecretary of the DOT, have been requested by Mr. KROGH's attorney, Mr. WILLIAM TRADWELL, to remove all of the personal material from the files and other items removed from the office of Mr. KROGH; however they were instructed not to review or remove anything from the files contained in the locked safe-type file cabinet as this material was to be reviewed by the FBI.

Mr. FLOTO noted that when Mr. KROGH had vacated his White House office, all of his office files were packed and brought to his office at the DOT. Due to the unusual circumstances under which Mr. KROGH had left the White House, KROGH did not have sufficient time to remove his personal material from other White House material prior to his departure.

In view of this, SANDRA SHEPHERD (phonetic) KROGH's former White House secretary, who is still employed at the White House, had come to the DOT on several occasions to assist KROGH in a review of these files for material that should be returned to the White House.

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SANDRA SHEPHERD (phonetic) had already returned a large amount of material from KROGH's DOT office to the White House. Due to Mr. KROGH's sudden resignation and departure from the DOT, the file review had not been completed by KROGH and his former secretary.

Mr. KROGH had never indicated in any way that it was his intention to keep any of the material which he had brought from the White House to the DOT other than his personal correspondence and other personal items.

Mr. FLOTO advised that the files removed from Mr. KROGH's former DOT office were now in the custody of Mr. FRANK STANTON of the DOT Office of Security.

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Mr. WILLIAM M. TREADWELL, Attorney at Law, office address, 910 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., was contacted at the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), 400 7th Street, S.W.

Mr. TREADWELL advised that at his request, Special Assistants to the Undersecretary of the DOT, Mr. RONALD FLOTO and Mr. RICHARD NORDHIL, had completed a review of material removed from the former office of Mr. EGIL KROGH and had removed from this material, items of a personal nature.

This review did not include the material contained in a safe-type file cabinet also removed from Mr. KROGH's former DOT office.

Mr. TREADWELL advised that he discussed disposition of the files with Mr. KROGH during the preceeding night and both he and Mr. KROGH agreed that all of the material removed from Mr. KROGH's former office, except for personal items, be turned over to the FBI.

Mr. TREADWELL requested that should the FBI examination of this material reveal any items of a personal nature, he desired that these personal items be returned to him for transmittal to Mr. KROGH. He specifically requested that a light green folder labeled "RN Meeting - July 24, '71 (Saturday)", containing three pages of handwritten notes on white unlined, White House memorandum paper be returned after being examined.

The above described three memorandum sheets set forth the following handwritten notes:

RN meeting
SAT. - 25 July
11:45 A.M.
RN, EK

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1. Little people never leak.

2. Have everyone down through GS _____ - here in D.C. who have TS clearance agree to take a polygraph.
NO

3. Never use TS again.

4. National Security - Classified
Privilered
Controlled

5. Set a new classification for ONLY those thing RN feels are important

Put numbers on those documents

No one will have access to special documents except limited number and those must agree - by waiver to take a polygraph.
Special National Sec. (Illegible)

400-500 people to sign

All NSC Staff 400-500 (Illegible)
400-500 DOD
200-CIA

Get 1964 - 1965
Volumes on
polygraph

Justice has

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On May 11, 1973, FRANK STANTON, Security Officer, Department of Transportation (DOT), advised he had assumed custody of the files which had been in the possession of EGIL KROGH while KROGH was Undersecretary at the DOT.

On May 11, 1973, Mr. STANTON made available for review by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), the above-mentioned material of KROGH which was located in a combination-lock file cabinet. STANTON unlocked this cabinet by use of the combination in his possession.

On May 14, 1973, STANTON turned over to SA EDWARD L. GRAMPP of the FBI and executed a release for the documents located in the above-mentioned cabinet together with certain government documents which had been located in two other cabinets previously in the possession of KROGH when he was employed by DOT.

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II. INVENTORY OF DOCUMENTS AND FILES REMOVED FROM THE FORMER OFFICE OF EGIL KROGH AT THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Set forth hereinafter is an inventory of documents and files removed from the former office of Egil Krogh at the United States Department of Transportation (DOT).

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On May 11, 1973, a review was made of certain material located in a combination-lock file cabinet which had been in the possession of EGIL KROGH while he was serving as Undersecretary at the Department of Transportation (DOT). This material was made available by FRANK STANTON, Security Officer, DOT, who advised he had assumed custody of this cabinet and its contents.

The following material was observed in connection with this review:

Two looseleaf alphabetical notebooks containing addresses and telephone numbers of individuals and places.

Two notebooks, one for 1970 and the other 1972, containing entries showing appointments for these years.

A number of group and individual photographs, some framed.

A copy of "Newsweek" magazine dated September 18, 1972, with a paper clip placed on the page carrying an article entitled "The Spies Who Came In For The Heat."

A large publication in notebook-form by the Bureau of National Affairs, Incorporated, entitled "The United States Law Week" dealing with statutes passed by Congress and court decisions.

Large notebook containing material dealing with legislation introduced in Congress.

Department of Transportation notebook containing regulations, instructions and other material pertaining to the DOT.

Large briefcase-type folder containing extensive material pertaining to drug abuse, particularly as it is a problem relating to their use by military personnel. Some of this material is classified.

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The following items located in file cabinet number 275, Room 10200D, Department of Transportation Building, were examined on May 11, 1973:

Folder captioned "Sept 3, 1971 - Phone Conversation with B K"

Transcript of conversation between BUD KROGH and WALTER MINNICK concerning interest of KROGH in activities of various Congressional Staff members during their visit to unnamed Embassy in Southeast Asia.

Folder captioned "DRUG RESEARCH - OPIUM & COCAINE"

Undated note on White House memo pad advising that T. W. EDMINSTER, Department of Agriculture was now in charge of biological regulations of plants producing drugs opium and cocaine.

Folder captioned "POSTMASTER GEN. BLOUNT"

Several newspaper clippings, some dated in October, 1971, and others undated regarding concern of BLOUNT over curb of narcotics in France and his desire to boycott goods from France.

- Text of speech by Postmaster General WINTON M. BLOUNT, Drug Stamp Dedication, Dallas Texas, October 4, 1971.

Undated memorandum on White House stationery commenting that BLOUNT's statement does not reflect the views of the Administration.

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Undated note on White House memo pad from Ambassador WATSON to BUD KROGH with attached portion of Postmaster BLOUNT's Drug Dedication speech.

Folder captioned "OTTO PASSMAN, INGERSOLL, B K"

Undated note on White House memo pad to HARRY DENT from BUD KROGH with notation "Looks like it went O K. Thanks for your assist." Attached was memorandum on White House stationery dated October 7, 1971 for BUD KROGH from DICK NORDAHL. Subject of memorandum was the Louisiana Drug Seminar.

Copy of letter to WALTER C. MINNICK, Executive Office Building, The White House dated September 24, 1971, from OTTO E. PASSMAN, Member of Congress, regarding MINNICH attending meeting planned October 4, 1971 at Civic Center, Monroe, Louisiana.

Memorandum dated October 1, 1971 for JACK INGERSOLL from BUD KROGH concerning the Louisiana speech. Memorandum requests INGERSOLL contact KROGH upon his return from Geneva so KROGH can read to INGERSOLL the President's prepared remarks for the Louisiana Drug Conference.

Text of conversation between KROGH and INGERSOLL concerning Louisiana Conference and remarks by INGERSOLL that he is not getting cooperation of the White House.

Folder captioned "Remarks Before AID/PSD on Narc. 10/12/71"

Printed Program "Office of Public Safety Seminar on Narcotics, 10/10 - 19/72."

AID Speech Material.

Letter dated September 22, 1971 from LAUREN J. GOIN, Chief, Operations Division, Office of Public Safety to JACK CAULFIELD, White House Staff, enclosing two copies of agenda for the Office of Public Safety Narcotic Seminar.

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Folder captioned "HENRY COX"

Letter dated July 1, 1972 to HENRY COX, Assistant Director for Communications, Special Action Office for Drug Abuse Preventions, New Executive Office Building, from PATRICK J. CONKLIN, Associate Director, United States Civil Service Commission, Federal Executive Institute, Charlottesville, Virginia, expressing pleasure having COX at the Federal Executive Institute.

Letter dated May 17, 1972 to THOMAS P. MURPHY, Special Assistant to the Ambassador, American Embassy, Paris, France, from HENRY B. COX with copies to NELSON GROSS and E. KROGH re narcotics matter.

Undated memo on White House stationery from BUD KROGH to DAN KINGSLEY re employment of HENRY B. COX.

Memo on White House stationery dated March 31, 1972 from WALT MINNICK to BUD KROGH re employment of HENRY COX.

Memo dated November 29, 1971 from HENRY B. COX to Mr. KROGH re inclusion of narcotics problem on agenda for POMPIDOU talk.

Additional miscellaneous material re drug problems in France, Philippines, Japan and Korea.

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The following items located in a file cabinet bearing Department of Transportation security number 275 located in Room 10200D in the Department of Transportation Building which had been in the custody of EGIL E. KROGH, JR. were examined May 11, 1973:

1) Looseleaf notebook labeled "Mr. RON FLOTO" and "Info on Members of Senate Commerce Committee". Contains Xeroxed copies of memos of background reading on Senate Committee on Commerce.

Tab 1 - General

1) A memo from DON R. KENDALL to RON FLOTO dated December 22, 1972. Contains some sketches of members of the Senate Commerce Committee.

2) A memo dated December 12, 1972, on stationery titled "Executive Office of the President, Office of Management Budget" from ALLAN L. DEAN to BUD KROGH. Contains comments to help KROGH prepare for confirmation hearings for the position of Undersecretary of Transportation.

Tab 2 - Special Interest Group Ratings

Contains Xeroxed copy of ratings of the Senate Commerce Committee by the Americans for Democratic Action (ADA), AFL-CIO Committee On Political Education (COPE) and the Americans for Constitutional Action (ACA) for the years 1971 and 1972.

Tab 3 - Presidential Support Ratings 1971

Contains the percentage of 82 Nixon - Issue roll call in 1971, on which the members of the Senate Commerce Committee voted yea.

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Tab 4 - Biographical Information, Voting Record on Key Transportation Legislation, Transportation related Bills Introduced and Statements and Transportation Issues

Contains brief information on members of the Senate Commerce Committee with respect to the items listed above.

Tab 5 - Referenced Material

(A) Relation Between the Department of Transportation and Congressional Committees.

(B) Congressional Committee Membership.

(C) Status of Department of Transportation Legislative Program upon the Adjournment of the 92nd Congress.

Make up of 92nd and 93rd Congress.

2) File folder: "Automobile Insurance". Contains insurance policies and miscellaneous correspondence from United Services Automobile Association.

3) File folder: "BMW Maintenance". Contains one repair order for an automobile from VOB Datsun, Bethesda, Maryland.

4) File folder: "Automobile Information". Contains miscellaneous automobile advertising material.

5) "Budget Federal Credit Union". Contains miscellaneous copies of notes and statements from the Credit Union.

6) "State Mutual Life Assurance Company". Contains information on a policy loan.

7) File Folder: "DOT Credit Union". Contains one cash received of the voucher.

8) File Folder: "White House Federal Credit Union". Contains miscellaneous papers pertaining to a closed account.

9) File Folder: "Savings Account at Virginia National Bank". Contains a Xeroxed copy of a pay allotment request.

10) File Folder: "Income Taxes-Withholding". Contains copies of withholding exemption certificates.

11) File Folder: "BK's Trust Fund". Contains information on a trust fund at the Northern Trust Company, Chicago, Illinois - Beneficiary EGIL KROGH, JR.

12) File Folder: "American Express". Contains miscellaneous information regarding EGIL KROGH's American Express Card. Folder includes an envelope registered mail, special delivery from American Express, postmarked 8/22/72, addressed to EGIL KROGH in care of the Doral Hotel, 4833 Collins Avenue, Miami, Florida.

13) File Folder: "Health Benefits". Contains miscellaneous information and designation of beneficiary.

14) File Folder: "Personnel Action Material". Contains copies of various notifications of personnel action (job and pay changes etc.) and a background sheet for a security investigation, and old passport application.

15) File Folder: "'Uncle Red' KROGH". Contains miscellaneous notes, mostly relating to drugs.

16) File Folder: "WOOLLING and KROGH Family". Contains information on KROGH's family tree.

17) File Folder: "BK's Absentee Ballot-1972". A Xeroxed copy of a letter requesting an absentee ballot.

18) File Folder: "Estate of SIGRID K. RABE". Contains information on the estate of an aunt of EGIL KROGH who died January 13, 1971, at Chicago, Illinois.

19) File Folder: "Biographical Information - BK". Contains background information on EGIL KROGH.

20) File Folder: "Cancelled Checks from First National". Contains miscellaneous checks from period December 1971 to February 1972.

21) File Folder: "Appointment Affadavits". Contains appointment affadavit for White House Domestic Counsel dated August 28, 1972.

22) File Folder: "BK Miscellaneous". Contains miscellaneous photographs and papers. Includes an itinerary for a trip to "LA" on July 1, 1972 (American number 241), July 6, 1972, (Western number 700). Also contains invoices for some books purchased - "JONATHON LIVINGSTON SEAGULL" and others.

23) File Folder: "Invitation to Speak - From Transporation Reps". Contains a letter recommending EGIL KROGH be invited to speak at the Transportation Association of America, National Transportation Institute, February 6, 1973. The letter is from BARRY M. LOCKE to HAROLD HAMMOND, current president, TAA.

24) File Folder: "Miami Convention". Contains a Xeroxed copy of an "administratively confidential" White House memo containing details for plans for travel to Miami and accomodations there during the Republican National Convention for various personnel including EGIL KROGH.

25) File Folder: "BK's Payroll Slips from "W.H.". Contains miscellaneous pay slips.

26) File Folder: "Negatives - S.E. Asia Trip". Contains various photos of EGIL KROGH and opium poppy growing operations.

27) File Folder: "Invitations to Speak Before Christian Science Groups". Contains miscellaneous correspondents regarding above.

28) File Folder: "Zoo Trip". Contains letter regarding tour of National Zoo, July 25, 1972.

29) File Folder: "President's Television Wardrobe". Contains a memo regarding the above.

30) File Folder: "'Before Moving On' - Vietnam Notes by ALLEN ORCUTT - Introduction by JOHN ANDREWS". Contains a brief book review.

31) File Folder: "Articles Re President". Contains one clipped Life Magazine article.

32) File Folder: "W.H. Correspondent's Assn.". Contains an invitation from GARNETT D. HORNER to White House Correspondent's Association dinner, April 29, 1972, and an acceptance by EGIL KROGH.

33) File Folder: "Zoning Case". Contains a Xeroxed copy of a court opinion in the case of CHROBUCK vs. SNOHOMISH COUNTY (Washington) (Supreme Court of the State of Washington).

34) File Folder: "Maps to KROGHS". Contains a hand drawn map locating 6949 Greenvale Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

35) File Folder: "Work Log". Contains work logs for July 12, 13, 14, 17, and 19.

All of the above items were located in the top drawer of the file cabinet. The following two items were located in the fourth drawer of the file cabinet.

36) File Folder: "Prosterman-Middle East". Contains memorandums regarding land use and irrigation in the Jordan Valley on Israel by ROY L. PROSTERMAN of the University of Washington Law School.

37) File Folder: "ROY PROSTERMAN". Contains numerous correspondences from ROY L. PROSTERMAN of the University of Washington Law School to EGIL KROGH regarding Vietnam land reform.

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Property which had been in the custody of EGIL KROGH, located in United States Department of Transportation, Security File Cabinet Number 275, Room 10200 D., United States Department of Transportation, was examined and consisted of the following items:

Manila folder entitled "Cyclamate", with "Secret" printed in red ink, consisting of various statements by Department of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) officials, written notes, and other miscellaneous papers pertaining to cyclamates. Nothing within the folder indicated any secret classification.

Manila folder entitled "Green Beret Case", consisting of memoranda from the Office of the General Counsel of the Department of Defense stamped "For Official Use Only", a confidential memorandum for HENRY KISSINGER, and a memorandum for the Green Beret file, all dealing with this file.

Manila folder entitled "ABM", containing a single page secret memorandum on White House stationery for BUD KROGH from CHARLES W. COLSON, dated June 16, 1970, dealing with financing of the Citizens Committee to Safeguard America, an outside ABM support group.

Gray folder entitled "Justice Department Overhaul - EH's letter to Mr. E.", consisting of a single two page carbon copy of a memorandum for JOHN EHRLICHMAN dated December 4, 1972, regarding changes in the Justice Department.

Gray folder entitled "Culebra", consisting of a single three page memorandum on White House stationery from SALLYANNE PAYTON for BUD KROGH regarding Culebra dated November 3, 1972, with a red ink notation "Should not go to Central Files - Put in Safe". This memo deals with one

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COPAKEN's knowledge of a memo from General HAIG about the shelling of Culebra.

Gray folder entitled "Supreme Court Nominations", consisting of various memoranda on procedures for filling Supreme Court vacancies, areas to be explored by questioning about potential appointees, recommendations for possible appointees, White House press releases, a newspaper article and a recommendation for a letter of appreciation.

Gray folder entitled "Bombing Incidents", consisting of manila folder with newspaper articles, AP and UPI teletypes, handwritten notes, and typed memo regarding bombing. Included in the main folder are letters from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) to EGIL KROGH at the White House, dealing with threats to Governor NELSON ROCKEFELLER, and a bombing in Albany, New York.

Gray folder entitled "Polygraph", consisting of material from the Department of Justice, Federal Personnel Manual, Department of Defense, Civil Service Commission, the White House, a newspaper article, and miscellaneous papers dealing with the polygraph, plus a memorandum disapproving a presidential keynote address.

Gray folder entitled "Beecher/Salt Leak", consisting of one page listing attendees at a SALT meeting, a confidential White House memorandum by BUD KROGH, a secret Office of the Secretary of Defense memo dated July 23, 1971, and another memorandum from the Assistant Secretary of Defense stamped "For Official Use Only", dealing with an unauthorized disclosure in New York Times article by WILLIAM BEECHER on July 23, 1971.

Gray folder entitled "Dedication of the Kennedy Center", consisting of a two page typed summary about LEONARD BERNSTEIN

and his request of Father BERRIGAN to compose words for BERNSTEIN's "Mass", which would follow an antiwar theme. Attached to this are single page confidential memos to BUD KROGH on White House stationery dealing with BERSTEIN's "Mass".

Manila folder entitled "Lt. CALLEY", consisting of notes, newspaper and magazine articles, a press release, confidential Department of Defense and White House papers concerning the Lt. Calley case, plus a 25 page Top Secret White House Discussion Memorandum regarding War Crimes Cases, dated May 14, 1971.

Property which had been in the custody of EGIL KROGH, located in the United States Department of Transportation Security file cabinet number 275, room 10200, United States Department of Transportation, was examined and consisted of the following material:

File folder marked "NORMAN LITTELL"

Folder contained various pieces of correspondence regarding NORMAN LITTELL's study of the judicial system. Several of these pieces of correspondence bore the classification "Secret".

File folder marked "TED LUTZ"

Folder contained correspondence regarding the superior work of TED LUTZ in the successful drive to fund the Metro system.

File folder marked "DANIEL MC AULIFFE"

Folder contained information regarding the employment of DANIEL J. MC AULIFFE by the administration.

File folder marked "TED MEYERS"

Folder contained information regarding the appointment of TEDSON J. MEYERS to the District of Columbia City Council. This folder also contained 59 pages of blank letterhead stationery bearing the letterhead of "The Vice President, Washington, D.C., 20510". This stationery also had imprinted on the top an official looking seal. Attached to these pages was a letter from TEDSON J. MEYERS to EGIL KROGH, indicating that MEYERS was turning over to KROGH the stationery so that he could dispose of it.

File folder marked "WALTER C. MINNICK"

Folder contained various pieces of correspondence pertaining to a request that First Lieutenant WALTER C. MINNICK be reassigned to the White House.

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File folder marked "ANCHOR NELSEN"

Folder contained handwritten cryptic notes pertaining to a variety of apparent unrelated matters.

File folder marked "JOHN NEVIUS"

Folder contained various pieces of correspondence dealing with the District of Columbia City Council, The District of Columbia City Council Chairmanship and several reports dealing with the topic of Police Community Relations.

File folder marked "DICK NORDAHL"

Folder contained an orginial resume' of RICHARD HERMAN NORDAHL. It also contained information indicating that NORDAHL was interested in a position on the Democratic Policy Council staff.

File folder marked "DAVID PARKER"

Folder contained several pieces of correspondence pertaining to public appearances by the President. Folder also contained correspondence dealing with the narcotics problem in the United States, the District of Columbia Subway System, and several political appointees.

File folder marked "HANK PAULSON"

Folder contained a resume' of HENRY MERRITT PAULSON, JR.

File folder marked "Secretary VOLPE"

Folder contained a copy of a speech given by JOHN A. VOLPE before the Institutional Investors in New York.

File folder marked "EARL WARREN"

Folder contained information pertaining to the propriety of political activity by retired Chief Justice EARL WARREN.

File folder marked "Mayor WALTER WASHINGTON"

Folder contained information pertaining to the establishment of an Office of Municipal Audit and Inquiry in the District of Columbia government. Folder also contained various pieces of correspondence setting forth details of meetings between KROGH and Mayor WASHINGTON.

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The following items taken from a file cabinet marked with Department of Transportation Security Number 275, located in Room 10200D, Department of Transportation Building, 400 7th Street, Southwest, Washington, D.C., were examined on May 11, 1973 and May 14, 1973:

1. Buff colored folder captioned [redacted] containing two pages of handwritten notes and several White House memoranda classified, "Secret" and supporting documents originating with the Central Intelligence Agency and the Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, also classified "Secret", all of which pertain to one, [redacted] 7C

2. Buff colored folder captioned, "ROSSIDES", containing White House memoranda, drafts of one of the memoranda and various other documents most of which deal with matters pertaining to drugs or to the performance in the Administration of EUGENE ROSSIDES, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Enforcement Operations.

3. Buff colored folder containing IBM memo belt identified as pertaining to a telephone call from United States Ambassador LEONARD UNGER and a copy of "Confidential" letter dated August 28, 1972, from Ambassador UNGER to ARTHUR W. HUMMEL, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asia and Pacific Affairs regarding the new Thai Ambassador in Washington, D.C. At that time UNGER was Ambassador to Thailand.

4. A gray folder captioned, "INFO concerning [redacted] containing information regarding [redacted] which originated with MILTON J. CARP, Attorney in Charge of the Pittsburgh Strike Force and with the Organized Crime and Racketeering Section, Criminal Division, regarding the Western District of Pennsylvania. b7C

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by SA JOSEPH E. SCULLY:mr Date dictated 5/14/73

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5. A gray folder captioned, "AMB. T. SHELTON-Managua, Nicaragua", containing a letter dated December 13, 1972, from Ambassador SHELTON to EGIL KROGH, JR., which congratulated him on his appointment as Under-Secretary of Transportation. Also contained in the folder was a "Confidential" Department of State communication dealing with comments made by General SOMOZA of Nicaragua regarding drugs. A letter dated December 22, 1972, from KROGH thanked TURNER for the above.

6. A gray folder captioned, "Marijuana Commission" which contained miscellaneous correspondence including memoranda pertaining to the work of the Marijuana Commission and a substantial amount of correspondence relative to what was considered an abuse of the Commission's travel abroad.

7. A buff colored folder captioned [redacted] which contained an exchange of correspondence during early 1972 between JIM FILES, 11 East Euclid Avenue, Littleton, Colorado, and HARRY S. DENT, Special Counsel to the President. The correspondence generally concerned one [redacted] 7C

8. A gray folder captioned, "NBC SPEC. KENNEDY ADM. INV. IN VIET. WAR", which contained a news clipping and a White House memorandum which pertained to a NBC news special on the "Involvement of the Kennedy Administration in the Vietnamese War".

9. A gray folder captioned, "Breaking the Connection" which contained miscellaneous papers and memoranda which dealt with such matters as "Executive Pay Level for MYLES AMBROSE", unidentified pay schedules, the Administration's record of accomplishments in the campaign against drugs, a history of the Grand Jury and published results of Grand Jury action in the Pentagon Papers case.

10. A gray folder captioned, [redacted] which contained a substantial amount of material dealing with allegations by [redacted] to the effect that [redacted] was involved in illegal drug traffic. The file contained documents classified up to and including "Secret" most of which originated with the United States Department of State and which deal both with charges and denials of the charges [redacted] was involved in illicit drug traffic.

11. A gray folder captioned, [redacted] which contained handwritten notes, memoranda and a "Confidential" United States Department of State document dealing with the International Drug problem and the action in Hong Kong of one [redacted]

12. A gray folder captioned, "Ek's trip to Curacao-5/24-29/72" containing copies of an itinerary, travel voucher and receipts pertaining to the travel of EGIL KROGH, JR., to San Juan, Curacao and Aruba. The folder also contained what appeared to be a black leather pocket secretary.

13. A gray folder captioned, "DRUGS-Ambassador WATSON" containing memoranda and letters dated during 1971 and records of conversations concerning the anti-drug efforts of United States Ambassador ARTHUR K. WATSON in France.

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Property which has been in the custody of EGIL KROGH, located in the United States Department of Transportation (DOT), security file cabinet number 275, room 10200, DOT, was examined and consisted of the following material:

1. Small manila folder labled: "FBI Intelligence Reports".

A.) Original "FBI Intelligence Letter" classified "Secret" dated November 17, 1969, pertaining to results of demonstrations in Washington, D.C. and San Francisco on November 11 and 15, 1969, conducted by New Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam.

B.) Memorandum for JOHN EHRLICHMAN, dated November 20, 1969.

Through: BUD KROGH
From: TOM CHARLES HUSTON
Subject: FBI Intelligence Effort For November Mobilization

Xerox memo relates to reporter BOB WALTERS articles in "Tuesday's Washington Evening Star concerning Government planning for the November, 1969, Mobilization. It noted "The Director," JOHN EDGAR HOOVER, was troubled by implication FBI intelligence efforts were unsatisfactory. The memo goes on to assess, FBI intelligence estimates and becomes very complimentary noting the fears of Mr. HOOVER and FBI Domestic Intelligence Division are unfounded in that intelligence and the estimates were of great value to the White House in evaluating what action would be taken by United States and local authorities.

Attached to above is a "Draft" from EHRLICHMAN to Mr. HOOVER commending FBI for its good work and noting present liaison between FBI and White House is quite satisfactory.

C.) Confidential FBI "Current Intelligence Analysis" pamphlet, five pages, dated November 13, 1969, relates to Anti-War Demos, November, 1969 and various extremist organizations.

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D.) "Confidential" memorandum on White House stationery for Mr. EHRLICHMAN, dated December 9, 1969, from TOM CHARLES HUSTON, noting FBI, Domestic Intelligence Division memorandum concerning analysis of Communist and domestic and foreign influence in anti-war movement. The HUSTON memo was attached to a "Confidential" FBI document (24 pages), entitled: "The Anti-War Movement: Pacific or Portentous" dated December 9, 1969, with cover letter from Mr. HOOVER dated December 11, 1969.

2. Large manila folder (not labeled)

This entire folder consists of letters, leaflets posters, pamphlets and other miscellaneous papers pertaining to the New Mobilization Demonstration in Washington, D.C., November 15, 1969 to end the war in Vietnam. There are 72 pages of printed material in all. Three pages are hand-written on legal size yellow paper and pertain to logistics such as housing transportation and sanitation facilities.

Some of the material relates to rallies prior to the November 15, 1969, demonstration and other material relates to facilities and activities of the group in relation to the National Park Service, United States Department of Interior.

3. Large manila folder labeled "Mobilization - Statistics" This folder contained no material whatsoever (empty).

4. Small manila folder labeled "Friday, November 7, 2 p.m., Meeting with KEINDIENST".

Eleven pages of mail in all which pertain directly to November 15, 1969, New Mobilization Anti-Vietnam War demonstration.

A.) One page document classified "Secret", dated November 7, 1969, captioned "Intelligence Memorandum Number 4", initialed by "TCH/6 Nov 69", (typewritten). Set forth data (statistics) and listed organizations which would participate in demonstration.

B.) A one page document to JOHN EHRLICHMAN from JACK CAULFIELD on White House stationery, dated November 6, 1969, relating information from an informant of New York City Police Department as to how S.D.S. would cause confrontation with Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C., at DuPont Circle.

C.) Memorandum on White House stationery from BUD KROGH to JOHN EHRLICHMAN, dated November 7, 1969, with attached GSA Rules and Regulations re Public Buildings and Grounds.

D.) Secret FBI teletype, November 6, 1969 (Xerox copy)

To: The White House Situation Room 3
Attention: Dr. HENRY KISSINGER
To: The Vice President
Attention: KENT B. CRANE
To: Attorney General (By messenger)
To: Deputy Attorney General (By messenger)
Captioned: "Communist Party, USA, Domestic Administration Issues." re attendance of ARNOLD JOHNSON, Public Relations Director, Communist Party, USA, at New Mobilization metting in Chicago, November 1 and 2, 1969.

E.) A three page memorandum to JACK CAULFIELD Staff Assistant to the Counsel, The White House, dated November 6, 1969, from United States Secret Service re New Mobilization Demonstrations, 13-15, 1969, in Washington, D.C., listing current information re demonstration statistics organizations individuals (unclassified).

F.) A two page schedule "Peripheral Demonstrations", noting activities by organizations and individuals on November 11, 13, 14, and 15, 1973.

5. Small manila folder labeled "Moratorium Committee".

A.) This folder contains 46 pieces of mail relating to the Vietnam Moratorium scheduled for Washington, D.C., October 15, 1969, and the subsequent demonstrations by the New Mobilization Committee and related groups on November 15, 1969.

B.) There is also a 65 page document consisting mostly of Xeroxed articles which have appeared in the "New York Times" newspaper regarding young people in the United States. These pertain mainly to repressive legislation, student loans, drugs, the draft reform, students having voice in education policy, ROTC reform and high schools.

These articles were furnished to BUD KROGH from JOHN L. CAMPBELL by cover letter dated October 8, 1969, on White House stationery. They were forwarded to KROGH

apparently so that he could prepare himself for an interview with "New York Times" reporter ROBERT SEMPLE, which CAMPBELL recommended not be granted until after Vietnam Moratorium Day on October 15, 1969, in order that White House could evaluate the Day as to its effect around the United States.

C.) An eight page double spaced speech (Xeroxed) entitled "Let the Eagle Scream" by JENKIN LLOYD JONES delivered at the Homecoming of American Legion National Commander, J. MILTON PATRICK, Shiatook Oklahoma, on October 4, 1969; also a three page news release from American Legion Headquarters dated October 6, 1969, re: "Protests and Demonstrations against America's Vietnam Policy are Misdirected."

These were forwarded to "BUD" (believed to be KROGH) by CARTHA D. DE LOACH on DE LOACH's stationery dated October 9, 1969, and signed "DEKE".

None of the items in this folder were classified.

6. Blue folder with clear celluloid top containing:

Memorandum dated February 21, 1970, entitled Government of the District of Columbia:

To: Mayor WALTER E. WASHINGTON
From: GEORGE R. RODERICK
Director, Executive Office, Civil Defense
Subject: Listing of Disturbances and Demonstrations from January 1, 1969 to February 20, 1970. (unclassified).

7. (not in folder)

A two page memorandum to Mr. JACK CAULFIELD, Staff Assistant of the Counsel, The White House, from THOMAS J. KELLEY, Assistant Director, United States Secret Service. The subject was Demonstrations in Washington, D.C.

Concerning current activity for December, 1969, regarding Vietnam Moratorium Committee (unclassified).

8. (not in folder)

White House stationery. Memorandum dated February 10, 1970 to TOD HULLIN, from JEFF DONFELD on the subject of Regulations on Demonstrations in Washington, D.C.

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Regarding demonstration in front of White House and Safety of President. (unclassified)

9. (not in folder)

Memorandum for the President from ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD regarding a challenge to the Silent American Majority from SAM BROWN, Moratorium Leader. (unclassified) (No ELLSBERG material).

10. Large manila folder labeled "Kent State".

This folder consists primarily of papers (pamphlets, teletypes, memorandums, leaflets, letters, news releases, , some on White House stationery), relating to the Kent State University, Kent Ohio tragedy of May 4, 1970, when four students were killed and several wounded by the Ohio National Guard, during protest demonstrations on the Vietnam War and the spread of the war into Cambodia. Several of the papers from White House staff members suggested how President NIXON should react and what he should say in response to the incident.

A number of the papers concerned subsequent investigations of the incident including that of the FBI.

Some of the papers relate to subsequent demonstrations regarding Kent and the Vietnam War held in Washington, D.C., in May and November, 1970. The papers noted military support groups that were used to protect United States property; also a compilation of statistics and a narrative from the FBI noting damages as a result of the demonstrations.

There also was contained in the folder an eleven page "Secret" memorandum with supporting leaflets entitled "Meeting of the Departmental Evaluation Committee, dated April 29, 1970, concerning "Potential for Violence During Demonstrations In Support of Black Panther Party Defendents in New Haven, Connecticut.

Additional papers listed acts of violence on campuses throughout the United States from January 1970, through May, 1970.

There were thirteen pages of handwritten (more than one person's handwriting) notes pertaining to various items mentioned above.

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1. In manila file folder with white tab marked "Hanoi, Halstead Correspondence."

A xerox copy of the following listed documents - all pages numbered at the bottom 2 through 9*, all pages stapled together at the top - marked "Confidential" - "Proposed Demonstrations in WDC".

a. RCA Global Telegram dated October 14, 3:44 p.m. with address "New Mobe, 1029 Vt. Ave. N.W. Suit 900, W.D.C. 20005" starts "Dear American Friends" and message is about war in Vietnam and demanding United States pull out. It ends "Cordial Greetings PHAMVANDONG, Prime Minister of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam."

b. Page six is a copy of "Draft of Answer" dated October 16, 1969 addressed to PHAM VAN DONG, Hanoi, Vietnam and 2 paragraph message acknowledging receipt of message (a. above). It closes "Sincerely," "Steering Committee, New Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam."

c. Page eight is a copy of a letter from FRED HALSTEAD to the "New Mobe Steering Committee Member."

2. In manila folder with white tab marked "Pre-emptive Public Relations Points."

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by SA LOUIS EARL EISENLINE/ljs Date dictated 5/14/73

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a. An original memo (one page) typewritten, entitled "Mobilization File" subject: "Pre-emptive Public Relations Points". Four points set forth. "Secret" classification was on memo.

3. In manila folder with white tab "Statement - JOHN DEAN."

a. Two page xerox copy of typewritten statement dated November 18, 1969. At the top "The Attorney General" skip several lines down "DAVE MILLER" and title "Department Statement on the Moratorium/New Mobilization Activities." It starts out "The 'Revolutionary Contingent' whose performance" etc. The text is suggestions for solution of the statement by Justice on how to handle the 249,000 marchers.

b. Two copies, either printed or xeroxed very clearly, of a four page "Statement of the Department of Justice Delivered by Associate Deputy Attorney General JOHN W. DEAN, III," dated November 6, 1969. The statement dealt with the issuance of a permit for the anti-war demonstration to be held in Washington, D. C. November 13,14 and 15 of 1969.

4. Manila folder with white tab, "KISSINGER Memo (Califano)". Cover "Memorandum", "The White House, Washington" at the top, original-typed,

To: BUD KROGH
From: TOD HULIN (initialed)
Re: Anti-war Demonstrations

"Attached is a memo from HENRY KISSINGER concerning the November 15th anti-war demonstrations."

"JOHN wanted you to have a copy and will yield to your discretion as to whether this should be discussed with JACK CAULFIELD."

Attachment was a xerox copy and captioned "Memorandum for Mr. JOHN EHRLICHMAN" From: HENRY A. KISSINGER Subject: Anti-War Demonstrations. The subject sets forth six points as guide lines to prepare for the November 15, 1973 anti-war demonstration in Washington, D. C., based on CALIFANO's post-crises critique.

5. In manila folder with white tab "Demonstration Reports - Sec. Serv."

a. (1) xerox copy of memorandum on Department of the Treasury, United States Secret Service letterhead dated November 6, 1969 To: Mr. JACK CAULFIELD, Staff Assistant to the Counsel, The White House, From: THOMAS J. KELLEY, Assistant Director, U. S. Secret Service, Subject: Demonstrations in Washington, D. C., November 13-15, 1969.

Reference memo 11/4/69.

Attached is report on most current info re demonstrations. The report (two pages) had estimates of crowd and info about militants attending. The report was a xerox copy.

b. White House note paper dated November 3, 1969. "For: BUD KROGH", "From: JACK CAULFIELD" "For your information" and attached to the note was a xerox copy of a memorandum on Department of Treasury, U.S. Secret Service, letterhead dated October 31, 1969

To: JACK CAULFIELD, Staff Assistant to the Counsel, The White House.

From: THOMAS J. KELLY, Assistant Director, U. S. Secret Service.

Subject: Demonstrations in WDC - November 13-15, 1969. Attached report regarding demonstrations of November 13-15, 1969. Report was two pages entitled "Proposed activity during 11/13-15 Demonstrations in Washington, D. C." It reported information regarding militant groups and individuals expected to attend.

c. one page xerox copy marked "Confidential" entitled "Active Army, Marine Corps, and NG Reaction Forces for Washington, D. C." The number listed was 17,523, set forth under (5) points. Time stamp on back "The White House received 1969 Nov 13 am 1040".

d. Xerox copy of FBI teletype 2:30p.m., November 14, 1969 To: The President 006 To: VP, To: Sec. of State, To: CIA, DIA, Army, Air Force, Secret Service, Attorney General "Confidential" "Demonstrations at WDC 11/13/69 through 11/15." Total of five pages, a summary of march events which had occurred and were planned.

e. Xerox copy of (4) page teletype from U.S. Secret Service Command Post to Secret Service officials and White House officials and police dated 14 Nov. 69 1340 EST. unclassified Subject: Situation report at D.C. as of 12:30 Hrs. 11/14/69. Message was summary of events occurring during the day.

6. Manila folder with white tab "Media Memoranda".

a. Original cover letter White House letterhead dated November 10, 1969 "Memorandum for BUD KROGH" From: JOHN CAMPBELL (Initialed) "Mr. EHRLICHMAN asked that this memorandum be circulated to you."

Attached to cover letter: The White House letterhead xerox copy of a memorandum:

To: The President

From: BUCHANAN and Staff

Title "The News of the Week in Review"(nee Media Memorandum) number 8" November 6, 1969. Summary of news events from New Mobe to Soviets.

7. Manila folder with white tab "MOYNIHAN's Memo - Blacks"

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a. One carbon copy of a letter dated 1/26/70, "For JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN" from DANIEL P. MOYNIHAN with two attachments. The letter relates MOYNIHAN's discussion with one President regarding the latest black - white data and suggests a meeting be held to discuss the problem. The first attachment is a carbon copy of a memorandum marked "Confidential" dated January 23, 1970: "For JOHN EHRLICHMAN" The memo was a suggestion that a preliminary meeting be held to discuss school problems in the South and policy regarding black America. Memo was from DANIEL P. MOYNIHAN. The second attachment was a xerox copy of a "Memorandum for the President" on White House letterhead dated January 16, 1970. This was ten pages and was a general assessment of the position of Negroes at the end of the President's first year.

8. One xerox copy of an article entitled "diary of a peace march" by Captain EARL L. DRESCHER (6) pages. An account of the November 13-15, 1973 demonstration in Washington, D. C. Attached to the article were two notes on White House note paper, the outer note "To file on Mobilization Moratorium""From: BUD KROGH", The inner note also on White House note paper dated March 19, 1970 "For: BUD KROUGH","From: JACK CAULFIELD." The message "For your information attached article by Captain EARL DRESCHER."

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Two (2) large black loose-leaf notebooks entitled "Summary of Information Relative to Disclosure of the 'McNamara Papers,' (prepared August 5, 1971). Each notebook had eight divisions, listed as follows:

I. Introduction

The first sentence reads: "This summary has been prepared by the Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice."

II. Background

III. Biography

IV. Transition Period

V. Los Angeles Summary

VI. Boston Summary

VII. Other Activities

VIII. Admissions

Copy 2a had a cover letter classified "Confidential," dated August 11, 1971, to EGIL KROGH, JR., the White House, from ROBERT C. MARDIAN, Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security Division, U. S. Department of Justice. The letter stated in part: "Attached is a copy of a preliminary draft we have prepared of all significant information available thus far in connection with the unauthorized disclosur of the 'McNamara Study' to the New York Times and other newspapers."

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A manila folder labeled "Flow of Intelligence" contained: A memorandum for KROGH, dated October 31, 1969, from TOM CHARLES HUSTON, the White House, relative to the handling of protest demonstrations; three pages.
A memo dated November 6, 1969 for EHRLICHMAN from JACK CAULFIELD, the White House, regarding discreet intelligence capability during the November 13 - 15 demonstrations.
A memo dated October 31, 1969 for EHRLICHMAN from KROGH regarding improvement of intelligence flow during the demonstration.

A manila folder labeled "Proposed Counter-Actions contained: A newspaper clipping, Washington Post, November 11, 1969, "The Federal Diary" by MARK CAUSEY, regarding the demonstration.
Five sheets of lined paper of handwriting regarding preparation for the demonstration.
One sheet mimeograph instructions regarding the handling of procedures during demonstration, dated November 6, 1969.
A memo to the file October 21, 1969, from KROGH regarding the Student Mobilization file.
Four memos stapled together regarding demonstration matters.
Memo (undated) to KROGH from "JANE" regarding procedures.
Memo to file from KROGH, October 20, 1969, regarding procedures.
Two page memo, November 6, 1969 to KROGH from THOMAS J. KELLY, Assistant Director, U. S. Secret Service, regarding demonstration coverage.
Memo to KROGH and ten other White House aides, November 12, 1969, from DICK BLUMENTHAL regarding November 13 - 15 anti-war activities.

A manila folder labeled "Departmental Evaluation Committee Meeting, April 8, 1970," contained:

Nine page report entitled "Meeting of the Departmental Evaulation Committee, April 8, 1970, regarding potential for violence during April, 1970, demonstrations to

protest War Taxes. It included a seven page teletype (Xerox), unclassified, to the President and other heads of agencies from the FBI relative to demonstrations in 1970.

A manila folder labeled "Arrests" contained:

A memo dated November 7, 1969, to JACK CAULFIELD, White House, from THOMAS J. KELLY, U. S. Secret Service, regarding mass arrest procedures, which was attached to a one page sheet of arrest and seizures by the Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D. C.

A manila folder labeled "Communications" contained:

A memo dated November 11, 1969 for EHRLICHMAN from Colonel JAMES D. HUGHES, White House, regarding communications support for the Moratorium demonstration.
A memo, November 11, 1969, to HUGHES from KROGH, answering above and informing of procedures.

A manila folder labeled "Blumenthal Memos" contained:

A memo (Xerox), November 27, 1969, from RICHARD BLUMENTHAL, copy to KROGH, LEONARD GARMENT, and DANIEL P. MOYNIHAN, regarding anti-war feelings and demonstrations, two pages.
A memo, November 4, 1969 to KROGH from BLUMENTHAL, "Confidential," regarding demonstration, November 15, 1969, two pages.

A manila folder labeled "Routes" contained:

A memo, November 11, 1969 to EHRLICHMAN from KROGH, regarding the parade route down Pennsylvania Avenue.
One map of Central Downtown Washington, D. C., showing parade route.

A manila folder labeled "Granting of Permit" contained:

A seven page Xerox copy of Permit, U. S. Department of Justice, to New Mobilization Committee to end the War in Vietnam, 1029 Vermont Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.,

authorized for November 15, 1969.
A three page press release, November 11, 1969, regarding demonstration on November 15, 1969.
One sheet, lined paper, handwriting, regarding procedures.
One newspaper clipping, Washington Post (no date), article by PAUL W. VALENTINE, Staff Writer, regarding demonstration.
A three page release (possibly television announcement), undated, presumably from the President, regarding the demonstration. It begins, "Some responses to my Vietnam talk....."

A manila folder labeled "MC GOVERN - HATFIELD Amendment" contained:

A four page memo, June 2, 1970, from WILLIAM H. REHNQUIST, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Legal Counsel, Department of Justice, to Honorable JOHN F. LEHMAN, National Security Council, regarding the MC GOVERN - HATFIELD amendment. KROGH received one copy.

A manila folder labeled "New Haven" contained:

Six pages of telephone conversation, April 30, 1970, with BILL RUCKELSHAUS, KLEINDIENST, EHRLICHMAN, from New Haven, Connecticut, regarding a demonstration in that city.
One page Xerox copy of letter to Attorney General, April 30, 1970, from JOHN DEMPSEY, Governor of Connecticut, regarding possible violence in New Haven, Connecticut, regarding a demonstration in that city.
Several memos, messages, regarding New Haven demonstration.

A manila folder labeled "October 3 Demonstrations" contained:

A memo for file, September 25, 1970, regarding [redacted] and the impending demonstration on October 3, 1970.
Xerox copy of teletype, September 22, 1970, from Assistant Director, Protective Intelligence, to White House regarding counter-demonstration at Ellipse on October 3, 1970.

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Xerox copy of teletype, September 22, 1970, to White House, from Director, FBI, a summary of racial distrubances, "Confidential," six pages. Xerox copy of teletype (date not shown) to White House, from Director, FBI, unclassified, Highlights of Current Student Agitation in the United States, five pages.

A manila folder labeled "July 4 Demonstration" contained:

Two letters, three teletypes, one telegram, one FBI Current Intelligence Analysis, June 25, 1970, "Confidential," one FBI LHM "Insurrection Smoke - In Yippie Festival," July 4, 1970, one printed hand-out, one brochure, list of U. S. Government agencies, pertaining to demonstration in Washington, D. C. on July 4, 1970.

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The following items located in fourth drawer from top in a file cabinet bearing Department of Transportation (DOT) Security Number 275, Room 10200 D, DOT Building, 400 7th Street, S. W., Washington, D. C., were reviewed:

1) Brown cardboard folder, bearing the title, "National Training Center," containing 13 pamphlets concerning the National Training Center in South Vietnam and two copies of a memorandum for Mr. EGIL KROGH, Deputy Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs, from Mr. JOHN E. INGERSOLL, Director, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, dated September 16, 1970, entitled, "Material Requested During Visit to Vietnam."

2) Manila folder bearing the title "66", containing a two-page itemized list of 29 entries in the folder and the 29 corresponding items, consisting of letters, memoranda, and other material dealing with land reform in South Vietnam. The folder also contained several other items consisting of newspaper clippings, letters, memoranda and pamphlets, dealing with the South Vietnamese land reform program. One White House memorandum dated March 31, 1970, was classified "Confidential."

3) Brown cardboard folder, bearing the title "Land Reform," which contained three manila folders, bearing the titles "RN Request Congress support for land reform," "Congressman Moss," and "Mr. Cox," and several loose items, consisting of newspaper clippings, letters, memoranda and pamphlets concerning land reform in South Vietnam. One of the loose memoranda was classified "Secret."

The manila folder entitled "RN Request Congress support for land reform" contained several items, consisting of newspaper clippings, letters, memoranda, leaflets, and handwritten notes concerning land reform in South Vietnam. Two memoranda were classified "Confidential" and one memorandum was classified "Secret."

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The manila folder entitled "Congressman Moss" contained several pages stapled together, the top page, being an excerpt from "Congressional Record-House" dated March 26, 1970, concerning land reform in Vietnam.

The manila folder entitled "Mr. Cox," contained several letters, memoranda, and newspaper clippings concerning land reform in South Vietnam.

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Property which had been in the custody of EGIL KROGH, located in the United States Department of Transportation security file cabinet number 275, room 10200, United States Department of Transportation, was examined and consisted of the following material:

Folder marked "P-Trip to Lincoln Memorial, May 9, 1970.

Memos and personal recollections by KROGH and the President re the President's trip to the Lincoln Memorial. Contains some "Confidential Eyes Only" information.

Folder marked "Executive Office of the President-. Standards of Conduct".

Various memos and documents re standards of conduct conflict of interest.

Folder marked "Hijacking".

Various notes, memos and reports re various measures which could be used against countries aiding hijackers and various methods to prevent hijacking. Contains information classified "Secret" and "Administratively Confidential".

Folder marked "GRUMMAN".

Various notes, newspaper clippings and memos re GRUMMAN F-14 problems and two "Confidential" documents concerning options available to the Government.

Folder marked "A-X Program-New York".

Several newspaper items and copies of letters re the close air support aircraft, the A-X, made by Fairchild.

Folder marked "Internal Revenue Service".

Various memos, newspaper clippings and letters re IRS matters mostly dealing with gun control matters. Also several "For Official Use Only" and "Confidential" documents.

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Folder marked "NSSM-113".

Numerous memos and studies re classification and declassification, some classified documents.

The following material was reviewed, May 14, 1973:

Folder marked "Mr. BUD KROGH".

Various memos and booklets re educational programs and law enforcement from the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

Manila folder-not headed.

Management development data re training and programs, in the Federal government.

Folder marked "OMB Letter to AG re Fiscal 1973".

One letter subject matter as noted above.

Folder marked "Law Enforcement Police Committee".

A bound report for management systems in offices of United States Attorneys.

Folder marked "Anti-Trust".

Correspondence re anti-trust legislation.

Folder marked "Justice".

Correspondence re Department of Justice matters.

Folder marked "Public Information".

Handwritten notes re Justice Department.

Folder marked "Legislative Activities".

A report on the legislative activities of the Justice Department during the first session of the 91st Congress.

Folder marked "Office of Criminal Justice".

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Draft memo re the Office of Criminal Justice.

Folder marked [redacted] 7C

Several bulletins from Treasury Department re narcotics matters.

Folder marked [redacted] 7C

Miscellaneous memos and notes concerning various problems in Washington, D.C.

Folder marked "WILLIAM RASPBERRY (Terror)".

Newspaper clippings of RASPBERRY's column and memos re possibility of talking to him.

Folder marked "BEBE REBOZO".

Background re a Civil Rights lawsuit to be filed by the Justice Department in Palm Beach, Florida. (REBOZO not involved).

Folder marked "Congressman REUSS".

Concerns a request by REUSS for SST documents and is classified "Confidential".

Folder marked "RICORD EXTRADITION".

Newspaper clippings and a memo re caption.

Folder marked "MAYOR RIZZO".

Correspondence and memos re Federal funding for Philadelphia by LEAA and HUD problems there.

Folder marked "ROUSSELOT-[redacted] 7C

"Eyes Only" memo and correspondence from an individual in Congressman ROUSSELOT's district re an individual appointed by the President to a national commission.

Folder marked "WILLIAM SELOVER".

Newspapers and clippings and letters from SELOVER to KROGH, dealing with SELOVER's articles on drug user treatment

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and his appointment as a speech writer for the Secretary of the Navy.

Folder marked "COURTNEY SHELDON-CSM".

Memo re SHELDON, a Christian Science Monitor reporter, and his anti-administration views, written by KROGH.

Folder marked "SHRIVER".

Correspondence and a report, the cover page of which is classified "Confidential" which is an analysis of SHRIVER's administration of OEO. The document consists of printed articles re SHRIVER and the OEO and bears comments re SHRIVER and the OEO in the margins.

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The following items located in a file cabinet marked with Department of Transportation Security Number 275, located in Room #10200D, United States Department of Transportation, 400-7th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. were examined:

1. Letter size envelope displaying printed return address, "The White House Office", captioned "Negatives of BX" contained four 35mm color transparencies.

2. File folder titled "Potential Position Interests" containing information pertaining to official Government position Classifications I, II, and III.

3. File folder titled "92nd Congress--1st Session" contains memoranda to the President classified "Confidential" concerning a summary of Congressional activity.

4. File folder titled "Public Dissent by Employees Concerning Government Policy" contains a letter dealing with titled subject.

5. File folder titled "Memo. Re. Reconfirmation of All Federal Judges Every Ten Years" containing information in this regard with one paper marked "EYES ONLY".

6. File folder titled "J. Anderson's Column re Armco, 11/15/72", contains newspaper clipping.

7. File folder titled "Office of Emergency Prep. - Facilities" contains document classified "Confidential" concerning titled matter.

8. File folder titled "Presidential Aircraft Security-A.F. 1" contains correspondence concerning new aircraft security proposal.

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9. File folder titled "Incursion Into Communist Sanctuaries in Cambodia-Vietnam Border Area" contains legal research pertaining to Presidential authority for titled incursion, and statement presented to the New York City Bar Association.

10. File folder titled "Military Domestic Intelligence" contains memorandum classified "SECRET" concerning military surveillance of domestic civilian activities.

11. File folder titled "D.C. Surveyors Office" contains "EYES ONLY" memorandum pertaining to an appointment to a position within titled office.

12. File folder titled [redacted] 7c contains information relative to [redacted] some marked "Confidential".

13. File folder titled "Claude Brinegar" contains reprint of article by Brinegar.

14. File folder titled "Connally Memo-IRS(JDE)" contains memoranda concerning Connally including memo with President Nixon's signature.

15. File folder titled [redacted] 7c contains memoranda relative to [redacted] some marked "Confidential".

16. File folder titled "Justice Douglas Impeachment" contains papers pertinent to titled subject.

17. File folder titled "Mr. Ehrlichman" contains information concerning press interviews.

18. File folder titled "Ron Floto" contains information relative to Floto seeking job.

19. File folder titled "Ralph Greenleaf" contains correspondence from and concerning Ralph Benton Greenleaf and attempt to obtain Federal appointments.

20. File folder titled [redacted] contains memoranda and clippings concerning [redacted] some marked "Confidential". b7c

21. File folder titled [redacted] contains memoranda in conflict of interest matter. 7C

22. File folder titled "Ed Harper" contains documents and articles about and by Harper.

23. File folder titled "Director Hoover" contains copy of funeral program, xerox copy of Time Magazine article, and memorandum concerning Hoover-Wilson conflict.

24. File folder titled "Kleindienst" contains clippings and memoranda concerning Kleindienst.

25. File folder titled "Bud Krogh" contains White House memoranda, newspaper clippings, interoffice memos, memo from National Security Council listing security clearances held by Egil Krogh, Gordon Liddy, and David Young, and numerous papers related to drug traffic and international controls on drugs.

26. File folder titled "Krogh's Travels-White House" contains travel vouchers, instructions and receipts; all concerning travel related to study of international drug traffic.

27. File folder titled [redacted] contains documents classified "SECRET" concerning international drug traffic. 7C

28. File folder titled [redacted] contains pertaining to international narcotics matters and classified up to and including "SECRET/NODIS/HOMER". 7C

29. File folder titled "Congressional Strategy" contains material on congressional activities on drug abuse prevention.

30. File folder, no title, contains material regarding drug abuse.

31. File folder titled [redacted] contains copy of letter concerning drug traffic. 7C

32. File folder titled "BK's Trip to Southeast Asia/Feb.-Mar. '72" contains travel papers and documents on travels concerning international drug traffic.

33. File folder titled "Passport", folder empty.

34. File folder titled "Chief Wilson" contains analysis of Jerry Wilson for job of director of the FBI with notes and memoranda, some marked "EYES ONLY".

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35. File folder titled [redacted] contains memos and correspondence concerning [redacted]

36. File folder titled "Sensitive File-BK" contains Memo classified "Confidential" concerning nomination of Krogh to be Undersecretary of Transportation.

37. File folder titled "Brotherhood" contains notes and letters pertaining to Krogh's membership in this unspecified organization.

38. File folder titled "Hatch Act" contains memorandum marked "Administratively Confidential"; and memorandum marked "Confidential", and other papers relative to the Hatch Act.

39. File folder titled "Mess Privileges" contains memoranda concerning use of restricted White House mess.

40. File folder titled "Military Domestic Intelligence" (different folder than number 10 above) contains numerous papers concerning allegations of military surveillance of civilian domestic activities, classified up to and including "SECRET/SENSITIVE".

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The fourth drawer of a safe-type file cabinet, bearing Department of Transportation Serial Number 275, located in Room 10200 D, Department of Transportation Building, 7th and D Streets, S.W., Washington, D.C., contained a legal size salmon colored folder marked "Symington Committee".

Within that folder were numerous memoranda and documents classified "Confidential, Secret and Top Secret"; originals and copies, on White House letterhead stationery, pertaining to context of testimony and manner of testifying before the Symington Senate Subcommittee Hearings, including the use of Executive Privilege on such matters as Laos, Taiwan, NATO, etc., including the use of Nuclear Arms.

The majority of these documents related to meetings of the Symington White House Working Group and the guidelines set up by this Group for members of the Executive Branch testifying. The folder also contained several pages of yellow legal size paper of handwritten notes taken during the course of certain of these meetings.

The folder also contained copies of certain classified U.S. Department of State cables, memoranda and other official communications pertaining to matters of interest to the Symington Subcommittee.

It was noted that numerous of these documents bore the name of Mr. KROGH.

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The following items located in the fifth drawer from top in a file cabinet bearing Department of Transportation (DOT), security number 275, room 10200D, DOT Building, 400 7th Street, Southwest, Washington, D.C. (WDC), were reviewed:

(I) Manila file folder bearing title "Press Reports-Demonstrations", containing newspaper clippings and UPI press releases concerning anti-Vietnam War and other demonstrations, dated April 4, 1970 through October 15, 1970.

(II) Manila file folder bearing title "Kent State-Justice Memoranda", containing newspaper clippings regarding the Kent State incident and correspondence between EGIL KROGH and JERRIS LEONARD, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice. Also contained in this file were Justice Department prosecutive summaries regarding possible federal and local violations of participating national guardsmen.

(III) Manila file folder bearing title "New Haven", containing a series of memoranda from ART KLEBANOSS to EGIL KROGH concerning demonstrations at New Haven, May 1, 1970. File also contained correspondence between EGIL KROGH and Governor DEMPSEY of Connecticut and the Mayor of New Haven as well as a copy of a fifteen page FBI teletype summary marked confidential, from New Haven to the Director, captioned "Threatened Racial Violence, New Haven, Connecticut-Racial Matters". Also contained in this file were copies of correspondence between EGIL KROGH and the United States Army Officials, National Guard Officials, DANIEL PATRICK MORNAHAN and Assistant Attorney General WILLIAM REHNQUIST. All correspondence were concerned with the demonstrations at New Haven.

(IV) Manila file folder bearing the title "Mobilization", containing miscellaneous information regarding demonstrations in WDC, November, 1969. This file also contained a memorandum to the President, on White House letterhead, dated March 4, 1970, from JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN, discussing information from an FBI intelligence report. Attached to this

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report was an original of an FBI current intelligence analysis, marked confidential, with which dealt radical activity in the Cleveland, Ohio area.

The file also contained memorandum on White House letterhead for JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN, dated October 25, 1969, from JACK CAULFIELD, regarding demonstrations scheduled for November, 1969. Included with the memorandum were intelligence reports obtained by CAULFIELD and TOM HUSTON from Federal Intelligence Agencies, discussing the inpending demonstrations and recommending full FBI coverage of the New Mobilization Committee, including technical surveillance and penetration. The memo goes on to outline methods to be used to discredit the Vietnam Moratorium Committee and contains a xeroxed copy of an FBI summary of the various organizations participating in the demonstrations, entitled "New Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam, Demonstration in WDC, November 16, 1969-Info Concerning-IS". No classification appears on this 12 page summary.

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(V) Brown file folder marked "Unauthorized Disclosure File", containing correspondence between EGIL KROGH, CHARLES A. SITHER and JOHN EHRLICHMAN concerning news leaks at the White House and various proposals for new security classification system, to include presidential privileged information. The proposals also include a re-education program for White House employees in order to cut down on the amount of information leaked to the press.

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(VI) Blue looseleaf folder bearing the title "Shallow Water Detection System", marked confidential and dated August 1, 1969, containing information regarding the development and installation of under water detection systems, to alert the presence of intruders.

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The following items, a portion of the property in control of EGIL KROGH at the Department of Transportation (DOT) at the time of his resignation from DOT, were made available by FRANK STANTON, Security Officer, DOT, 400 7th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C., and were reviewed:

Brown binder labeled "Draft Memorandum for the President, November 3, 1970, Copy # 2", together with transmittal memo from BUD KROGH to JOHN EHRLICHMAN dated November 5, 1970.

Manila folder labeled "President's Council on Youth Opportunity" containing a binder labeled "President's Council on Youth Opportunity - Federal Youth Policy", together with transmittal memo from HENRY M. SHINE, JR., to EGIL KROGH and KROGH's memo to ANDY ROUSE, dated March 2, and March 9, 1971, respectively.

Manila folder labeled "Briefing Notes on Governm. Reorg. (sic) - Jan. '71", containing a series of notes on press briefings, notes labeled "From meeting-Sunday January 17", and a blue binder labeled "Mr. BUD KROGH-Domestic Program Pre-brief, January 21, 1971, LEDIS-Eyes Only".

Manila folder labeled "Denver - Feb. 19-22, '71", containing four pages of handwritten speech notes.

Manila folder labeled "Rouse - 'Why Reorganization is a Good Thing'", containing a copy of a 11/14/72 draft of a memo on "Executive Reorganization", and speeches prepared by ROUSE on reorganization proposals.

Manila folder labeled "D.C. Bus Situation", containing various memos and reports on the public acquisition of Washington area bus companies

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Manila folder labeled "Committee of 100 - Freeways in D.C.", containing two copies of a December 20, 1971 "Report by the Committee of 100 on the Federal City On the Restudy of Various Freeways in D.C." and related material.

Manila folder labeled "Freeway/Subway Impasse-Metro", containing numerous memos on metro development, correspondence to and from supporters of Metro legislation, and news clippings and published reports on Metro's progress.

Manila folder labeled "Metro Bonding Bill", containing several memos and letters on Metro funding.

Manila folder labeled "Metro - Minority Contracting", containing several memos and the "Outline of Washington Plan" for minority contracting.

Manila folder labeled "WMATA", containing correspondence on pending legislation to provide acquisition of local bus companies by the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.

Manila folder labeled "UMTA", containing correspondence on the objectives and criteria for the Urban Mass Transportation Administration, and a February, 1971 report entitled, "An Evaluation of Urban Transportation Planning."

Black three-ring binder containing briefing materials on a plan for Government reorganization.

Manila folder labeled "RN Meeting - July 24, '71 (Saturday)", containing three pages of handwritten notes on White House memo paper captioned "RN Meeting, Sat.-25 July, 11:45 am, RN,EK".

Manila folder labeled "Executive Branch Reorganization", containing a copy of the press release of the press conference by JOHN EHRLICHMAN on January 5, 1973 on plans for redirecting the Executive Branch management.

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Manila folder labeled "Ash Council Report - Gov't. Reorg. (sic)", containing single copies of "Papers Relating to The President's Departmental Reorganization Program, A Reference Compilation", dated March, 1971; and "Memoranda for the President of the United States; Establishment of a Department of Natural Resources, Organization for Social and Economic Programs", submitted by the President's Advisory Council on Executive Organizations in February, 1971.

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August 5, 1972

Dear Doctor Mehdi,

Thank you for your recent generous contribution and encouragement.

While I am certain that you are aware of my personal beliefs in connection with the Middle East situation, political prudence must be observed.

After the election, I will consider it my obligation to decry political repression and displacements.

With every good wish,

Sincerely,

George McGovern

Dr. M. T. Mehdi
The Action Committee on American-Arab Relations
444 Lexington Avenue
New York, New York

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McGovern Rejects Arab Support

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (Reuters) — An Arab-American group, whose endorsement has been rejected by Sen. George McGovern, reiterated today that it would support the Democratic Presidential nominee.

McGovern on Sunday repudiated the endorsement of the Action Committee on Arab-American Relations, saying it was an attempt to embarrass him and win votes for President Nixon.

However, M. T. Mehdi, secretary-general of the committee, said today that "the Arab Americans will continue their support of Sen. McGovern despite the senator's refusal to accept their endorsement."

Mehdi, in a telegram to McGovern, said "we are disappointed with your failure to accept our endorsement" and that he considered this "discrimination against the political Arab-American voters." However, Mehdi said he had more confidence in "humanist McGovern" than in "politician McGovern."

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The 40,000-member Action Committee on American-Arab Relations yesterday endorsed the Democratic presidential ticket of Sen. George McGovern and Sargent Shriver.

M. T. Mehdi, the committee's secretary-general, denounced the Republican Party's Middle-East plank as being "more pro-Israel than the plank of the Democratic Party.

"I have confidence in the essential integrity of Senator McGovern, who, as President, will reduce American military aid to Israel," Mehdi declared in New York.

M'GOVERN REJECTS AID OF ARAB GROUP

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21 (Reuter)—Senator George McGovern repudiated yesterday any support from the Action Committee on American-Arab Relations, saying that the group's endorsement of him Saturday was a cynical attempt to harm him and to win votes for President Nixon.

The Democratic Presidential nominee said in a statement that the endorsement was an attempt "to embarrass or discredit me with Americans of all creeds who believe, as I do, that the cornerstone of American policy in the Middle East must be the survival of an Israel that is militarily secure and economically sound."

He said that he did not seek support from the organization and that he refused to accept it.

Senator McGovern called the endorsement by the anti-Israeli effort "a calculated attempt to drive voters concerned for Israel's security into the Republican camp—which always stands ready to win support for Richard Nixon."

Mr. McGovern said, "I do not believe Israel's friends in this country will be fooled by so blatant an attempt to deceive them."

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July 30, 1965

Rabbi and Mrs. Elmer Berger
912 E. 5th Avenue
New York, New York 10017

Dear Rabbi and Mrs. Berger:

I am writing on behalf of the participants in the United States National Student Association's Arab Student Leadership Project to thank you for having us in your home during our stay in New York. Your speech, Rabbi Berger, made the largest single impact of any we heard, particularly among our Arab guests. It emerged very graphically in their minds the distinction Arabs, I believe, have attempted to maintain between Zionism on one hand and the Jewish people on the other. Agreement with your position on Palestine, I think is 100%.

Our best wishes to you and your wife.

Sincerely,

Richard Stearns

Richard Stearns
Seminar Director

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AN OPEN LETTER TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON FROM MIDDLE EAST SPECIALISTS

Dear Mr. President:

As Americans concerned with the grave consequences to our country which Soviet [illegible] in the Middle East would entail, we the undersigned voice our alarm that [illegible] events have caused an unprecedented deterioration in America's relations with [illegible] of the world where the United States hitherto enjoyed friendship and [illegible] There is a real and present danger of America's losing the Arab world by [illegible] we have lost China. We cannot lose the Middle East.

In order to avoid this impending disaster, we respectfully urge, Mr. President, [illegible] facing the realities of this crisis, the United States Government recognize [illegible]

[illegible] between the antagonists will never occur until there is total with[illegible] from areas occupied by force of arms. Such withdrawal need fa[illegible] repetition of the recent conflict if simultaneously accompanied by a strength[illegible] United Nations presence, which we join Britain in recommending. However, [illegible] the situation in 1957, this strengthened United Nations force must be pres[illegible] hostilities.

There can be no just and lasting solution of the refugee problem while the [illegible] continuance the creation of new refugees daily in [illegible]

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COMMITTEE ON
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

February 2, 1972

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Thank you very much for your letter of January twenty-sixth, in regard to the dock strike. I found it a remarkable document.

You assert, for example, that the Administration's emergency dock strike proposals, S. J. Res. 187 and S. 560, are "vital to farmers". In fact the Nixon Administration has succeeded in driving farm prices so low that the farmer's return on exports barely covers the cost of production, if that. Despite candidate Nixon's 1968 statement that, "74 percent of parity is intolerable...", the farm parity ratio has since slipped as low as 67 percent and hasn't gone higher than 71. The Administration's high volume-low price philosophy may improve the outlook for international grain traders, but all it does for farmers is help them go broke on a bigger scale.

You assert that "farmers are losing hundreds of millions of dollars" as a consequence of the strike. Your concern, however, arrives a bit late. Just a few days before you wrote you testified against and threatened an Administration veto of legislation to boost wheat and feed grains price supports, legislation that was urgently required because of your predecessor's mismanagement of the allotment program. Your position on that proposal is costing farmers about $3.0 billion in direct losses.

You assert that the dock strike is "urgent and requires immediate action." It is astonishing to hear such descriptions from spokesmen of an Administration which virtually ignored the West Coast strike until it spread to the Gulf and East Coast as well. If the situation is urgent now, it is due in large measure to the Administration's failure to discover the problem until it had persisted for many months and had grown to dangerous proportions.

Finally, you assert that "as a national leader as a result of being a candidate for the presidential nomination," I have a responsibility to use my "influence" in support of the Administration's emergency legislation. The fact that I am running for president does not make that

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legislation any more attractive on the merits, nor do I regard my candidacy as a reason to prejudge and pressure my colleagues who are considering this legislation in the appropriate House and Senate Committees.

In view of these circumstances, your letter and its release to the press constitute a flimsy attempt to use dockworkers as a scapegoat, to divert attention from the Nixon Administration's dismal performance on farm income. I suspect, further, that your tone of urgency is an effort to mask long months of Administration neglect of the issues involved in the dock strike.

You can be assured that I will support responsible Congressional action on the strike, after examining the Committee recommendations on both the Administration's proposals and alternatives designed to preserve collective bargaining. In the meantime, I suggest that if you are truly concerned about the plight of agriculture, you see what you can do about reversing the Administration's obstinate opposition to the higher price supports initiated in the Congress. And I urge that you use the considerable authority you already have under present law to take positive steps for higher farm income.

Sincerely,

George McGovern

Honorable Earl L. Butz
Secretary of Agriculture
United States Department of Agriculture
Washington, D. C.

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