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Tape Subject Log
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Conversation No. 337-1

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown after 9:11 and before 9:20 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Weather

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 9:20 am.

Conversation No. 337-2

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:11 and 9:20 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

Meeting with the President
-Location

Conversation No. 337-29

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:11 and 9:20 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated a letter to Walter H. Annenberg.

Previous meeting with the President

Retention as ambassador
-Tenure and performance
-Leonore Annenberg

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Conversation No. 337-3

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: 9:20-9:50 am

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.

Greetings

President's meeting with Walter H. Annenberg (?)

Weather

Vietnam

- Air strikes
 - Completion
 - Report
 - Visibility
 - Damage
 - Bridge
 - Chinese and Soviet ships
 - Haiphong Harbor
 - Restrictions on pilots
- Blockade
 - Soviet ships
 - Movement
- North Vietnamese offensive
 - An Loc/Saigon area
 - Attacks
 - Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN] [South Vietnam] divisions
 - Military Region One
 - Supplies
 - Air strikes
 - ARVN patrols
 - North Vietnam losses
 - Kontum
 - ARVN counterattacks
 - Weather
 - Rainy season
 - Kontum
 - Pleiku

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Conv. No. 337-3 (cont.)

- Central Highlands
- Military Region One
- An Loc
- Loss
- Compared to Quang Tri
- Soviet Summit
 - Possible cancellation
- North Vietnamese offensive
 - President's options
- Blockade
 - Compared to Cambodia, World War III
 - Protests to Kissinger's staff
 - Public support
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
 - Volume

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 50s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - President's peace offers
 - Joseph C. Kraft commentary
- Negotiations
 - George H.W. Bush
 - William J. Porter
 - Plenary session
 - Xuan Thuy
 - Moscow
 - Le Duc Tho
 - Paris
- Blockade

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- Public support
 - Comparison with missile crises
 - Washington Post*
 - New York Times*
 - Three networks
 - Republicans
 - Intellectuals
 - Comparison with Cambodian invasion
 - Fears of World War III
- Soviet Union and People's Republic of China [PRC] responses
 - Strength
 - US assessments
- PRC
 - Kissinger's message
 - Contents
- Soviet ships
 - Kissinger's call to Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
- Soviet Summit
 - Soviet response
 - Timing
 - German treaties
 - US statement
- Public relations efforts
 - Wording of statements
 - Kissinger call to Yitzhak Rabin
 - Jewish groups
 - Hijacking
 - Jewish groups
 - Position
- Blockade
 - President's offers
 - Statement to Soviets
 - Support for the President
 - US actions
 - Soviet summit
 - Kissinger's backgrounder
 - Response
 - Department of Defense
- Melvin R. Laird
 - Call
 - Speech for John C. Stennis
 - Tone

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- William P. Rogers
 - Demeanor
 - The President's view
- President's demeanor
 - Chou En-lai
 - Andrei A. Gromyko
 - Television
- President's previous speech
 - Response
 - Marvin L. Kalb's party
 - Frank F. Church
 - Indonesian ambassador
 - Max Frankel
 - Soviets
 - Middle East
 - Jewish groups
- North Vietnam offensive
 - Soviet arms
 - Soviet Summit
 - Compared with India-Pakistan crisis
 - Senate Democratic response
 - James B. Allen
 - Rebuttal to Church
 - Ted Stevens
- Blockade
 - Soviet Summit
 - US stakes in Vietnam
- North Vietnam offensive
 - South Vietnam Success
 - The President's view
 - An Loc
 - North Vietnam problems
 - Supplies from Soviets
- PRC aid
- Air strikes
 - Railroads
 - Petroleum, Oils, and Lubricants [POLs]
 - Targets
 - Frequency
 - Damage
 - B-52s
 - Supporting aircraft

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- Adm. Thomas H. Moorer
- Losses
- Blockade
 - North Vietnam response
 - Bush
 - Porter
 - New York Times*
 - James B. ("Scotty") Reston commentary
 - Public support
 - "Hawks" and "Doves"
 - Publicity
 - Telegrams
 - Volume
 - Television reports
 - "Man on the street" interviews
 - General Infantry [GI's]
 - Support for President
 - Prisoner of war [POW] wives
- President's schedule
 - Florida trip
 - Advisability
 - Dinner for Duke Law School class
 - Future schedule
- Kissinger's schedule
 - Return to Washington
- Vietnam
 - Blockade
 - Laird press conference
 - John B. Connally press conference

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Conv. No. 337-3 (cont.)

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 2m 57s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Kissinger's call to Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - US intentions
 - The President's view
 - Soviet ships
 - Compared to Cuban missile crisis
 - Compared to Laos
 - US troops in South Vietnam
 - Message to Soviets

Kissinger left at 9:50 am.

Conversation No. 337-4

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: Unknown between 9:50 and 10:05 am

Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated a letter to John S. Bradley.

Introduction

Bradley's letter to the Nixons

- Appreciation
- President's stay at Duke Law School
 - Faculty parties for students
- Mrs. Bradley
 - An injury

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Conv. No. 337-4 (cont.)

- The President's view
- Message to class of 1937
 - Copies to classmates
- Bradley's advice to class
- Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

Conversation No. 337-5

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:50 and 10:05 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated a letter to each member of his Duke Law School class.

Instructions

- John S. Bradley's letter to the President
 - Dinner attendance
 - Message to class of 1937
 - Enclosure

Conversation No. 337-6

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:50 and 10:05 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person.

Meeting with the President

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Conversation No. 337-7

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:50 and 10:05 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated instructions to an unknown typist.

[This is a continuation of Conversation No. 337-5]

End of tape

Conversation No. 337-8

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown after 9:50 and before 10:05 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Dictabelt tape
-Delivery to Rose Mary Woods

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 10:05 am.

Conversation No. 337-9

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: 10:05 am-12:06 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

Vietnam
-Melvin R. Laird
-Meeting with Haldeman
-Henry A. Kissinger

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Support for the President's policies
 - Meeting with Haldeman and Charles W. Colson
 - Marvin L. Kalb's party
 - The President's view
 - Level of support
 - Colson
 - Coordination of public appearances
 - Responsibility
- Blockade
 - Public support
 - Levels
 - Washington Post* and *New York Times*
 - Publicity
 - Patrick J. Buchanan
 - Albert E. Sindlinger
 - Polls
 - Press conference
 - President's reelection
 - Compared with Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Polls
 - Level of support
 - Questions
 - Results
 - George H. Gallup poll
 - Questions
 - Samples
 - Hawks
 - Laird
 - Reports
 - Subcabinet meeting
 - Press conference
 - Tone
- Polls
 - Louis P. Harris poll
 - Results
 - Publicity
 - President's polls
 - Questions
 - Results
 - Publicity
 - Results
 - Compared to People's Republic of China [PRC] trip

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Publicity
 - Timing
 - Sindlinger
- Questions
 - Peace offer
 - Significance of results
- Publicity
- Questions
- Results
- Questions
 - Peace offer
- Results
- Publicity
- Support for the President
 - Media play
 - White House News Summary
 - Senate action
 - John W. McCormack's statement
 - Washington Post*
 - George Meany's statement
 - Leonard Woodcock
 - President's polls
 - Effect on public opinion
 - Compared with President's previous speech
 - Military action
 - Approval rating
 - Compared with PRC trip rating

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger at an unknown time between 10:10 and 10:19 am.

[Conversation No. 337-9A]

Vietnam

- Poll results

Meeting with President

[End of telephone conversation]

Vietnam

- Blockade and mining
- Support for President's actions

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- President's polls
- Publicity

The President talked with the White House operator at 10:19 am.

[Conversation No. 337-9B]

[See Conversation No. 24-60]

[End of telephone conversation]

Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 10:19 and 10:21 am.

[Conversation No. 337-9C]

Vietnam

- Blockade and mining
- Support for President's actions
- President's polls
- Publicity
 - Emphasis
 - Opinion Research Corporation [ORC]
 - Sindlinger
 - ORC

[End of telephone conversation]

- A press conference
 - Hugh Scott and Robert P. Griffin
 - ORC
- Colson
- Lawrence M. Higby
- Buchanan
 - ORC use of material
- Scott's press conference
 - ORC

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 10:19 am.

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 10:19 and 10:21 am.

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

[Conversation No. 337-9D]

[See Conversation No. 24-61]

[End of telephone conversation]

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 10:21 am.

- Elliot L. Richardson
- Appearance at Capitol Hill Club
- Television coverage

Kissinger entered at 10:21 am.

- Kissinger's evaluation
- John B. Connally
- Attack on Democrats
- Timing
- Laird and Richardson

The President talked with Colson between 10:21 and 10:22 am.

[Conversation No. 337-9E]

[See Conversation No. 24-62]

[End of telephone conversation]

- Connally
- Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
 - Meeting with Haldeman
 - Possible speaking appearance
 - Forthcoming trip to South Vietnam and Thailand
- Air strikes
 - Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, Jr.
 - B-52s
 - An Loc, Saigon
 - Effect

Colson entered at 10:23 am.

- Blockade

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Support for President's actions
 - ORC poll
 - Haldeman
 - Questions
 - Responses
 - Publicity
 - Sindlinger poll
 - ORC
 - Questions
 - Responses
 - Sindlinger's call to Colson
 - Other results
 - Approval of President's actions
 - Changes
 - Compared with PRC trip rating
 - President's actions in Vietnam
 - Change in rating
 - President's previous speech on Vietnam
 - Compared with PRC trip rating
 - Percent of "peace at any price" supporters
 - “Hawks”
- Laird
 - A press story
 - Previous call to Kissinger
 - Source
 - William P. Rogers
 - Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
 - Connally
 - Statement by Ronald L. Ziegler
 - Unanimity of National Security Council [NSC] decision
- Air strikes
 - Ellsworth F. Bunker's cable
 - Number of sorties
 - Abrams
 - An Loc
- Message to Bunker from Kissinger
 - An Loc
- Message to Kissinger from Bunker
 - Effect of President's speech
 - South Vietnamese morale
 - Abrams
 - President's decision

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Bunker's view
- Support for President's actions
 - Polls
 - Publicity
 - Dissemination
 - Media
 - Vietnam veterans
 - Los Angeles Times*
 - General Infantry [GIs] in Vietnam
 - Morale
 - Press reports
 - Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]
 - Prisoners of war [POWs] wives
 - Press reports
 - Opposition
 - Democrats
 - A California Marxist
 - POW wives
 - Possible meeting with President
 - Arrangements
 - Donald Rodgers (?)
 - Possible meeting with Kissinger
 - Possible meeting with the President
 - Timing
 - Conditions
 - Sindlinger poll results
 - Dates
 - Sindlinger's operation
 - Emotional response
 - Interviews
- Democrat support
 - Midwest
 - David E. Bradshaw
 - Comparison to Cambodian action
 - Labor leaders
 - Hard hats
 - Peter J. Brennan
 - An unknown person
 - Frank E. Fitzsimmons
 - Hard hats
 - Brennan
 - Response to anti-war protests

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- Meany's statement
 - Woodcock
 - Importance
 - Jay Lovestone
- [I]worth] W. Abel
- Unions
- Nebraska primary
 - George S. McGovern
 - J. James Exon
 - Support for the President
- Omaha
 - Hubert H. Humphrey vote
- McGovern victory
 - Significance
- Humphrey
- McGovern's effort

Vietnam

- Support for the President's actions
 - Publicity
 - Sindlinger's press conference
 - Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - Kissinger's morale
 - Washington Post* editorial
 - Marvin L. Kalb's party
- US power
 - The President's view

Kissinger left at 10:40 pm.

Kissinger

- The President's view

President's demeanor

- Chou En-lai

Duke Law School reunion

- Classmates
 - Age
 - Appearance
- Described
- Classmates

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Political affiliation
- Great Depression effects
- President's remarks
 - David Cavers
- Classmates
 - Political views
 - Harvard
 - Duke

Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 10:40 and 11:40 am.

[Conversation No. 337-9F]

Vietnam

- Support for the President
 - ORC poll
 - Dissemination

[End of telephone conversation]

Vietnam

- Support for the President
 - ORC poll
 - Publicity
 - Use by White House
 - Press conference
 - Use
 - Calls to Congressmen
 - Clark MacGregor
 - Doves
 - Publicity
 - Method
 - Possible Kissinger briefing for columnists
 - Laird
 - A press report
 - Reassurance
 - Call from Colson
 - President's instructions

Colson talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 10:40 and 11:40 am.

[Conversation No. 337-9G]

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

[See Conversation No. 24-63]

The President conferred with Haldeman.Colson talked with Melvin R. Laird at an unknown time between 10:40 and 11:40 am.

[End of telephone conversation]

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Support for the President
 - Laird
 - A press story
 - Connally
 - Connally
 - Possible press conference
 - Criticism of Democrats
 - Forum for criticism
 - Support for President
 - The President's view
 - Laird
 - Interview format
 - Networks and wire services
 - Impact on morale
 - White House
 - Release of poll
 - Democrats
 - Caucus
 - Barry M. Goldwater, Jr. speech
 - Agnew speech
 - Publicity
 - Ohio State
 - Demonstrators
 - Number
 - Violence
 - Publicity
 - Ziegler
 - Wire stories
 - Telegrams
 - Volume
 - Blockages at Western Union

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- Expression of support
 - Letters
 - Telephone calls
- Telephone calls to senators
 - Undecided senators
- Volunteers of help
- Demonstrations
- Petitions
- Unions

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4
 [Personal Returnable]
 [Duration: 1m 9s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

- Vietnam
 - Blockade
 - Support
 - Herbert G. Klein
 - Robert H. Finch
 - Donald H. Rumsfeld
 - "Hawks"
 - Commentators
 - George Bunche (?)
 - Mobilization
 - Telephone calls
 - Commentators
 - Poll results
 - Los Angeles
 - Chicago
 - Texas
 - Philadelphia
 - Right wing
 - Mobilization

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Democrats
 - "Hawks"
 - Telegrams
- Rhetoric
 - Counter to Democrats
 - North Vietnam offensive
- Opposition
 - Democratic candidates
 - *Washington Post* story
- Media reports
 - Criticism
 - Biases
 - Administration criticism
 - Test for 1972 campaign
 - "Dove" Democrats
- Supporters
 - John McCormack
- Publicity
 - President's critics
 - John G. Dow
- Laird
 - A press story
 - Response
- William P. Rogers
 - Call to Colson
 - Public statements
 - Frank F. Church
 - North Vietnam
 - Negotiations
 - Poll results
 - Sindlinger
- Poll results
 - Circulation to President's supporters
 - Vaughn (?) Collins
 - *Washington Post* story
 - Kenneth W. Clawson
 - Buchanan
 - Public release
 - Media coverage
 - Administration response
 - Support
 - Scope

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- Intensity
- Media reports
- Boston
 - Government employees
 - Response to demonstrators
- Media reports
 - Kalb
- Popularity
- President's critics
 - White House countermeasures
 - White House staff beliefs
- Media
 - Howard K. Smith
 - Previous conversation with Colson
 - Harry Reasoner
 - Retraction
 - Kalb, Dan Rather, CBS
 - Countermeasures
 - Press bus incident
 - Robert D. Novak, Rowland Evans
 - Commentary
 - Channel 5
- Countermeasures
 - President's travels
 - Washington press corps
 - Methods
 - Haldeman's view
 - The President's view
 - Washington press corps
 - Negative publicity
 - "Georgetown set"
- Support
 - Novak column
 - Circulation
 - Copyright
 - Congressional Record
 - Gordon L. Allot
 - George D. Aiken
 - Administration efforts
 - Michael J. Mansfield

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 3m 53s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

- Vietnam
 - Blockade
 - Support
 - Scott and Griffin
 - Laird
 - Connally
 - Richardson
 - President's previous speech
 - Richardson's view
 - Cabinet
 - George W. Romney
 - John A. Volpe
 - President's speech
 - Richardson's impression
 - Support
 - Publicity
 - ORC poll

Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 10:40 and 11:40 am.

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- Vietnam
 - Blockade
 - Polls
 - Scott and Griffin
 - ORC results
 - Release

[End of telephone conversation]

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Polls

- ORC
- Influence of Administration
- Sindlinger
- ORC
- Harris
- ORC
 - Credibility
 - Questions
 - Press releases
- Sindlinger
- Harris
- Gallup
 - Questions
 - Results on President's Vietnam action
- ORC poll
 - Public support for President's policies
 - Release of results
 - Buchanan
 - Scott and Griffin

Buchanan

- Haldeman's view
- Colson's view

Vietnam

- Support for the President
 - Nelson A. Rockefeller
 - Ronald W. Reagan
 - Statements of support
 - Release
 - Rockefeller
 - Labor meeting speech
 - James L. Buckley, Brennan
 - Strength of statement
 - Staff
 - The President's view
 - Kissinger's view
- President's statements
 - Timing
 - Press conference

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Soviet Summit, Vietnam
 - Timing
- Support
 - Meetings with President and supporters
 - Meeting with POW wives
 - Timing
 - American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars [VFW]
- Agnew's statements
 - Timing
 - Press conference
 - Report to the President
 - Press conference
- Demonstrations
 - Size and character
 - Albuquerque
 - Violence
 - Press reports
 - Freeway traffic
 - Berkeley
 - City employee day off
 - Blocking traffic
 - Madison
 - Size
 - Michigan State
 - Effect
 - Santa Barbara
 - Blocking of airport runway, traffic
 - Arrests
 - Urbana, Illinois
 - Armory
 - University of Maryland
 - National Peace Action Coalition
 - Rally in Washington, DC
 - Size
 - Significance
 - Appearance of demonstrators
 - Counterreaction
 - Boston example
 - Congressional galleries
 - Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] reports
 - Media reports
 - Violence

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- New York
 - Columbia University
- Wisconsin
 - Columbia University
 - New York police
 - Hard hats
 - Jews
 - Communist conspiracy
 - Thomas W. ("Teddy") Gleason
 - Coordination
 - FBI and Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
 - Links to Hanoi
- President's speech
 - Section on student opposition
 - Kissinger
 - Deletion
 - President's attitude toward enemies
- Polls
 - Gallup results
 - Harris results
 - Release
 - Harris poll

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 8
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 4m]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 8

- Vietnam
 - Blockade support
 - Cabinet
 - Speeches and briefings
 - Rogers
 - Encouragement from Colson

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

-Adm. Thomas H. Moorer

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 9

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 46s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 9

Colson left at 11:40 am.

President's schedule

- Public appearances
- Frequency
- Meeting with Soviet Trade Minister
- Meeting with Wilbur D. Mills, Ray C. Bliss
- Florida trip
- Meeting with Soviet Trade Minister
- Timing

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 44s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

- Meeting with Mills
- Day
- Time
- Meeting with Connally
- Public appearances

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- FBI
 - L. Patrick Gray, III
 - Nomination

- Richard G. Kleindienst
- Senate confirmation hearings
 - Delay
 - Reasons
 - Vietnam
 - Likelihood of confirmation

- Connally
- Resignation
 - Announcement date
 - Meeting with Haldeman
 - Timing of announcement
 - Soviet summit
 - George P. Shultz
 - Knowledge of resignation
 - Relationship with Connally
 - Caspar W. Weinberger
 - Information on resignation
 - Resignation
 - Timing
 - Soviet Summit
 - Possible cancellation
 - Kissinger's view
 - Delay
 - Help to administration
 - Rogers

General Services Administration [GSA] administrator

- Federal Reserve Board [FRB]
- Andrew Brimmer
 - Removal
 - Possible ambassadorship
 - Arthur F. Burns
 - Connally
 - Burns
 - Quadriad
 - Shultz's view

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Milton Friedman
- Economic views
 - Changes
 - Interest rates, monetary aggregates
- Conflict with board
 - Votes
- Compared with William McChesney Martin, Jr.
- Control of board
 - Businessmen
 - Economists
 - Bankers
- [Forename unknown] Carter
 - Effectiveness
 - Shultz
- Quadriad meeting
- Stock market
 - Recent drop
 - Cambodia
 - Jews

Legal Services Corporation

- Agnew letter

Family's official schedule

- Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
- Tricia Nixon Cox
 - Public appearance in Boston
 - Cancellation

President's schedule

- Florida trip
 - Manolo Sanchez
- Crowds at Homestead
- Support for the President

Democrats

- Meeting with Kissinger
- Harvard

Vietnam

- Blockade
- South Vietnam performance

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Conv. No. 337-9 (cont.)

- Morale
- Withdrawal
- POWs

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 15
 [Personal Returnable]
 [Duration: 1m52s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 15

- Vietnam
- Polls

Haldeman left at 12:06 pm.

Conversation No. 337-10

Date: May 10, 1972
 Time: Unknown after 12:06 and before 12:32 pm
 Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown man.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
 [Personal Returnable]
 [Duration: 3s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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The unknown man left at an unknown time before 12:32 pm.

Conversation No. 337-11

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:06 and 12:32 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person.

Return of Stephen B. Bull (?)

Conversation No. 337-12

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:06 and 12:32 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person.

Vietnam
-Melvin R. Laird
-Press conference

Meeting with the President

Conversation No. 337-13

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:06 and 12:32 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator.

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[See Conversation No. 24-64]

Conversation No. 337-14

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: Unknown after 12:06-12:35 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Letters

-Telephone calls

The President talked with Manolo Sanchez between 12:32 and 12:33 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-14A]

[See Conversation No. 24-65]

[End of telephone conversation]

Sanchez

-Health

Telephone calls

-Letters

-Handling

Duke Law School dinner

-White House staff efforts

Butterfield left at 12:35 pm.

Conversation No. 337-15

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: Unknown between 12:35 and 12:36 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

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Conv. No. 337-15 (cont.)

The President talked with an unknown person.

- Vietnam
 - Editorials
 - Notes

Conversation No. 337-16

Date: May 10, 1972
 Time: 12:36-1:02 pm
 Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.

- Vietnam
 - Blockade
 - Melvin R. Laird
 - A press story
 - Source
 - John B. Connally
 - Connally
 - Confrontation with Democrats
 - Laird statement
 - North Vietnam
 - Xuan Thuy
 - Moscow
 - Le Duc Tho
 - Soviets
 - Meeting in Paris with US official
 - Statement on US-Soviet meeting
 - New proposals
 - Kissinger's message
 - Tenor
 - North Vietnam offensive
 - Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, Jr.
 - B-52 strikes
 - Kontum
 - Targets

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Conv. No. 337-16 (cont.)

- Hue area
- Central Intelligence Agency [CIA] analysis
 - Long Binh
- Number of divisions
 - Quality
 - B-52 strikes
 - Number
- Hue
 - North Vietnamese failure to take
- US retaliation
 - Methods
 - Damage to North Vietnam
 - Mining
 - Railroads
- Air strikes
 - Petroleum, Oil, and Lubricants [POL]
 - Haiphong area
 - Accuracy
 - Damage
 - Bridge
- Soviet Summit
 - Cancellation
 - Ronald L. Ziegler statement
- Blockade
 - Press reaction
 - New York Times*
 - Washington Post*
 - James B. ("Scotty") Reston
 - Motives
 - Stewart J.O. Alsop
 - Soviet Summit
 - Conally (?)
 - Cancellation
 - Possibility
 - Soviet actions
 - US response
 - Vietnam
 - Middle East
 - Agreements
 - Conditions
 - Connally statement
 - Press reports

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Conv. No. 337-16 (cont.)

- US stakes in Vietnam
- North Vietnam offensive
 - Consequence of US defeat
 - Southeast Asia
- Blockade
 - Success

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 12:36 pm.

Food order

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 1:02 pm.

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Mobilization of Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN] support
 - Nguyen Van Thieu's statement
- Vietnamization policy
- President's decision
 - Timing
 - Election year
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
- Soviet Summit
 - Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
 - Kissinger's Georgetown friends
- Consequences of US defeat
 - Domino Theory
 - Thailand
- Blockade support
 - Marshall Green
 - Malaysia
 - Cambodia
 - Australia
 - New Zealand
 - Philippines
 - Japanese

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 12:36 pm.

A delivery

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 1:02 pm.

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Vietnam

- Blockade support
 - British
 - Letter to George R.S. Baring [Earl of Cromer]
- Summit
 - Cancellation
 - Compared with US victory in Vietnam
 - Future Summits
- North Vietnam offensive
 - Consequences for US
- President's opponents
- North Vietnam offensive
 - People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Soviet Union
- Blockade
 - Soviet Union
 - PRC
 - Soviet Summit
 - European Security Council
- Soviet Summit
 - Possible postponement
 - Kissinger's view
- North Vietnam offensive
 - Hue
- Soviet Summit
 - Possible postponement
- Press
 - Columnists
 - Kissinger's press conference
 - Laird's press conference
- Clifford P. Case-Frank F. Church amendment
 - Provisions
 - Effects for administration
 - Compared with Michael J. Mansfield proposal
 - Chances of passage in House
 - Effect of polls
 - A memorandum
 - Charles W. Colson
- Public opinion
 - Edward M. Kennedy
 - Washington Post*

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Conv. No. 337-16 (cont.)

- New York Times*
- John Kenneth Galbraith
- Kennedy
- Newsweek*
 - Henry Hubbard
 - Meeting with Kissinger
 - Meeting with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
 - Criticism of the President
- North Vietnam offensive
 - South Vietnam defeat possibility
 - Prisoners of war [POWs]
- Soviet Summit
 - President's attendance
 - Possible public impression

A vote on the German treaties

- Time

Vietnam

- Possible South Vietnam collapse
- Air strikes
 - An Loc
 - Destruction
 - Kontum
 - Casualties expected
- Hue
 - Ground action
- North Vietnam reserve strength
- Peace offers
 - Negotiations
- Kissinger's meeting with columnists

Kissinger left at 1:02 pm.

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Conversation No. 337-17

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown after 1:02 and before 3:35 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown person.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 15s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 3:35 pm.

Conversation No. 337-18

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:02 and 3:35 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

- Vietnam
 - Blockade
 - Melvin R. Laird's press conference
 - Riots
 - Polls
 - Support for the President

President's schedule

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Conv. No. 337-18 (cont.)

- Camp David
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- Sequoia* cruise
- Camp Hoover
- Work

Vietnam

- Prisoners of war [POWs]
- Importance

Conversation No. 337-19

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: Unknown between 1:02 and 3:35 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President played a recording.

Vietnam

- Weapons
 - Navy, Army, Air Force
 - South Vietnam compared with North Vietnam
 - Dien Bien Phu
 - Henry A. Kissinger
- North Vietnam offensive
 - South Vietnam capabilities
 - Tanks
 - Counteraction
- US response
 - Navy, Army, Air Force

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Conversation No. 337-20

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:02 and 3:35 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated a memorandum to Henry A. Kissinger.

Vietnam

- Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
- Propaganda
 - South Vietnam, Hanoi area
 - Support for the President
 - US military action
 - Impact on North Vietnam leaders and people
 - Air strikes
- Supervision
- Improvement
- Quantity, quality
- Needs

Conversation No. 337-21

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown after 1:02 and before 3:35 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown man.

Dictation

- Delivery to Rose Mary Woods

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 3:35 pm.

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Conversation No. 337-22

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:02 and 3:35 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Rose Mary Woods.

Dictation
-Delivery

Meeting with the President
-Time

Conversation No. 337-23

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:02 and 3:35 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated a memorandum for the file.

[Unintelligible]

Conversation No. 337-24

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: 3:35-3:55 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Rose Mary Woods.

Gifts
-Official party, unofficial party, technicians
-Cufflinks, tiebars

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Conv. No. 337-24 (cont.)

Duke Law School reunion

Gifts

- Cufflinks
 - Placement
 - President's use

Manolo Sanchez

- Health
- Telephone call from the President

Dinner for law school classmates

- Appearance of classmates compared to President
- Entertainment
- President's remarks
- Caspar W. Weinberger's comments

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - President's speech
 - Public response
 - Polls
- Protests
 - Violence
 - Public response

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[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 36s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Conv. No. 337-24 (cont.)

President's previous speech on Vietnam blockade and mining

- Drafting
- Walter H. Annenberg
- Call

President's schedule

- Camp David
- Miami
- Camp David

Vietnam

- President's previous speech on blockade and mining
 - Response
 - John F. Kennedy
 - Initial US involvement
 - Gen. James D. ("Don") Hughes
- Tonkin Gulf incident
 - President's comments
- American soldiers
- Congress
 - Lack of support for General infantry [GIs]
- President's policies
 - US role in the world
 - Critics
 - Communists and left-wing
 - Joseph McCarthy

American society

- Schools
- Religion
 - Protestants
 - Catholics
 - Presbyterians

Camp David

- Bowling
- Birch Lodge

Ernest F. Hollings

- Future

People's Republic of China [PRC] ping-pong team

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Conv. No. 337-24 (cont.)

A Chinese artifact

Woods left at 3:55 pm.

Conversation No. 337-25

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: Unknown between 3:55 and 3:59 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President dictated a memorandum for an unknown person.

[Forename unknown] Jackson
-Plea in North Carolina
-President's recollection

Marilyn Phillips (?)
-A letter

Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI]
-Appropriation

Conversation No. 337-26

Date: May 10, 1972

Time: Unknown between 3:55 and 3:59 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 24-66]

Conversation No. 337-27

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Date: May 10, 1972
Time: Between 3:59 and 4:00 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Charles W. Colson.

[See Conversation No. 24-67]

Conversation No. 337-28/339-1

Date: May 10, 1972
Time: 4:04-unknown before 5:45 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Charles W. Colson.

Colson talked with an unknown person between 4:04 pm and 4:25 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-28/339-1F]

[See Conversation No. 24-68]

[End of telephone conversation]

Vietnam

-Blockade

-Melvin R. Laird press conference

-Evaluated

-Television coverage

-Wire service coverage

-Length

-Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS] live coverage

-Duration

-Assessed by Colson

-Attack on critics

-Appeal for support

-Gerald R. Ford and Hugh Scott press conference

-Names of critics

-Network coverage

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Conv. No. 337-28/339-1 (cont.)

-Polls

- Opinion Research Corporation [ORC]
 - Copies for press
 - Validity
 - White House polls

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at 4:05 pm.

- Albert E. Sindlinger
 - Level of support for the President
 - Release
 - Press conference
 - New York Times* and wire services coverage
- Ronald L. Ziegler's briefing
 - ORC poll
 - New York Times* editorial
- ORC poll
 - Possible use in *New York Times* advertisement
- Attack on critics
- Public support
 - Press reports
- Washington Post* sports section
 - Theodore S. ("Ted") Williams
 - Support for President's decision
 - Criticism of Democratic candidates
 - Support for President
 - Soviet Union
 - Robert F. Kennedy [RFK] Stadium [Washington DC]
 - National Broadcasting Corporation [NBC]'s *Today* show
 - President's critics
- Language
 - William L. Safire
- Telegram from Thomas W. ("Teddy") Gleason
 - Ziegler
 - Support for the President's decision
 - Walt W. Rostow
 - Dock strike
- Rhetoric
 - Memorandum to Henry A. Kissinger regarding Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
 - Propaganda efforts in Vietnam
 - Choice of words

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Conv. No. 337-28/339-1 (cont.)

- Speechwriters
 - Deficiencies
- John B. Connally
- Laird
- Speechwriters
 - Patrick J. Buchanan
 - [Forename unknown] Brooks (?)
 - Recruitment
 - Mel Grayson
 - Frank Gannon
 - Grayson
 - Colson's view
- Instructions
 - Grayson

Kissinger entered at 4:15 pm.

- Mines
- A talk by Robert H. Finch
 - Atlanta
 - Assessment of President's previous speech
- Dick Sykes
- Support for the President
 - Television talk show
 - Man-on-the-street
 - Kissinger's meeting with Prentis Hale
 - Statements
 - Roger L. Stevens
- Polls
- Support for President
 - Scott
 - Ford
 - Poll in Pennsylvania
- Polls
 - Sindlinger, ORC
 - Support for President
- Support for President
 - Rhetoric
 - Camp David
- Propaganda efforts
 - Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
 - President's memorandum to Kissinger

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Conv. No. 337-28/339-1 (cont.)

- Richard M. Helms
- Competence
 - World War II
 - Office of Strategic Services [OSS]
 - Communists
- The President's view
- Haldeman call to Lt. Gen. Vernon A. Walters
- Propaganda
 - Content
 - South Vietnam
 - North Vietnam
- Blockade
 - Laird press conference
 - Assessment
 - Questions
 - Demeanor
 - Support for President
 - Robert P. Griffin and Scott press conference
 - ORC poll
 - Polls
 - Sindlinger
 - Press conference
 - Level of public support for the President
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - New York Times* advertisement
 - Support for the President

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 45s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Elliot L. Richardson
 - Statement
 - James D. Hodgson

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- Ziegler
- Cabinet
 - President's instructions on statements
 - President's previous speech
 - Wording regarding Soviet Union
- Richardson
- Hodgson's statement
- Soviet Summit
 - Possible cancellation
 - Responsibility

Colson left at 4:25 pm.

- Soviet ship
 - Note of protest
 - US apology
- Kissinger's meeting with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin

US-Soviet Summit

- Arrangements
 - Advance party
- Cancellation
 - President's options
- President's meeting with Nikolai S. Patolichev
 - Subjects for discussion
 - Vietnam
- Time

Kissinger talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 4:25 and 4:45 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-28/339-1A]

[See Conversation No. 24-69]

[End of telephone conversation]

US-Soviet Summit

- Dobrynin's remarks
- President's speech
 - Dobrynin's response
- Kissinger's meeting with Dobrynin
 - Mood

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Conv. No. 337-28/339-1 (cont.)

- Politburo
 - Leonid I. Brezhnev
 - Meeting with President
- Tenor
- German treaties
 - Delay
 - Egon Bahr
 - Moscow

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 4:25 pm.

- President's schedule
 - A commercial flight
 - Time of arrival

An unknown left at an unknown time before 4:45 pm.

Kissinger talked with Dobrynin at an unknown time between 4:25 and 4:45 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-28/339-1B]

[See Conversation No. 24-70]

[End of telephone conversation]

- President's meeting with Patolichev and Dobrynin
 - Peter G. Peterson, Peter M. Flanigan
 - Notification
 - Time
 - Reason
- Cancellation
 - Likelihood
- Peterson
 - Patolichev meeting
 - Notification
 - Subjects for discussion
 - German treaties
 - Status
 - Significance
- Cancellation

Vietnam

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- Blockade and mining
 - People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Statement
 - Options
- North Vietnam offensive
 - Hue
 - US air strikes
 - Impact
- US-Soviet Summit
 - Cancellation or postponement
 - Likelihood
- Blockade
 - Soviet response
 - Hanoi statement
 - Soviet ships
 - Departure from ports
- Air strikes
 - Docks
 - Warehouses
 - Petroleum, Oil, and Lubricants [POL]
 - Rails
 - Impact on North Vietnam
 - Repairs
 - Evacuation
 - Rationing
 - Intensity
 - Compared with Lyndon B. Johnson's 1968 bombing
 - Tet offensive
- North Vietnam offensive
 - Build-up
 - Gains
 - An Loc
 - Populated areas
- Air strikes in North Vietnam
 - 1968 Tet offensive
 - Cessation by Johnson
- Soviets
 - Support for North Vietnam
- Blockade
 - Soviets
 - PRC

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President's meeting with Patolichev and Dobrynin

- Publicity
- Peterson
- Kissinger's view

Kissinger's schedule

- Briefing on Vietnam
 - John C. Stennis
 - Hawks
 - Liberal Republican senators
 - Day
 - Possible appearance by the President

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 4:25 pm.

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 4:45 pm.

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Liberal Republican senators
 - Briefing
 - Withdrawal
 - Support for the President
 - Appearance by the President
 - Rogers and Laird
 - Advisability
 - The President's view
 - Questions for the President
 - Request for briefing by the President
 - Clark MacGregor
 - Steven S. Karalekas
 - Stennis
 - Barry M. Goldwater, Jr.
 - John G. Tower
 - Griffin
 - Bryce N. Harlow
 - Margaret Chase Smith
 - Kissinger
 - Arrangements
 - Soviet Summit
 - Time
- US-Soviet Summit

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- Possible cancellation
- Peterson and Soviet Union trade delegation meeting
 - Scheduling
- Cancellation
 - Hue
- Possible delay
 - Date
- Cancellation
 - Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Kissinger left at 4:45 pm.

Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 4:45 and 5:45 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-28/339-1C]

- President's schedule
- Sequoia* cruise
 - A dinner
 - Time
 - Peterson
 - A smaller boat
 - Chief of Naval Operations
 - Time
 - Peterson

[End of telephone conversation]

- Sequoia*
- Rules of use
 - Peterson
 - The President's view
 - Use
 - President's dinner at the White House
 - Changes
 - Use by the President
 - Use by others

- President's schedule
- Camp David
 - Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
 - Sequoia*

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- Alexander P. Butterfield
- Camp David
 - Use by others
 - Cabinet officers
 - Use by the President
 - Florida
 - Use by others
 - John N. Mitchell
 - Richardson
 - Conflicts with President's use
 - Laurel Cabin
 - President's trip to California
- Sequoia*
 - Purpose
- Meeting with senators
 - MacGregor
 - Advisability
 - The President's view
 - Publicity
 - Kissinger briefing
- Telephone calls

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Public support
 - 1972 election
 - Duration
 - Polls
 - Release by Colson
 - ORC poll
 - Release to Congressional offices and press
 - Ronald McMahan
 - Scott press conference
 - Press questions
 - Sindlinger poll
 - Quayle poll
 - ORC

An unknown person entered at an unknown time between 4:45 pm and 5:45 pm.

Delivery of a note

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Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 4:45 and 5:45 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-28/339-1D]

Soviets

- Dinner cancellation
- Reports
- Patolichev
- Health

[End of telephone conversation]

- Confirmation
- Kissinger

[The above portion of the conversation took place simultaneously with Conversation No. 337-28/339-1D]

The unknown person left at an unknown time between 4:45 pm and 5:45 pm.

Haldeman talked with Kissinger at an unknown time between 4:45 and 5:45 pm.

[Conversation No. 337-28/339-1E]

- Patolichev
- Reasons
- Meeting between the President and Patolichev
- Dinner cancellation
- Significance

[End of telephone conversation]

- Peterson meeting with Patolichev

Haldeman's schedule

- Meeting with Connally
- Meeting with Kissinger
- Message from Dobrynin

Vietnam

- Blockade
- Senate Republicans

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- Meeting with President
- Kissinger briefing
- Public support
- Support for the President
 - White House staff
 - Initiative
 - Harlow
- Public support
 - Reasons
 - The President's efforts
- Republicans
 - Charles H. Percy, Richard S. Schweiker
 - Constituents

President's schedule

- Sequoia*
 - New rules for use
- Camp David
 - Uses
 - Emergency
 - Family retreat
 - Conferences
 - Other locations
 - Airlie House
 - The Homestead
 - The Greenbrier
 - Airlie House
 - Departmental facilities
 - Value to users
 - Facilities
 - Other locations
 - Williamsburg
 - Washington
 - Sans Souci
 - A country club
 - John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
 - Movie Association Center

Social events

- Movie Association
- Arthur F. Burns
 - Social activities

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 1s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

- Kissinger's social activities
 - Effect
 - Pace of work
- President's pace

Press

- White House News Summary
 - President's reading
- New York Times, Washington Post*
 - President's reading
 - Reasons
 - Bias
 - President's reading
 - Duration

Vietnam

- Blockade
 - Polls
 - Release

Polls

- Sindlinger
 - Financial status
 - Publicity
- ORC
 - The President's view
- George H. Gallup
 - Public polls

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- Expense
- Publicity advantages
- ORC
- Louis P. Harris
 - Syndication
 - Costs
- ORC
 - Mutual benefits of White House work
- Sindlinger
- Colson
 - Work with Harris and Sindlinger
 - News summary
- Harris poll
 - Past polls compared with current polls
 - Timing of release
 - Topics
 - Questions
- Gallup poll
 - Questions
 - John A. Scali
 - Republican preferences
 - Release
 - Work with White House
 - Questions

Vietnam

- Support for the President's decision on blockade and mining
 - Gallup poll
 - Results
 - Questions
 - Results
- President's peace offer
 - Call from James B. ("Scotty") Reston
 - Kissinger
 - Reston column
 - President's previous speech on blockade and mining
 - Kissinger
 - Duration
- News reports on previous speech on blockade and mining
 - Military aspect
 - Peace offer
- 1971 peace offer

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- Congress
 - A resolution supporting the President's peace offer
 - Passage
 - Funds cutoff
 - Kissinger's view
- Peace offer
 - Prisoners of war [POWs]
 - Ceasefire
 - Troop withdrawal
 - Congressional approval
 - Ceasefire
 - Troop withdrawal
 - Consequences
 - Reston's column
- Congress
 - Funds cutoff
 - Effect
- US troop withdrawal in Indochina
 - Possible ceasefire violations
 - Cambodia
 - Thailand
 - Laos
 - Navy ships
 - Bases
- President's peace offer
 - Compared with possible Congressional proposal
 - Kissinger's view
 - Political settlement
 - Nguyen Van Thieu
 - The President's instruction
 - Kissinger
- Soviets
 - Cancellation of Patolichev dinner
 - Significance
 - Meeting with the President
 - Peterson Dinner
 - Maurice H. Stans dinner
 - Effect on *Sequoia* schedule
 - Peterson dinner
 - Sequoia*
 - Patolichev, President, and Dobrynin meeting

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