



**NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF**

**Tape Subject Log**  
*(rev. Oct-06)*

Conversation No. 222-1

Date: October 29, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 12:56 pm and 8:58 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

An unknown woman entered at an unknown time.

Schedule

The unknown woman left at an unknown time before 8:58 pm.

Conversation No. 222-2

Date: October 29, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 7:55 pm and 8:58 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

John V. ("Jack") Brennan talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 152-1]

Conversation No. 222-3

Date: October 29, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 7:55 pm and 8:58 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

John V. ("Jack") Brennan talked with the Camp David operator.

Brennan talked with [first name not known] Johnston at an unknown time between 7:55 pm and 8:58 pm.

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The President entered at an unknown time between 7:55 pm and 8:58 pm.

The President conferred with Brennan at an unknown time between 7:55 pm and 8:58 pm.

[See Conversation No. 152-2]

Conversation No. 222-4

Date: October 29, 1972

Time: Unknown between 8:55 pm and 9:03 pm

Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with John V. ("Jack") Brennan.

The President's telephone call to a reception honoring

John G. Tower

-Timing

-Telephone

-Security line

Brennan talked with the Camp David operator at an unknown time between 8:55 pm and 8:58 pm.

The President talked with Tower between 8:58 pm and 9:02 pm.

[Conversation No. 222-4A]

[See Conversation No. 182-1]

[End of telephone conversation]

The President left at 9:03 pm.

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Conversation No. 222-5

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 9:30 am and 9:50 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with an unknown person at an unknown time.

The President's schedule  
-H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 9:50 am.

Conversation No. 222-6

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 9:30 am and 9:50 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon.

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[Personal returnable]  
[Duration: 2m 49s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Mrs. Nixon left at an unknown time before 9:50 am.

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Conversation No. 222-7

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: 9:50 am - 10:25 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

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

Vietnam settlement

- George S. McGovern's statements
  - William P. Rogers's forthcoming briefing
    - Re-negotiation of terms
    - Aid to South Vietnam
- Response to McGovern
- Henry A. Kissinger's view
  - Charles W. Colson
  - John D. Ehrlichman
  - Prospects of peace talks
  - Ehrlichman's interpretation
  - Kissinger's quote
- Status of talks
  - McGovern's role
    - Rogers's forthcoming briefing
  - The President's remarks at forthcoming regional meetings
    - Kissinger
- Rogers's briefing
  - Haldeman's view

Domestic issues

- The President's veto of an aging bill
  - Congressional appeals
    - Ehrlichman
  - The President's view
- Aging, urban issues
  - Ehrlichman
    - The President's view
      - Kissinger
- The President's vetoes

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- Water bill
- Ehrlichman's view
  - Signing of bills
    - House Resolution [HR] 1
- Vetoed bills

The President's speeches

- Speech on aging
  - Alternatives
    - Statement
- HR 1
- Schedule
  - Television
  - Radio spot
    - Cancellation
    - Payment for radio time
- TV compared with radio
  - Benefits
    - Raymond K. Price, Jr.
  - Television speech by Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
- Schedule
  - Radio spots

Watergate

- Washington Post* story about Dwight L. Chapin
  - Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] document
    - Chapin
      - Donald H. Segretti
  - Haldeman's denial of involvement
    - Washington Post* retraction
- Chapin story
  - The President's view
- Battle between media and administration
  - Espionage
    - Media charges
      - Chapin
      - Segretti
      - Haldeman
        - Direction of fund
          - Accuracy

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- Lack of evidence
- Prominence of stories

News reports

- Vietnam story
  - Time* magazine
  - Story preparation
  - Chronology
  - 1950

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal returnable]

[Duration:   2m 46s  ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Vietnam

- Negotiations
  - [Kissinger's?] view

Rogers forthcoming briefing on Vietnam

- Notification
  - Colson
- Kissinger
- Vietnam situation
  - Political advantages
  - Public knowledge
  - North Vietnamese
  - Kissinger's negotiation efforts
    - Compared with the People's Republic of China [PRC]
      - Soviet Union
    - Hopes for peace
    - Prospects for talks

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-McGovern  
-Election strategy

Presentation of position on aging Americans  
-Compared with release of statement

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 2m 28s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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[Unintelligible]

Speech schedule

- Urban speech
- Price [?]
- Foreign policy
- Vietnam
- Time
- California

Haldeman left at 10:25 am.

Conversation No. 222-8

Date: October 30, 1972

Time: Unknown between 10:25 am and 10:33 am

Location: Camp David Hard Wire

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The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 152-4]

Conversation No. 222-9

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: 10:33 am - 10:43 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

[See Conversation No. 152-5]

Conversation No. 222-10

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 10:43 am and 10:44 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 152-6]

Conversation No. 222-11

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: 10:44 am - 10:48 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

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



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[See Conversation No. 152-7]

Conversation No. 222-12

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 4:40 pm and 4:58 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

An unknown woman met with Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon.

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

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Mrs. Nixon and unknown woman left at an unknown time before 5:00 pm.

Conversation No. 222-13

Date: October 30, 1972  
Time: 5:00 pm - 5:40 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

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

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The President's schedule

- Chicago trip
- Postponement
- Casualty toll in train accident

Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon entered at an unknown time after 5:00 pm.

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 21s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Mrs. Nixon left at an unknown time before 5:22 pm.

- Henry A. Kissinger
- John D. Ehrlichman

Lighting

Chicago train accident

- Situation
- Postponement of trip
  - The President's view
  - The President's drawing of crowds
  - Media coverage
    - Comparison to Atlanta trip
  - 1968 compared with 1972
  - Security risk
  - Absence during Vietnam settlement
  - Richard B. Ogilvie
  - Charles H. Percy
- Need for Chicago trip

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- Staff opinions
- Motorcade
- Media coverage

Vietnam

- Haldeman's conversation with Kissinger
  - Contingency plan
  - Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
  - North Vietnamese message
    - Kissinger's reaction
      - The President's view
  - Kissinger's meeting with Dobrynin
    - North Vietnamese position
  - Contingency plan for breakdown of talks
    - Strategy
      - The President's possible television message
    - Explanation of negotiation's status
      - North Vietnamese military moves
      - Pham Van Dong's statement
        - Coalition government
          - Understanding
      - North Vietnamese troop disposition
        - Unilateral withdrawal
    - Coalition government
    - Troop withdrawal
    - Cease-fire
    - Coalition government
      - Troop withdrawal
    - Settlement possibilities
      - Timing of settlement
        - Quality of agreement
    - The President's forthcoming speech
      - Future
        - Vietnam
          - Kissinger's view
          - Progress
          - US commitment to peace with honor
- Forthcoming speech
  - Instruction for Haldeman
    - Kissinger

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- Raymond K. Price, Jr.
- Speechwriting
- Length
- Chicago cancellation

The President's schedule

- Alexander P. Butterfield
- Speech scheduling
  - Urban speech
- Nelson A. Rockefeller appointment
  - National Press Club
- John Cardinal Krol
  - Scheduling
- Ehrlichman
  - William T. Cahill call
- Conversation with Ronald W. Reagan
  - House Resolution [HR] 1
    - Welfare provision
    - Results for Reagan
    - Reagan's goals
  - Reagan
    - The President's view

Vietnam

- Press
  - Kissinger's opinion
    - Liberal press
      - Vulnerability
    - Nguyen Van Thieu
  - Contingency for breakdown of talks
    - Response
      - The President's involvement
      - Briefing
      - Television appearance by the President

Issues

- Opinions of Vietnam settlement
  - Albert E. Sindlinger's call to Charles W. Colson
  - Samuel Lubell's previous results
  - John O. Davies's statement about Lubell

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- George H. Gallup poll
- Davies's mail analysis
  - Corruption issue
  - McGovern
  - Democrats

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 1m 58s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 5:00 pm and 5:22 pm.

[Conversation No. 222-13A]

[See Conversation No. 152-8]

[End of telephone conversation]

- Chicago train accident
  - Richard J. Daley's location
  - Percy
    - Blood giving
      - Christian Scientist beliefs
    - The President's view
    - Blood giving
      - Science and Health*

- Vietnam
  - Possible peace settlement
    - Administration efforts
    - Voter support

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- Kissinger
  - William F. Buckley, Jr. column
    - Opinion of settlement
- Coalition government issue
  - Importance
  - Joseph W. Alsop's column
- Agnew speech
  - Scheduling
  - Air time
  - John B. Connally film
- Press relations

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 44s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

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The President talked with Daley between 5:22 pm and 5:23 pm.

[Conversation No. 222-13B]

[See Conversation No. 152-9]

[End of telephone conversation]

Schedule

- Cancellation of the President's Chicago trip
- Daley's cancellation of parade
  - George S. McGovern
- Ogilvie
  - Percy
  - Possible meeting with the President

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- Revenue sharing issue
- Vietnam negotiations

Vietnam negotiations

- Status
- Kissinger's nature
  - The President's view
- Reaction
- Price's draft of speech for the President
  - The President's view
  - Taxes
  - Vietnam
  - Length
    - Filler for remaining time
      - Possible commercial
      - Mrs. Nixon
  - Television exposure
- Possible settlement
  - Liberal media's reaction
    - John Birch Society
  - Public relations
    - Administration strategy
      - Kissinger
        - Need for proper media coverage
          - Ronald L. Ziegler
          - Rogers

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 5:22 pm.

Ehrlichman on the telephone

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 5:40 pm.

The President's schedule

The President left at an unknown time before 5:40 pm.

Haldeman talked with the Camp David operator at an unknown time between 5:22 pm and 5:40 pm.

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Haldeman talked with Ehrlichman at an unknown time between 5:22 pm and 5:40 pm.

[Conversation No. 222-13C]

[See Conversation No. 182-2]

The President entered at an unknown time after 5:22 pm.

[End of telephone conversation]

Common Cause case

- Release of names
- Maurice H. Stans
- Trial date
- Negotiated settlement
  - Stans
  - "Common Cause" people
  - Judge
  - Disclosure of donors
    - Court order
  - Benefits
    - Preclusion of trial continuance before election
    - Preclusion of disclosure of other donors
    - Hugh W. Sloan, Jr. testimony
      - Administration feeling
    - Post-1972 election problem
  - Ehrlichman
  - John W. Dean, III
  - Richard A. Moore
- Disclosure of material
  - Nature of material
    - Donors
      - Richard Scaife
- Reason for Common Cause agreement
  - Stans

Source of Democratic money

- Points to be made
- Loans
  - Perception of loans



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-Names

Vietnam

- Peace negotiations
  - Administration strategy
  - Kissinger
    - Statement
  - Saigon situation
  - Pham Van Dong
  - Coalition government
  - Agreement violations
    - Troop movement
    - Coalition government
    - Troop pullout
    - The President's view

Haldeman left at 5:40 pm.