Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:26 pm and 2:38 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person

President’s schedule

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:26 pm and 2:38 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

President’s schedule

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:38 pm

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: 2:38 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator

[See Conversation No. 42-58]
Conversation No. 251-4

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:38 pm and 2:39 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:39 pm

Conversation No. 251-5

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:38 pm and 2:39 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:39 pm

Conversation No. 251-52

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:38 pm and 2:39 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator

[See Conversation No. 42-59]
Date: April 20, 1971
Time: 2:39 pm - 2:44 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Tricia Nixon

[See Conversation No. 42-60]

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: 2:45 pm - 2:46 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Leslie C. Arends

[See Conversation No. 42-61]

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:46 pm and 2:55 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person [H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman?]

President’s schedule
- Request for unknown person’s [Haldeman?] presence at Oval Office for appointments
- Picture session with John N. Mitchell
  - Timing

Appointment
- Need [for Office of Emergency Preparedness] to “sell” economy, foreign policy
- Possible candidates for Cabinet positions
  - Unknown man
  - [Forename unknown] Delaney

**Conversation No. 251-9**

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: 2:55 pm - 3:00 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Ronald L. Ziegler

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[End of transcript]

Ziegler left at 3:00 pm

**Conversation No. 251-10**

Date: April 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 3:00 pm and 3:04 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman

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[End of transcript]
Conversation No. 251-11

Date: April 27, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 2:25 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

President’s schedule

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:25 pm

Conversation No. 251-12

Date: April 27, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 2:25 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

President’s schedule

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:25 pm

Conversation No. 251-13

Date: April 27, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 2:25 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

President’s schedule

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:25 pm
Conversation No. 251-14

Date: April 27, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 2:25 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

President’s schedule

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:25 pm

Conversation No. 251-15

Date: April 27, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 2:25 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown man

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1  
[Agency Policy]  
[Duration: 14s]
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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1  
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The unknown man left at an unknown time before 2:25 pm
Conversation No. 251-16

Date: April 27, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 2:25 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

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

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:25 pm

Conversation No. 251-17

Date: April 27, 1971
Time: 2:25 pm - 4:40 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman

President’s schedule

President’s conversation with John B. Connally
  -John A. Volpe
  -Requiring seat belts
    -Cost
Seat belts
- Safety of life
- Popular reaction
- Accidents
- Safety council
- Labor costs
- Poor people

Environment
- Pressure from Congress
- Enforcement
- Auto emissions
  - Cost
- Possible effect of legislation
  - American Motors Corporation, Chrysler Corporation

Volpe
- President’s conversation with Connally
- Competence

Clifford M. Hardin
- Maurice H. Stans
- Volpe
- Bryce N. Harlow
- White House
- Department of Agriculture
- John C. Whitaker
- Farm Bureau

Economic policy
- Need for one spokesman
  - Council of Economic Advisers [CEA]
  - Disagreement with Connally
  - Paul W. McCracken
  - Staff
  - Connally
  - McCracken and George P. Shultz
  - Marina von N. Whitman
  - Connally and McCracken
  - Interest rates
- Haldeman’s conversation with Connally
  - *Washington Post* interview
NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF

Tape Subject Log
(rev. 9/08)

-McCracken
-Whitman’s conversation with Ronald L. Ziegler
-Economy

President’s schedule
  -School financing meeting
  -Travel
    -California and Florida
  -Timing

[Forename unknown] Martin

John J. Sparkman

Everett M. Dirksen
  -Age

Demonstrations
  -Strategy
  -Need for firmness
  -District of Columbia police
  -Unknown man

Polls
  -Timing
  -George C. Wallace
  -California

Unemployment
  -Briefing
  -California
  -Midwest, South, Northeast
  -California
    -Airplanes and defense
      -Haldeman and Caspar W. (“Cap”) Weinberger
      -Edwin Reinecke
        -Task force on aerospace
        -Space shuttle
        -Weinberger
        -Available talent
        -James G. Fulton
Conv. No. 251-17 (cont.)

NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF

Tape Subject Log
(rev. 9/08)

-Space program
  -Fulton

Viet Cong flag burning
  -Mayor of Hartford, Connecticut
  -Instructions for Charles W. Colson
  -Hardhats
  -Possible strategy
    -Instigating fights
  -Washington, DC
  -Veterans of Foreign Wars [VFW]
  -Police
  -Instructions for Colson

Tricia Nixon
  -Ziegler
  -Thelma C. (Ryan) (“Pat”) Nixon
  -Possible tour of White House
  -Television networks
    -White House weddings
    -Possibilities
  -White House weddings
    -Alice Roosevelt Longworth
      -Gown
    -Frances (Folsom) Cleveland
      -Blue Room
    -Ziegler
    -Possible assignment
  -Television networks
    -Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS] or National Broadcasting Company [NBC]

Mock elections
  -Timing
  -Party nominating conventions
    -John D. Ehrlichman
    -John N. Mitchell
    -Youth conference
    -White House press conferences

Presidential commissions
  -United Nations [UN]
- Henry A. Kissinger
- Public opinion
- Location

Youth conference
- Elliot L. Richardson
- Advisors and youth
  - Views on resolutions

Polls
- Louis Harris
- Faculty
  - Radicalism
- 1960 elections
  - Schools
  - John F. Kennedy
- Hubert H. Humphrey
- Edmund S. Muskie
- Edward M. (“Ted”) Kennedy
- Elections
  - Faculty
- Harris
- George H. Gallup
- Opinion Research Corporation [ORC]

Demonstrators
- Russell B. Long
  - Reaction
- Protection for cabinet
  - Secret Service
  - State Department
    - [Forename unknown] Young

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4
[Agency Policy]
[Duration: 43s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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Press
  -Support for President

Networks
  -CBS presentation of Ohio glee club
    -Motivation
  -Youth
  -Mrs. Nixon
  -Rio Grande City high school
  -Chamber of Commerce
    -NBC
  -President’s welfare statements at governors’ meeting

Welfare reform
  -Popular reaction
  -Editorials
  -Unemployment
  -President’s statements
  -Wilbur D. Mills
  -Votes
    -Liberals
    -Conservatives
  -Raymond K. Price, Jr.
  -Leonard Garment
  -Liberals
  -President’s conversations with senators
  -Votes
    -Liberals and conservatives
    -Republicans
    -Conservative Democrats

Demonstrators
  -Youth

Ehrlichman, Edward L. Morgan, and Kenneth R. Cole, Jr., entered at 3:05 pm

Automobile safety
  -Procedures
  -Seat belts
  -Air bags
-Department of Transportation
  -Volpe
-President’s meeting with Henry E. Ford, II
-Ehrlichman’s conversation with Charles D. Baker
  -Peter M. Flanigan
-Suspension of order by Department of Transportation
  -President’s schedule
  -Timing
  -Volpe’s schedule
-Department of Transportation
  -Authority
  -Safety regulations
  -Automobile Safety Act of 1966
  -Decision-making power
-Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW]

Automobile Safety Act
  -President’s options
  -Volpe
  -Procedures
  -Ralph Nader
    -Possible reaction
  -Volpe’s possible role
  -Air bags
    -Nader
  -Wall Street Journal article
  -Volpe
  -Seat belts
    -Regulations

Regulations
  -Farmers’ union
    -Votes
  -Environment
    -Muskie
  -Air bags
    -Nader
    -Volpe

School desegregation cases
  -Meetings with departments
  -HEW and Justice Departments
-Procedures
-Memos for Richardson and Mitchell
-Numbers
-Swann case
-Racial balance
-Departments
-Administration’s response
-Motions

Haldeman left at 3:11 pm

Supreme Court
-Ruling on housing cases
-Garment and Price’s memorandum
-Neighborhood schools
-Warren E. Burger
-March 24, 1971 statement
-California statute
-Justices
-William O. Douglas
-Burger
-Harry A. Blackmun
-Hugo L. Black
-Thurgood Marshall
-Low-income housing
-Lackawanna case
-People’s elected representatives
-Cities
-Racial considerations
-State councils
-Blackjack case
-Missouri
-Quasi-public housing corporation
-Low-income housing
-Zoning
-Federal question involved
-Grants
-Department of Housing and Urban Development [HUD] and Justice Department
-Lackawanna case
-District court level
-Racial discrimination
-Possible federal involvement
-HEW and Justice Department
-Need for court finding
-Litigation
-Theory of case
-Possible federal involvement
-Civil rights

Ehrlichman’s draft housing statement
-George W. Romney and Mitchell
-Meeting
-Lackawanna and California cases
-Recent Supreme Court cases
-Guidelines for administration’s policies
-Possible HUD and Justice Department joint statement
-President’s possible statement

School desegregation cases
-Administration’s response
-National Association for the Advancement of Colored People [NAACP] action
-Rulings
-Reaction
-Case

Cancer
-Elmer H. Bobst
-President’s possible conversation with Bobst
-Government organization
-Possible new federal agency
-E. M. Kennedy
-Research
-National Institute of Health [NIH]
-Bureaucracy
-E. M. Kennedy
-Administration’s policy
-Search for “Los Alamos” cure for cancer, heart disease
-Undramatic solutions
-Cosmetics
-Efficiency
-Government organization
- Director for institute
- Richardson’s conversation with Dr. Henry S. Kaplan
- Direct access to President

William L. Scott
- Ehrlichman’s memorandum to Rogers C. B. Morton
- Salem Church Dam
  - Environmentalists
- Interstate highway

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 18s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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School desegregation
- President’s conversation with Richardson
- Court directives
- Administration’s policy
  - Cooperation with local officials
- Richardson and Mitchell

Interest rates
- Statement by McCracken
- Connally and McCracken
- Shultz
  - Ehrlichman’s meeting with Connally
    - Mitchell
    - Anti-trust

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 3:25 pm

President’s schedule
- General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
Butterfield left at 3:26 pm

Bobst
- Concern
  - President’s possible appointment
  - Candidates
- Concern
  - Kaplan
  - Need for communication
  - Cancer panels
    - Ralph Yarborough
    - Appointments

Cole and Morgan left at 3:35 pm

Interest rates
- Connally’s idea
- Need for single voice
- Arthur F. Burns
- Vietnam
  - William P. Rogers and Kissinger
  - McCracken’s statement

School aid bill
- John C. Stennis amendment
- Prospects

Morton, William T. Pecora, and Whitaker entered at 3:36 pm

Greetings

Micronesia
- Peace Corps
- Congress
  - High Commissioner
    - [Intelligible name] [William J. Randall?]
- Peace Corps
  - Teachers
- Language problems
- Native teachers
- Schools
Peace Corps
- Teacher corps
  - Composition
- Value
- Possible abolition
- Director
  - Joseph H. Blatchford
- Demonstrations
  - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
  - Rogers
- Composition
- Micronesia

Micronesia
- Ambassador
  - Edward E. Johnston
  - High Commissioner of the Peace Corps
  - Qualifications
- Status
- Administration
- Appropriations
- Status
- District administrators
- Districts
  - “Mariana group”
  - Population
- Franklin Haydn Williams
  - Need to work with Interior Department
  - Importance

Alaska pipeline
- Permit
  - Timing
- Pecora
- Need for energy
- Government consolidation
- Politics
- Need for Alaskan oil
  - Need to sell program to youth, general public
- Morton’s initiatives
  - University of Southern California
- Oil white paper
  - General public
  - Pecora
  - Circulation
- Case for pipeline
  - Timing
- Pecora
- Ashland Oil Co.
  - Application
- Case for pipeline

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5
[National Security]
[Duration: 8s]

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

-Courts
- Administration’s white paper
- Supply side
- Energy statement
- Public relations
  - Consistency with energy statement
- Energy statement
  - Atomic energy
  - ”Generation of oil”
- Breeder reactor
- Alaska
- Domestic oil
- Environmentalists
Santa Barbara leases
-Number
-Funding
-Elk Hills naval reserve
- Funds
- Exploration of Alaskan oil
- Legislative prospects
  - Senate Armed Services Committee
-Melvin R. Laird
-Need for action
-Consequences of inaction
  - Southern California
    - Los Angeles Times
-White House support
  - Armed Services
  - Laird
-Congress
  - Interior committees
  - Armed Services committees
  - F. Edward Hébert
  - Federal-State cooperation
  - Oil production
  - Environmental protection of islands

San Clemente
- President’s statement
- Land for public sale [near Camp Pendleton]
  - Ehrlichman’s press conference
  - Consequences
- State intentions
- Administrations intent
- Recreation
  - Bill Mott
  - Administration’s intent
- Public statement
- Mott
- Value of land
- National recreational area
- Laird

Gateway east and gateway west
-[Parks]
-Development plans
-Office of Management and Budget [OMB]
-Budget
  -Land acquisition
    -Figures
  -Ferry
    -Subway
-Development
-State control
-New York and New Jersey
-Florida [Everglades]
-Corps of Engineers
-Mitchell
-James L. Buckley
-Nelson A. Rockefeller
-Ronald W. Reagan
-California
  -Unemployment
-Morton’s possible conversation with Ehrlichman
-OMB
-Administration statements
-Fort Hancock
-Floyd Bennett field
-Jamaica Bay
  -Fish and wildlife
-New York Port Authority
  -Subway and ferry
-[Forename unknown] Mason
-Advantages for President
-OMB
-Area near Presidio
  -Nature conservationists
-[Walter J. Hickel]
-Unknown Florida developer
  -[Edward Baker?]
-Controversy
-Parks
-San Clemente
-Parks
-Money problems
-Costs
-Development plans
-Land
-West coast and East coast development
-Federal role
-Land acquisition
  -Fort Hancock
-Development costs
  -Figures
-Benefits
-Funds
-OMB
  -Weinberger
-Whitaker
-Defense
-New York
-Federal park
-Land use
  -San Francisco
-Benefits of plan
-J. F. Kennedy International Airport
-New York Parks Department
-Federal role
  -Great Falls
  -National seashores
-User fees
-Weinberger

Desalinization plant
  -Contract
  -California
    -Orange County
  -Budget
    -Figures

Oil shale
  -Denver, Colorado
  -Program

Breeder reactor
  -Location
    -Southern California
    -Study
Oil shale
  -Unknown client of President
  -Debts
  -Location
    -Colorado, Wyoming, Utah
  -Petroleum industry
    -Long-term program
  -Composition
    -Sodium bicarbonate
    -Macolite [sp?]  
    -Sulphur
  -Geologists
  -By-products
  -Macolite
  -Sodium minerals
  -Uses
  -Development
  -Leasing program
  -Morton
  -Energy needs
  -Energy policy statements
  -Agreement on program
  -Environmental effects
    -Sulphur
  -Macolite
    -Coal
    -Oil shale
    -Aluminum oxide
    -Oil
    -Delay
    -Huntington Hartford
    -Difficulty of access to reserves
    -Investment protection
      -Leasing plan
    -Morton’s plan
  -Environmental problems
    -Coyotes

Morton’s schedule
  -Nashua, New Hampshire, Chamber of Commerce
    -Timing
    -Administration’s record
- Greg Landry
- Howard Johnson motel
- President’s speech writers
  - Patrick J. Buchanan and Price
- Primaries
  - Florida
  - William Loeb
- Possible speech in Nashua
- Foreign policy
- Vietnam
- President’s 1968 campaign
  - Themes
- Conservative state
- Welfare
- Inflation
- Gateway east and gateway west
- Town forum
  - Non partisan terms
- Positive tone
- Portsmouth Navy Yard
- Importance of New England
  - New Hampshire
  - Maine
  - Vermont
- Emphasis on unity
  - Racial, religious, geographic minorities
  - Representation
- Massachusetts

Government reorganization
- Congress
- Department of Natural Resources
- Agriculture
- Department of Natural Resources
  - Chet Holifield
  - Breeder reactor

Withholding funds
- President’s meeting with Long and Wallace F. Bennett
  - Budget problems
  - Debt limits
  - Weinberger
-Effect on Congress
  -Ambassadorships for friends
  -Supersonic Transport [SST]
  -Republican leadership
  -Environment
-OMB
  -Federal budgetary deficit
    -Debt ceiling
    -Spending limitations
    -Weinberger
-Fiscal restraint
-Departments
  -Timing
-Budget
-California
-Housing
  -Romney
-Spending limitations
-Lyndon B. Johnson
-Unknown man’s public relations
  -Activities
-Congress
  -J. William Fulbright
  -Long
-Romney
-Housing
  -Elford A. Cederberg
  -Left-wing Democrats
  -Necessity to talk to Cederberg
    -Cederberg
    -Possible role

Withholding funds
  -Johnson
  -Long
  -Johnson
-OMB
  -Administration’s input
    -William L. Gifford
-Shultz and Weinberger
-Weinberger
-Presdent’s possible conversation with Weinberger
-Budget
-Social Security
-OMB and the CEA
-President’s instructions to Ehrlichman

Hugh Scott
-Dam
-Claim of promise to him
-Political future
-Dam
-Environment
-Whitaker, Bill Shirley, Harlow, and William E. Timmons
-President’s prior instructions
-Bureau of Reclamation report
-Whitaker’s conversation with Scott
-Consequences
-Morton

[General conversation]

The President, Ehrlichman, Morton, Pecora, and Whitaker left at 4:40 pm
Conversation No. 251-53

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:05 am and 9:29 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown person

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 2s]  
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 9:29 am

Conversation No. 251-19

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 9:29 am - 9:31 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Rose Mary Woods

[See Conversation No. 42-77]

Conversation No. 251-20

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:31 am and 9:48 am
Location: Executive Office Building
The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Instructions

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:48 am

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:31 am and 9:48 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Prisoners of War [POW] statement

Vietnam
  -Ashau Valley operations
    -South Vietnamese
    -Secrecy

Aid to India
  -Pakistani refugees
  -Possible US assistance
  -West Pakistan government
  -Request from India

Pakistan fighting
  -Possible US mediation
  -Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
  -Developments

Middle East
  -Statement in President’s briefing book
  -Suez
    -State Department
  -William P. Rogers
    -Visit to Suez
  -State Department
An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 9:31 am

News summaries

Vietnam
- Casualties
- Unknown man’s views on negotiations

People’s Republic of China [PRC] initiative
- President’s policy
- New York Times story, April 29, 1971
- State Department
  - Press statement by Charles W. Bray, III
- President’s policy

POWs
Vietnam
- Casualties
  - Number killed in North Vietnam
  - Number killed in South Vietnam

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 9:48 am
Schedule
  -John B. Connally’s possible announcement

Butterfield left at 9:50 am

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 10:24 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Memorandum from Henry A. Kissinger

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 10:24 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman
Unknown man’s location

Paris peace talks
  -Dr. David K. E. Bruce
  -Statement on refugees
  -John A. Scali
News story
  -Television
  -Charles W. Colson
  -Raymond K. Price, Jr.

Preparation for President’s forthcoming visit to US Marines at Camp Pendleton, California,
April 30, 1971
  -Unknown man and Scali
  -Location
President’s schedule
- Charles G. (“Bebe”) Rebozo
- Hobart D. (“Hobe”) Lewis

News
- John B. Connally
  - Internal Revenue Service [appointment for commissioner]

Connally

Staff

Foreign relations
- Charles W. Bray, III statement
- President’s meeting with editors [American Society of Newspaper Editors]
- Instructions for William P. Rogers
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
  - Use of word “dividend”
  - People’s Republic of China [PRC] relations
- PRC initiative

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Instructions for Haldeman to have Clark MacGregor call unknown person [George D. Aiken]

Conversation No. 251-25

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 10:24 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Vietnam
- Casualties two years ago
- 1st Marine Division
Conv. No. 251-26

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 10:24 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman

Schedule

Conv. No. 251-27

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 10:24 am - 10:48 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman

Jayne B. Spain
-Civil Service Commission
-Public relations impact
-Background
-Education
-Presidential’s press conference
Personnel
-Frederic V. Malek

Unknown appointee [Vicki L. Keller?]
-Covington and Burling

Unknown woman

[The President tried to make a telephone call; the call was incomplete]

Vietnam
- Withdrawal rate
  - Division size
  - 1st Marine Division
- John A. Scali
- Division size
- Withdrawal rate

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[End of transcript]

Patrick J. Buchanan
  - Suggestion for President
  - Response to critics

Cabinet officers’ statements
  - Maurice H. Stans
  - William P. Rogers
  - Television interview
    - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
    - People’s Republic of China [PRC]
  - State Department
    - President’s instructions to Haldeman
    - Rogers
    - Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]

Economic indicators
  - Confidence factor
  - Stock market
  - Consumer spending
  - Investment psychology
  - Stock market
    - Small investors
    - Mutual funds

Agnew
  - Location

Haldeman left at 10:48 am
Conversation No. 251-28

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 10:48 am - unknown before 11:08 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman

[See Conversation No. 42-78]

Conv. No. 251-27 (cont.)

Conversation No. 251-29

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 10:48 am and 11:08 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator

[See Conversation No. 42-106]

Conversation No. 251-30

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 10:48 am and 11:08 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
JAPAN

End Withdrawn Item No. 1

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Conversation No. 251-31

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 10:48 am and 11:08 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman

[See Conversation No. 42-79]

Conversation No. 251-32

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 11:08 am and 12:03 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

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Begin Withdrawn Item No. 1

[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 2s]

End Withdrawn Item No. 1
Sanchez left at an unknown time before 12:03 pm

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:17 pm and 2:53 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:53 pm

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:17 pm and 2:53 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez
Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:53 pm

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 2:53 pm - 2:56 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

News wires
- General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
- Patrick J. Buchanan
- Timing

Butterfield left at 2:56 pm

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:56 pm and 3:57 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Prisoners of War [POWs]
- Release
- Conditions
- Offer
- US position
Conversation No. 251-37

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:56 pm and 3:57 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator

[See Conversation No. 42-80]

Conversation No. 251-38

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 3:57 pm - 3:58 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Marjorie P. Acker

[See Conversation No. 42-81]

Conversation No. 251-39

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 4:44 pm - 4:45 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
Butterfield left at 4:45 pm

Conversation No. 251-40

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 6:32 pm - 6:37 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

[See Conversation No. 42-82]

Conversation No. 251-41

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 6:37 pm and 7:27 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown person

Instructions
   - Supper

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 7:27 pm
Conversation No. 251-42

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 6:37 pm and 7:27 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Prisoners of War [POWs]
- Repatriation
- Unilateral
- Internment in neutral country
- Bilateral
- New proposal

Conversation No. 251-43

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 6:37 pm and 7:27 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person

Staff

Social worker

Conversation No. 251-44

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 6:37 pm and 7:27 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez
Sanchez left at an unknown time before 7:27 pm

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 6:37 pm and 7:27 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

General Alexander M. Haig, Jr. talked with the President

Prisoners of War [POWs]
-Intermediaries

Date: April 29, 1971
Time: 7:27 pm - 7:30 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

Henry A. Kissinger talked with the President

[See Conversation No. 42-83]
Date: April 29, 1971
Time: Unknown between 7:30 pm and 8:02 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Briefcase

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 8:02 pm

Date: May 4, 1971
Time: 1:11 pm - 1:12 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Unknown activity

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 1:11 pm and 1:12 pm]

[Conversation No. 251-48A]

[See Conversation No. 42-84]

[End of telephone conversation]

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[End of transcript]

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-Schedule

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 1:12 pm
Date: May 4, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 1:11 pm and 1:12 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The White House operator talked with the President

[See Conversation No. 42-85]