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Conversation No. 431-001

Date: April 26, 1973  
Time: Unknown between 12:34 pm and 1:13 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

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

President's schedule  
-Meeting with Haldeman

Conversation No. 431-002

Date: April 26, 1973  
Time: 1:13 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The White House operator talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 045-007]

Conversation No. 431-003

Date: April 26, 1973  
Time: 1:15 pm and 1:17 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building



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The President talked with Tricia Nixon Cox.

[See Conversation No. 045-008]

Conversation No. 431-004

Date: April 26, 1973

Time: Unknown between 1:17 pm and 3:00 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown man.

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*[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift during chronological review 2007-2013]*

- President's schedule
- Rest
- Refreshment
- Order

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The unknown man left at an unknown time after 3:00 pm.

Conversation No. 431-005

Date: April 26, 1973



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Time: Unknown between 3:00 pm and 3:35 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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- President's schedule
- Telephone calls
- Refreshments

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 3:35 pm.

Conversation No. 431-006

Date: April 26, 1973

Time: Unknown between 3:00 pm and 3:35 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person.

- Unknown person's schedule
- Telephone call



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Conversation No. 431-007

Date: April 26, 1973

Time: 3:35 pm - 3:43 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule

- Trip to Meridian, Mississippi, for April 27, 1973
  - Federal disaster funds for flood stricken area
  - John C. Stennis
    - Accompaniment on trip by wife and physician
    - Airplane flight over flooded areas
    - Press photographs
    - Return flight
    - Lunch
- Meeting with Chamber of Commerce
  - Timing
    - Conflicts
    - George Shultz, Herbert Stein
    - President's statements on economy
      - Economic Stabilization Act
    - Willy Brandt's state visit
    - Press coverage
  - Church service
    - Annapolis
- Meeting with Chamber of Commerce
  - Compared with labor groups
    - American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations [AFL-CIO]
      - George Meany
    - Special trades Council
      - [First name unknown] Norman [?]
  - Energy [Department?]
  - Timing



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- Bipartisan Congressional leadership meeting
  - Foreign aid bill
    - Congressional action
- Brandt's visit
  - William Baroody, Jr.'s viewpoint
  - Timing
- President's statement on economy
  - Shultz and Stein
  - Congressional action
- President's visit to Mississippi
  - Stennis
    - Wife and physician
  - Airplane flight over flooded areas
    - Press coverage
  - William L. Waller
    - Appreciation ceremony
      - President's actions after Hurricane Camille
  - Dedication of John C. Stennis Center
    - Parade
    - President's remarks
      - National security
    - John W. Warner, John Hampton Stennis
    - Stennis's nephew
      - Invocation
    - Headstone plaque
  - Airport events
    - Clark T. Reed
    - Gilbert Lewis Carmichael
      - Vice Chairman
    - Blue Angels
    - Carmichael
  - Luncheon
- Meeting with Chamber of Commerce
  - Congressional action
- Meeting with John D. Ehrlichman



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Bull left at 3:43 pm.

Conversation No. 431-008

Date: April 26, 1973

Time: 3:52 pm - 3:54 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

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

[See Conversation No. 045-009]

Conversation No. 431-009

Date: April 26, 1973

Time: 3:59 pm - 9:03 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

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

[A transcript of the following portion of this conversation was initially prepared for the Watergate Special Prosecution Force (WSPF) and can be found in Record Group (RG) 460, Box 175, pages 1-186. The Nixon Presidential Materials Staff reviewed the transcript and made changes as necessary. This transcript has been reviewed under the provisions of the Presidential Recordings and Materials Preservation Act of 1974 (PRMPA). The National Archives does not guarantee its accuracy.]

[Begin transcribed portion]

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 3:59 pm and 4:50 pm during the transcribed portion.



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[Conversation No. 431-009A]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-010]

[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with Richard G. Kleindienst between 4:50 pm and 4:51 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009B]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-011]

[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman at an unknown time between 4:51 pm and 5:53 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009C]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[End of telephone conversation]

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 4:57 pm and 5:53 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009D]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-012]



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[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with Richard G. Kleindienst between 5:53 pm and 5:55 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009E]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation 045-013]

[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with the White House operator at 5:55 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009F]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-014]

[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with Henry E. Petersen between 5:56 pm and 6:17 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009G]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-015]

[End telephone conversation]

John D. Ehrlichman entered at 5:57 pm during the transcribed portion.



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The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 6:17 pm and 6:20 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009H]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-016]

[End telephone conversation]

John D. Ehrlichman talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 6:17 pm and 6:20 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009I]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-017]

[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with Richard G. Kleindienst between 6:20 pm and 6:24 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009J]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-018]

[End telephone conversation]

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 6:24 pm during the transcribed portion.



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[End transcribed portion]

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[National Security]

[431-009-w001]

[Duration: 4s]

Vietnam

-Documents

-Ngo Dinh Diem

-Assassination

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[Resume transcribed portion]

Ziegler left at 6:33 pm during the transcribed portion.

Ziegler entered at 6:35 pm during the transcribed portion.

Ziegler left at 6:37 pm during the transcribed portion.

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 6:37 pm and 6:49 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009K]

[See Conversation No. 045-019]

[End of telephone conversation]



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The President talked with Ziegler between 6:49 pm and 6:50 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009L]

[See Conversation No. 045-020]

[End of telephone conversation]

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 6:50 pm and 7:08 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009M]

[See Conversation No. 045-022]

[End of telephone conversation]

The President talked with Ronald L. Ziegler between 7:08 and 7:09 during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009N]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-023]

[End telephone conversation]

Ehrlichman left at an unknown time before 7:12 pm during the transcribed portion.

The President talked with Henry E. Petersen between 7:12 pm and 7:14 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009O].

[Begin telephone conversation]



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[See Conversation No. 045-025]

[End telephone conversation]

Haldeman talked with an unknown person [John D. Ehrlichman?] at an unknown time between 7:14 pm and 7:44 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009P]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[End telephone conversation]

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 7:14 pm during the transcribed portion.

Bull left at an unknown time before 7:44 pm during the transcribed portion.

The President talked with the White House operator at 7:44 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009Q]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation No. 045-026]

[End telephone conversation]

The President talked with Richard G. Kleindienst between 7:44 pm and 8:02 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009R]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[See Conversation 045-027]



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[End telephone conversation]

Bull entered at an unknown time after 8:02 pm during the transcribed portion.

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:03 pm during the transcribed portion.

Haldeman talked with an unknown person in John D. Ehrlichman's office at an unknown time between 8:02 pm and 9:03 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009S]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[End telephone conversation]

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 8:02 pm during the transcribed portion.

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:03 pm during the transcribed portion.

Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 8:02 pm and 9:03 pm during the transcribed portion.

[Conversation No. 431-009T]

[Begin telephone conversation]

[End telephone conversation]

[End of transcribed portion]

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[National Security]

[431-009-w002]

[Duration: 4s]

Vietnam settlement  
-Withdrawal  
-Department of State

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[Resume transcribed portion]

[End transcribed portion]

Haldeman left at 9:03 pm.

Conversation No. 431-010

Date: April 26, 1973

Time: Unknown between 9:03 pm and 9:47 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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Refreshment



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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[*Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 12/05/2017.  
Segment will remain closed.*]

[Personable Returnable]

[431-010-w001]

[Duration: 25s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Order

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:47 pm.