Conversation No. 593-1

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 8:43 am and 9:09 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:09 am.

Conversation No. 593-2

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 8:43 am and 9:09 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 11-96]

Conversation No. 593-3

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 8:43 am and 9:09 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown person.

Unknown person left at an unknown time before 9:09 am.
Conversation No. 593-4

Date: October 15, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 8:43 am and 9:09 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
- Henry A. Kissinger  
- Peter G. Peterson

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:09 am.

Conversation No. 593-5

Date: October 15, 1971  
Time: 9:09 am - 9:10 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Donald M. Kendall.

[See Conversation No. 11-97]

Conversation No. 593-6

Date: October 15, 1971  
Time: 9:10 am - 9:36 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.
The President's schedule
- *Newsweek* magazine
- Oliver F. (“Ollie”) Atkins
- Henry A. Kissinger
- Photographer

Kissinger entered at 9:10 am.

US foreign policy
- Statement
  - Ronald L. Ziegler

Photographers entered at an unknown time after 9:10 am.

- Ambassador

Photographers left at an unknown time before 9:13 am.

- John B. Connally

Peter G. Peterson entered at 9:13 am.

Salutations

Textile agreement
- David M. Kennedy
  - Eisako Sato
  - Hong Kong
  - Taiwan
  - Korea
- The President's schedule
  - Statement on veto
    - Washington Special Action Group [WSAG]
    - Ziegler
- Peterson's schedule
  - Roger Milliken
  - Harry S. Dent
  - Milliken’s concerns
    - Peter M. Flanigan
    - Commerce Department
  - Dent
Conv. No. 593-6 (cont.)

The President's schedule
-Forthcoming meeting with Robert S. McNamara

Kissinger left at 9:22 am.

Textile agreement
- Possible responses to press questions
- Mills plan
- The President's correspondence
  - Chung Hee Park
  - Chiang Kai-Shek
  - Sato
  - Possible content
  - Hong Kong
- Sato
- Possible public statement
  - Peterson's schedule
    - Illinois
  - South
- Growth factor
  - Markets
  - Jobs
  - Regional factors
  - Trade deficit
    - Textiles
  - Employers
  - Surcharges
  - Quotas
  - Jobs
  - Mills
  - Outlook
    - US relations with Japan
      - People’s Republic of China [PRC] initiative
      - Visit with Emperor Hirohito
      - Cooperation
  - State Department
    - Kissinger
    - Cables
  - David M. Kennedy
    - Performance
  - Peterson's schedule
    - U. Alexis Johnson
  - State Department's opinion
    - David Kennedy
    - Trading with the Enemy Act
  - Staff comments
    - Supreme Court
Nixon Presidential Materials Staff

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-Robert C. Byrd
-Possibility of appointment
-Ku Klux Klan
-Trading with the Enemy Act
-Textile industry
  -Dent
  -Japanese ambassador
  -Support for administration
  -Possible administration comments
    -Administration of agreement
-Milliken
  -Statements
  -Legislation
-Overseas negotiations
  -Surtax

Peterson left at 9:36 am.

Conversation No. 593-7

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: 9:37 am - 9:52 am
Location: Oval Office

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

Textile agreement
  -Statements of support by industry
    -Harry S. Dent
    -Charles W. Colson
    -Strom Thurmond

The President's schedule
  -Camp Hoover
  -Camp David

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 9:37 am.

-Sanchez's schedule
Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:45 am.

-Camp Hoover

Romana A. Banuelos confirmation process
- Gordon L. Allott
- Congressional action
  - Vance Hartke
  - Joseph M. Montoya
- Support
  - Alan Cranston
  - John V. Tunney
- Mexican community
  - Robert H. Finch
  - Ignacio E. Lozanos, Jr.
- Los Angeles Times
  - Newsday magazine
  - Illegal aliens
  - Banuelos appointment
- Editorial policy

Henry A. Kissinger entered at 9:45 am.

US foreign relations
- Kissinger's meeting with Nobuhiko Ushiba
  - John B. Connally
  - Exchange rate
- Textiles
  - Eisaku Sato

Kissinger left at 9:47 am.

Supreme Court appointments
- Request for meeting with Attorney General
  - Mildred L. Lillie
  - John W. Dean, III
  - Lillie
  - Husband
- Leaks
  - American Bar Association [ABA], Justice Department, White House
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Conv. No. 593-7 (cont.)

- John D. Ehrlichman
- Justice Department
- Dean
- ABA
  - The President’s view
  - Justice Department
- The President’s relationship with appointees
  - Warren E. Burger
  - Lillie
  - Arthur F. Burns
  - Cabinet

The President's schedule
  - Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon
    - Camp David
      - Andrews Air Force Base
    - William F. (“Billy”) Graham
    - George P. Shultz
    - Donald H. Rumsfeld
    - Connally

Haldeman left at 9:52 am.

Conversation No. 593-8

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: 9:53 am - 9:58 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger and Nobuhiko Ushiba.

Salutations

[Unintelligible]

Japanese-American relations
  - Ushiba’s instructions
    - Kissinger
Conv. No. 593-8 (cont.)

-Textile Agreement
  -Peter G. Peterson
  -The President’s appreciation
  -Eisaku Sato
  -Congress
-John B. Connally
  -Purpose of rip
    -Negotiations
    -Japan
    -Taiwan
    -Vietnam
    -Europeans
    -Japan
  -Travel experience
    -Japan
    -India

Gift presentation

Kissinger and Ushiba left at 9:58 am.

Conversation No. 593-9

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:58 am and 10:08 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
  -John B. Connally

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:08 am.

Conversation No. 593-10
The President met with John B. Connally, Henry A. Kissinger, and Robert S. McNamara
[The White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting]

Salutations

US foreign relations
  -Kissinger
    -Connally
    -National Security Council [NSC] meetings
  -Economic policy
    -Public concern
      -Financial contributions
      -US interests
      -Salvador Allende Gossens
      -US role
      -Vietnam
    -Connally
    -McNamara
      -Republican party
  -Barry M. Goldwater
  -Kissinger
  -Multinational financial institutions
    -World bank
    -International Monetary Fund [IMF]
    -Inter-American Development Bank [IADB]
  -European Economic Community [EEC]
  -International economics
    -US
      -Trade
    -IADB
      -Chile
  -The President's conversation with Kissinger and Connally
    -American business interests
      -Raw materials
      -Protection
      -Technology
- World bank

McNamara
- Career status
- Responsibilities

World economic situation
- McNamara’s role
- US interests
  - Japan
    - Economic outlook
    - Raw materials
  - France
    - Algeria
    - Expropriation
  - Chile
    - France support for US actions
    - Expropriation
- Algeria
  - El Paso Natural Gas Corporation
- Guyana
  - Canada
    - US-Canada cooperation
  - Burnham
- Status in World Bank
  - Anaconda Steel Corporation
  - Kennecot Steel Corporation
  - Latin America
  - France
  - Algeria
- Japan
- Germany
- France
- US loans
  - Peru
  - Algeria
  - Chile
- Georges J.R. Pompidou
  - Jacques Chabian-Delmas
  - Maurice Schumann
- Algerians
- World Bank loan
- World affairs
  - Latin America
  - Japan
  - Jamaica
    - Bauxite
- McNamara’s efforts
- International insurance plan
  - Japan
  - US
  - France
  - Overseas Private Investment Corporation [OPIC]
  - Chile
    - Anaconda Steel Corporation
    - Kennecot Steel Corporation
    - France
- US position
  - Japan, France, Britain, Germany
  - World Bank
    - McNamara’s efforts
  - Connally’s previous conversation with Japan
  - William P. Rogers

International economic interrelationships
- Japanese
- Mauritania
  - Raw materials
  - Indonesia
    - Agency for International Development [AID] program
- IADB
- Asian Development Bank
- Export-Import [Ex-Im] bank

US foreign policy
- International expropriation
  - US policy
  - Consultation with foreign nations
    - Connally
  - McNamara
    - Arthur F. Burns
  - Coordination of US efforts
-World bank
-Latin America
-McNamara
-Algeria
  -World bank
  -Export-Import bank
-IADB
  -Peru
-Expropriation
  -The President’s executive order
    -US policy on expropriation
      -Connally
  -Secretary of the Treasury
-Algeria
-Chile
-Secretary of the treasury
-Secretary of State
  -Chilean example
  -International monetary situation
-NSC
-The President's first press conference
  -New York Times
  -Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
    -Linkage
      -Japanese
-Japan
  -Negotiating strategy
    -Linkage
      -Okinawa
      -Textiles
-Kissinger
-Linkage
  -USSR
  -The President’s position
-USSR
  -Berlin
  -Middle East
-Trade
  -Time magazine
    -Maurice H. Stans
  -Berlin
- Kama River project
- US policy
- East-West trade
  - Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty [SALT]
  - Trade
  - Berlin
  - Trade
  - Loans

World Bank
  - Standards
  - Loans

US foreign policy
  - Japan
  - Europe
  - Chinese
  - Soviets
  - Loan policy
  - Kissinger
  - McNamara
    - World Bank
      - Pakistan
      - Connally
    - Economic Decisions
      - Peru
        - International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] Company
        - US firms
        - Japanese firms
    - Kissinger

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 10:37 am.

The President's schedule

Farewells

McNamara, et al. left at 10:37 am.
Date: October 15, 1971  
Time: 10:38 am - 11:32 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.

US foreign relations  
- Aleksei N. Kosygin  
- Message for Nixon  
- [Forename unknown] Burns [sp?]

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 10:38 am.

The President's schedule  
- John B. Connally

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:40 am.

News story  
- Maxine Cheshire  
- Kissinger’s view  
- Charles G. (“Bebe”) Rebozo  
  - Newsday  
- Unknown woman  
  - Taft Schreiber

Robert S. McNamara  
- Pakistan  
  - World Bank loan

US foreign policy  
- Soviets  
  - Edwin O. Reischauer  
  - W. Averell Harriman

John N. Mitchell and John D. Ehrlichman entered at 10:40 am.

- Dinner for visiting delegation
Kissinger left at 10:41 am.

Supreme Court appointments
- Chief Justice Warren E. Burger
  - Letter to Mitchell
    - Views on Court
    - Woman
    - Herschel H. Friday
    - Possible appointees
  - Visit with Mitchell, October 15, 1971
    - Resignation threat
      - The President’s view
      - Mitchell’s conversation with Burger
    - Health
    - Funeral of former Supreme Court justice
    - The President’s view

Administration's appointees
- Burger
- Arthur F. Burns
  - Andrew F. Brimmer
  - Federal Reserve Board [FRB]

Supreme Court appointees
- Burger
  - Threats of resignation
    - White House staff
  - Burger's views
    - Mildred L. Lillie
  - Mitchell's forthcoming conversation with Burger
  - Burger
    - The President’s assessment of Burger’s appointment
    - Cabinet
    - Previous editorials
  - William J. Brennan
  - Thurgood Marshall
  - Byron R. (“Whizzer”) White
  - Harry A. Blackmun
  - Hugo L. Black
  - Burger
-Robert C. Byrd
  -Henry M. (“Scoop”) Jackson's letter
    -Edmund S. Muskie
    -Edward M. Kennedy

-Friday
  -News summary
  -J. William Fulbright
  -Wilbur D. Mills
  -Burger's views

-Lewis F. Powell

-Women
  -News summary
  -The President’s view
  -Connally
    -Idanell B. (“Nellie”) Connally
  -Equal Rights Amendment
    -The President’s view
  -Margaret M. (“Peggy”) Heckler
    -Lillie
    -Political affiliation

-Friday
  -Political affiliation

-News summaries
  -David Schumacher
    -Lillie
  -Don Farmer
    -Friday
  -Bill [David ?] Lawrence's comments
    -Carl Stern
  -National Broadcasting Company [NBC]
  -American Bar Association [ABA]

-Friday
  -Arkansas Gazette
    -Joseph L. Rauh, Jr.

-Martha (Beall) Mitchell
  -Lillie

-Jewish seat

-Burger

-Friday
  -Background
  -Possible Senate confirmation
Conv. No. 593-11 (cont.)

-G. Harrold Carswell  
-Need for Republican support  
  -Charles McC. Mathias  
  -Robert P. Griffin
-William H. Rehnquist  
  -Clark MacGregor
-Conservatives  
  -Friday  
  -Clement F. Haynsworth  
  -*Washington Post*  
    -Editorial  
      -Question of mediocrity  
      -Appointment of Hugo L. Black
-Burger  
  -Editorial comments
-John W. Dean, III  
  -Lillie  
    -Mrs. A. V. Falcone  
      -Husband  
    -Political philosophy  
      -Dean’s assessment  
      -Civil rights  
        -Southerners  
          -Law and order issues  
          -Sam J. Ervin, Jr.
-Oliver Wendell Holmes  
  -Felix Frankfurter
-Burger's views  
  -Woman
-Women  
  -Rita E. Hauser  
  -Barbara (“Bobbie”) Greene Kilberg  
  -The President's law school class  
  -Maritime Commission  
    -Helen Delich Bentley  
  -Civil Service Commission  
  -The President's views  
  -Lillie  
    -India  
      -Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
-Burger's conversation with Mitchell
-Blackmun
  -Friday
-Woman
-Earl Warren
  -The President’s view
-Abe Fortas
-Black
-John M. Harlan
-Brennan
-William O. Douglas
-The President’s view
-Jewish appointment
  -Edward H. Levi
  -Possibility of appointment
-Burger's forthcoming conversation with Mitchell
  -Possible appointees
-Mitchell's possible conversation with Burger
  -Black
  -Woman
    -Poll
  -Louis Harris
-Woman
-Democrats

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 8s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

-Education
  -The President and Mitchell’s view
  -Domestic science
-Mitchell
- Equality
  - Peter G. Peterson
    - Sally Peterson
    - Textiles

Donald M. Kendall
  - Pepsi Cola
  - Cartha D. (“Deke”) DeLoach

Supreme Court appointments
  - Burger
    - Mitchell's conversation

Unknown woman entered at an unknown time after 10:41 am.

Item to be delivered to Peterson

Unknown woman left at an unknown time before 11:32 am.

- Age criteria
- Burger
  - Popular opinion
    - Appointment of a woman
- Friday
- Woman
- Warren
  - Workload and case load
    - Burger
    - Black
    - Harlan
    - White
    - Potter Stewart
    - Brennan
    - Case assignments
- Age criteria
  - The President’s view
- Lillie
  - Dean
    - Workload
    - Opinion lengths
- Holmes view of opinions
Conv. No. 593-11 (cont.)

-T Warren Court
  -Use of precedents
  -Burger
    -Possible resignation
    -Possible motive
    -Feelings on make-up of the Court
    -Possible resignation

Textiles agreement

Resignation of Will R. Wilson
  -Richard G. Kleindienst
  -Wilson's wife
  -Rationale
  -Deputy
  -Wilson’s efforts

J. Edgar Hoover
  -DeLoach's comments
  -Possibility of leaving office
    -Richard E. Berlin
  -DeLoach
  -Lou Nichols
  -Richard M. Helms
    -Telephone call to Ehrlichman
      -Time magazine
    -Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI]
      -Investigation of espionage

-William C. Sullivan
  -Complaints
  -Robert D. Novak
  -Terence F. Smith
  -New York Times
  -Time magazine
    -Hugh Sidey
  -Ad Hoc Committee
  -Sullivan
  -Age
    -Effect
      -Conversation with Mitchell
    -Conversation with the President
- FBI
  - Internal operation
    - Robert T. Mardian
  - Sullivan
  - Performance of FBI
    - Ehrlichman’s view
- FBI
  - Sullivan
  - Internal discipline
  - DeLoach
    - Possibility of resignation
- Possibility of medal presentation
  - DeLoach
  - Medal of Freedom
    - Lyndon B. Johnson
- Possible impact on the President's reelection
- Possibility of resignation
  - *Time* magazine
  - Rowland Evans and Novak
- Possible impact on the President's reelection
  - DeLoach
  - Financial worth
- Recreation Association
  - Medicine

The President's schedule
- North Carolina
  - William F. (“Billy”) Graham
    - F. Edward Hebert
    - George H. Mahon
    - Sequoia
      - Youth groups

Protestantism
- Graham
  - Appeal to youth

Supreme Court appointments
- Burger
  - Woman
  - Qualifications
Conv. No. 593-11 (cont.)

Mitchell and Ehrlichman left at 11:32 am.

Conversation No. 593-12

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: 11:32 am - 11:36 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield and Manolo Sanchez.

The President's schedule

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 11:36 am.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 22s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman entered and Sanchez left at 11:36 am.

The President's schedule
- George P. Shultz

Rose Mary Woods entered at 11:36 am.
- Signing of Executive Order
Butterfield entered at an unknown time after 11:36 am.

The President's schedule
- Signature autopen

Butterfield left at 11:38 am.

- Tricia Nixon Cox
- Camp David
- Hobart D. Lewis and Charles G. (“Bebe”) Rebozo

-Henry A. Kissinger's office
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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Woods left at an unknown time before 11:44 am.

Supreme Court appointments
   - John N. Mitchell
   - Warren E. Burger
     - Possibility of resignation
     - Herschel H. Friday
     - Woman

Appointees' threatened resignations
   - Robert Brown
   - People's Republic of China [PRC]
     - Emil (“Bus”) Mosbacher, Jr.
     - Kissinger
     - Chief of Protocol

PRC trip
   - Nature of trip
   - Chou En-lai
     - Kissinger
     - The President's suggestions
     - Haldeman’s view
     - Crowds
     - Haldeman’s previous conversation with Kissinger
     - Communiqué
     - Public relations

US foreign relations
   - The President's trip to Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
     - Public relations
     - Crowds
     - Romania
     - Kissinger
-The President’s view

The President's trip to PRC
- Crowd
- Itinerary
  - Provinces
- Advance team
  - John D. Ehrlichman
  - Dwight L. Chapin
  - Relations with Kissinger
- Public relations
- Itinerary
  - Cities
  - Meeting with leaders
  - Government
  - People

Kissinger entered at 11:44 am.

- Advance
  - Chapin
- Itinerary
  - Chinese
    - George Meany
  - Advance
    - Kissinger’s concern
  - Reception
- Popular reception
  - Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon
    - USSR
      - Chou En-lai
  - Crowds
  - Haldeman's memorandum
  - Chapin
    - Instructions
  - Mrs. Nixon
    - USSR
- Communications
  - Ground station
  - Washington
    - Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, the Shah of Iran
-Telecommunications capability
  -Iranian Vice President
  -Kissinger's role
    -Chapin
    -Soviet visit
    -Mrs. Nixon
  -Mao Tse-tung
    -Kissinger’s efforts
    -The president's forthcoming meeting
  -Crowds
    -The President’s possible visit to sites
  -Haldeman's memorandum
    -Chapin
    -Kissinger

US foreign policy
  -John B. Connally’s trip
    -Textile agreement
      -Press conference
    -Announcement
      -Peter G. Peterson
      -Woods
    -Timing
  -State department
    -Japanese
    -PRC

The President's schedule
  -Camp David

Kissinger left at 11:59 am.

Kissinger
  -Crowds
    -Romania
      -Nicolae Ceasescu
    -Soviets

Lyndon B. Johnson
  -Crowds
    -Kissinger
Mrs. Nixon

The President
  -Meeting people
Kissinger
  -Chapin
  -Alexander P. Butterfield

Mosbacher
  -Possibility of going to PRC
    -Possibility of going to USSR
    -Official party

The President's trip to PRC
  -Military aids
    -Function
    -Ronald L. Ziegler
      -Patrick J. Buchanan
      -John A. Scali
      -Gerald L. Warren
  -Press corps
  -Kissinger
    -China
    -Press
      -Yugoslavia
  -Kissinger
  -Communications
    -[Forename unknown] Persepolis
      -Shah
      -Television
      -Telecommunications
      -Chinese
  -Size and composition of press party
    -Scali
      -Networks
      -Haldeman's comments
        -Moon coverage
  -Daily newspapers
    -Magazines
      -Photographers
Haldeman left at 12:15 pm.
Conversation No. 593-13

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:15 pm and 12:50 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield. Butterfield left at an unknown time before 12:50 pm.

Conversation No. 593-14

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:15 pm and 12:50 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 12:50 pm.

Conversation No. 593-15
Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:15 pm and 12:50 pm
Location: Oval Office

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 12:50 pm.

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:15 pm and 12:50 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown woman.

Unintelligible
-Henry A. Kissinger

The unknown woman left at an unknown time before 12:50 pm.
Date: October 15, 1971
Time: 12:50 pm - 12:56 pm
Location: Oval Office

Alexander P. Butterfield met with unknown people.

The President’s schedule

The unknown people left and the President entered at an unknown time after 12:50 pm.

The President's schedule
- Leadership agenda
  - William P. Rogers
- Yugoslavia state visit
  - Interpreters
  - State Dinner
    - Wine purchase
      - Rex W. Scouten
      - Prices

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 43s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

The President and Butterfield left at 12:56 pm.

Conversation No. 593-18

Date: October 15, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:56 pm and 11:59 pm
Location: Oval Office

Unknown people met at an unknown time.

[Unintelligible]

The unknown people left at an unknown time before 11:59 pm.