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Tape Subject Log
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Conversation No. 384-1

Date: December 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 9:55 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown man.

The President's schedule

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 9:55 am.

Conversation No. 384-2

Date: December 10, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 9:55 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 34-27]

Conversation No. 384-3

Date: December 10, 1972
Time: 9:55 am - 10:02 am
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Charles W. Colson.

[See Conversation No. 34-28]

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Conversation No. 384-4

Date: December 10, 1972
Time: 10:01 am - 1:12 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

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

Haldeman's schedule

-Church

National Presbyterian Church

-[Rev. John A. Huffman, Jr.] of Key Biscayne

-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

-Rev. Edward L. R. Elson

-Age

-Effect on the President

Political philosophy

-The President's letter

-Distribution

-Reading

-The President's conversations with John D. Ehrlichman, George P. Shultz

-White House staff

-Views compared to the President's

-Liberalism

-Sexual orientation

-Homosexuality

-Patrick J. Buchanan

-Raymond K. Price, Jr.

-Robert Nisbet article

-Buchanan

-Philosopher in administration

-Cabinet

-White House staff

-Domestic Council

-Henry A. Kissinger

-Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Academic community
- John F. Kennedy
- Assaults
 - Art
 - Music
 - Education
 - “New Left”
 - Pot [Marijuana]
 - Permissiveness
- Cabinet
 - Claude S. Brinegar
 - Robert H. Bork
- Philosopher in administration
 - Price’s view
 - The President’s views
 - The nation’s need
 - Articulation
 - Tactics
- Cabinet
- Bork
 - Possible conversation with the President
 - Compared to Joseph T. Sneed
- Supreme Court
 - William H. Rehnquist
 - Warren E. Burger
 - Tactics
- Social scientists
- Buchanan
- Hobart D. (“Hobe”) Lewis
- Daniel P. (“Pat”) Moynihan

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- Robert S. Strauss
 - Charles W. Colson
 - Democratic National Committee [DNC]
 - Senate

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

-Judaism

John B. Connally, Jr.

- Indecision
 - Switching political parties
- Democratic nomination
 - Chances
- Conversation with Haldeman
- DNC
 - Resignation of Jean Westwood
- The President's strategy

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Second term reorganization

- Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - White House job
 - Ronald L. Ziegler's view
 - Constance M. (Cornell) ("Connie") Stuart
 - Ziegler's conversation with Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
 - Stuart
 - Replacement
 - Ziegler's conversation with the President
 - "Supernumerary" role
 - Richard M. Helms
 - The President's conversation with Mrs. Nixon
- West Wing
 - Lucy A. Winchester's tenure
 - Michael J. Farrell's tenure
 - John E. Nidecker
- Winchester
 - Mrs. Nixon
- Farrell
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Nidecker
 - Retention
 - Relationship with Mrs. Nixon, Julie Nixon Eisenhower

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Winchester
 - Departure
 - Winchester's conversations with Jo Anne (Horton) Haldeman and other administration wives
 - Daughter
- East Wing's relationship with West Wing
- Winchester
 - Job performance
 - Social relations
 - Stephen B. Bull
 - Christmas events
 - Mrs. Nixon
 - Rex W. Scouten
- Farrell
 - Retention
- Nidecker
 - Agency job
 - White House staff cuts
 - Retention
- Farrell
 - Compared to John S. Davies
- Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - White House job
 - Ziegler's assignment
 - Job title
 - Chief of Mrs. Nixon's staff
 - Ziegler's view
 - Assistant to the First Lady
 - Press Secretary
 - Social Secretary
 - Press relations
 - Ziegler's view
- East Wing's relationship with the West Wing
 - Conflict
- Rose Mary Woods
 - Relationship with the staff
 - Bull
 - Alexander P. Butterfield
 - Dwight H. Chapin

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- Haldeman
- Chapin
- Butterfield
- Invitations
- Bull
- Job performance
- Personal life

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[Privacy]

[Duration: 53s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

- Bull
- The President's schedule
- Chief of Protocol
 - Marion H. Smoak
 - Departure
 - [Reynolds] [first name unknown] of California
 - Ambassadorship [to Mexico]
- Smoak
- William R. Codus
- Social affairs
 - Hosts
 - Cabinet officers
 - Dinners
 - Camp David
- Codus
- Reynolds
- Anne L. Armstrong
 - Codus
 - Tobin Armstrong
- Women's jobs
 - [Shah of Iran] Mohammed Reza Pahlvi

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Indira Gandhi
- Golda Meir
- Texas
- Press relations
- Finances
- Residence

Press relations

- Julie Nixon Eisenhower's view
 - Life*
 - Hugh S. Sidey
 - Price's conversation with Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Washington, DC
- Price's view

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

1974 Congressional elections

- Harry S. Dent
- Edward C. Nixon
 - Washington state
 - Traits
 - Political acumen
 - Youth
- Edward R. F. Cox
 - New York
 - Otis G. Pike
 - Nelson A. Rockefeller
 - Traits
- George A. Goodling
 - Departure
 - Hugh Scott
 - Mark Hamburger
- [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II
 - Pennsylvania
 - Public support
 - William W. Scranton

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Frank L. Rizzo
- Colson
- Kenneth R. Cole, Jr. [?]
- Hamburger
- Possible job
 - Nixon Foundation
 - Federal job
 - Bicentennial
 - American Enterprise Institute [AEI]
- Future
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Senate seat
 - Scott

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

The President's schedule

- Meeting with Chapin
 - Timing
 - Purpose
 - 1972 campaign
- Meeting with Gordon C. Strachan
 - US Information Agency [USIA] job
 - Purpose
 - 1972 campaign
- Chapin
 - Work habits

Chapin

- Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Family
- Donald H. Segretti
 - The President's conversation with Julie Nixon Eisenhower

Second term reorganization

- Strachan
- Chapin

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Departure
- Return
- Meeting with the President
 - Possible dinner

E. Howard Hunt, Jr.

- Loss of wife [Dorothy Hunt]
- Letter from the President
- Money
 - Tracing
 - Serial numbers
- Origin

Watergate

- Dorothy Hunt money
 - Origin
 - Payoff money
- Purse
 - Identification
- Amount
- Tracing
 - Howard Hunt
 - Laundering

The President's schedule

- Cabinet dinner
- Cabinet children
 - Church services
 - Christmas

Watergate

- Dorothy Hunt money
 - Tracing
 - Origin
 - Press relations
 - Washington Post*
 - Wire story

Second term reorganization

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Sallyanne Payton
 - Ehrlichman
 - Sneed
 - Justice Department
- Wallace H. Johnson
 - Ehrlichman
 - Law Enforcement Assistance Administration [LEAA]

White House gifts

- White House staff
 - Scouten
 - The President's conversation with Mrs. Nixon
 - Presidential portrait

The President's schedule

- Florida
- California
 - Florida
 - Return to Washington, DC
 - Mrs. Nixon
 - Rose Parade
 - The President's television [TV] viewing
 - Football games
 - The President's role
- Church
 - Mrs. Nixon
 - Press relations
 - New Year's Day
- Vietnam negotiations
 - Kissinger

The President's schedule

- 1973 Inauguration
 - Greek Orthodox priest
 - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
- Oath reading
 - Burger
 - Agnew
 - The President as Vice President

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-William F. Knowland
-1956
-Earl Warren

Second term reorganization

-Need for youth
-Ehrlichman
-Age ranges
-Legacy
-Supreme Court

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 10:01 am.

Pen or pencil

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 11:50 am.

Second term reorganization

-Youth
-Term appointments
-Ehrlichman
-Supreme Court
-Burger
-Lewis F. Powell
-Harry A. Blackmun
-Burger
-Conversations with the President
-Politics
-Under Secretaries
-Ehrlichman
-Assistant Secretaries
-Ethnic groups
-Religious orientation
-Transportation Department
-Frederic V. Malek
-Claude S. Brinegar
-Presumed Catholicism
-Staff work
-Under Secretaries

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Transportation Department
 - Egil G. ("Bud") Krogh, Jr.
 - Ehrlichman
- Interior Department
 - John C. Whitaker
 - Rogers C. B. Morton
- Agriculture Department
 - Clayton K. Yeutter
 - J. Philip Campbell
- Departure
- Leaks

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

- 1974 Congressional elections
 - Edward C. Nixon
 - [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

- Second term reorganization
 - White House job
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Effect on the President

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

- Second term reorganization
 - Woods
 - Job performance
 - Personal relations
 - Confidential memoranda
 - Beverly J. Kaye
 - Compared to Patricia B. McKee
 - Haldeman's office
 - 1972 election
 - Leaks

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- Women
- McKee
 - Relationship with Haldeman
 - San Clemente
- Kaye
 - Access
- Bicentennial Commission
 - Francis J. ("Frank") Sinatra
 - James Roosevelt
 - Chairmanship
 - Effect
 - Roosevelt
 - Sinatra
 - Role
 - Compared to Roosevelt
- Ethnic groups

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

- New political party
 - Name
 - Independents
 - Republicans
 - Federalists
 - George Washington
 - John Adams
 - Independent Republican Party
- Connally

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

- Administration goals
 - Second term
 - Substance
 - Peace

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- Economy
 - Unemployment
- Rebuilding cities
- Ehrlichman's role
- Politics
 - Destruction of liberal establishment
- Buchanan [Nisbet's article]
 - Compared to Richard ("Dick") Wilson's article
 - Distribution
 - Charles W. Colson
- Charles Michelson
- New Majority
- The President's identity
 - Compassion
- New Majority
 - Republican Party
- Rewriting history
 - New Establishment, New Majority
 - Legacy
- Philosophy
 - List of names
 - Bork
 - Buchanan
 - Price

The President's schedule

- Instructions for Ehrlichman
- Shultz

Julie Nixon Eisenhower and [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

- Home in Washington, DC
 - Return
 - March 1973
- David Eisenhower
 - Navy discharge
 - [Cmdr. Craig S. Campbell]
 - John S. D. Eisenhower

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[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

-Future in politics

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

David Eisenhower

-Navy discharge

-Circumstances

-Group

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 11

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 1m 11s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 11

- House location
 - Foxhall Road
 - Available homes
 - Pool
- Haldeman's home
 - Georgetown
 - Neighborhood
 - Yards
 - Foxhall Road
 - Distance from White House
 - Rock Creek Parkway
 - Cost

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

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The President's schedule

- Christmas party
 - Assistant Secretaries
 - Under Secretaries
 - Charles E. Walker
- Cabinet party
 - Round tables
 - Black tie
 - Fred Waring
 - Youth
 - Waring
 - Music
 - Tone

Second term reorganization

- Philosophy
 - Nisbet article
 - Distribution
 - Haldeman's role
- White House staff views
 - Value
 - Memoranda
 - 1972 campaign
 - Goals
- Significance
- White House staff
 - Loyalty
- Public relations [PR]
 - White House staff
 - Watergate
 - Donald H. Segretti
 - Ehrlichman, Haldeman
 - The President's instructions
- Robert J. Dole
 - Sherman Adams comparison

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

-Dwight D. Eisenhower

-Dole

-Conversation with Haldeman

-Chairmanship of Republican National Committee [RNC]

-Bryce N. Harlow

-John W. Dean, III

-John N. Mitchell

William L. Safire's book about administration

-Information

-Vietnam negotiations

-The President's memoir

-Significance of Safire's book

-Psychoanalysis

-Compared to observation

-Woods's cooperation

-Publisher

-Doubleday

Watergate

-Dorothy Hunt

-Money

-Press relations

-Flight to Chicago

-Purpose

-Visit to sister

-Money

-Howard Hunt

-Finances

-Residence

-The President's possible meeting with an unknown person

-Mitchell

-Chapin's knowledge

-Segretti

-Information gathering

-Bugging

-Haldeman's knowledge

-Mitchell's involvement

-New York

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- [John J. ("Jack") Caulfield]
- 1972 campaign
 - Lack of information
 - Tape recordings
 - Primaries
 - Hubert H. Humphrey
 - Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
 - George S. McGovern
 - Haldeman's role
- Jeb Stuart Magruder's involvement
 - G[eorge] Gordon Liddy's version
- Financial information
 - Mitchell
 - Lawrence F. O'Brien, Jr.
- Desire for information
- The President's role
- Bugging targets
 - McGovern, Max M. Kampelman
 - Compared to O'Brien
 - Edward M. Kennedy
 - Edmund G. Muskie
 - Ehrlichman
 - Dean's report
 - Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] knowledge
- Second term reorganization
 - FBI
 - L[ouis] Patrick Gray
 - Replacement

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 55s]

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Watergate

-FBI

-Gray

-Henry E. Petersen

-Gray

-Suitability for the job

-Confirmation

-Bugging

-Colson's knowledge

-Howard Hunt

-Possible problems

-Bernard L. Barker

-Howard Hunt

-Hugh W. Sloan, Jr.

-Segretti affair

-Testimony

-Chapin

-Strachan

-Dean's view

-Chapin

-Knowledge

-Compared to Strachan

-Strachan's knowledge

-Mitchell's knowledge

-Liddy

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Democratic Party

-Strauss

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Connally
- Humphrey
- Edmund S. Muskie
- Jackson

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Second term reorganization

- Defense Department
 - Elliot L. Richardson
 - Symbolism
 - Conservatives
 - Confirmation
 - Conversation with Haldeman
 - Richardson's meeting with the President
 - Kissinger
 - Jonathan Moore, Laurence E. ("Larry") Lynn, Jr.
 - Lynn
 - Systems analysis
 - Moore
 - Conservatives
 - Richardson
 - Lynn's resignation
 - Cambodia invasion
 - Moore
 - Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW]
- Gen. Robert E. Pursely
- Richardson
 - Possible meeting with the President, Kissinger, William P. Clements, Jr.
 - TACAIR
 - Systems analysis
- Melvin R. Laird
- The President's possible meeting with Richardson, Clements
 - Research and development [R & D]
- Frederick B. Irving [?]
- European Economic Community [EEC]

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- James D. Hodgson
- Geneva
- Peter G. Peterson
- Staff
- William D. Eberle
- EEC
- Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development [OECD]

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr. at an unknown time between 10:01 am and 11:50 am.

[Conversation No. 384-4A]

Request for a meeting with Haig

[End of telephone conversation]

Second term reorganization

- Joseph A. Greenwald
- EEC
 - Peter M. Flanigan recommendation
 - State Department
 - Acting Assistant Secretary for Economic Affairs
- Background
 - OECD
 - Paris
 - Age
 - Education
 - University of Chicago
 - Georgetown University
 - Religion
 - Jewish
 - Mary Virginia (Doyle) Greenwald
 - Catholicism
 - Foreign Service
 - 1941
 - Economic affairs
 - Dwight Eisenhower
 - John F. Kennedy

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Lyndon B. Johnson
 - State Department
 - Office of International Trade
 - Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Trade
- Loyalty, competence
- OECD
- EEC
 - Hodgson
- National Security Council [NSC]
- Flanigan
- Treasury Department
- Donald H. Rumsfeld

Haig entered at 11:50 am.

Greetings

- Haig's rank

Vietnam negotiations

- Haig's meeting with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
- Meetings with North Vietnamese
 - Details
 - Delays
 - Kissinger's messages
 - US bombing
 - The President's conversations with Kissinger
 - Possible breakdown of talks
- North Vietnamese positions
 - Issues
 - Demands
 - December 9, 1972
 - Article I
 - US civilian technicians
 - Demilitarized Zone [DMZ]
 - DMZ
 - Second Paris Round
 - Existence
 - Honor
 - Movement of personnel

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

-Effect

- Nguyen Van Thieu
- Meeting
 - Duration
- Thieu
- Settlement agreement
 - Signing
- DMZ
 - Importance of issue
 - Compromise
 - North Vietnam
 - Thieu
 - Haig's conversation with Dobrynin
 - Compromise
 - North Vietnam
 - Thieu
 - Dobrynin's messages
 - North Vietnam's positions
 - Settlement agreement
 - Soviet Union
 - Settlement agreement
- Settlement agreement
 - Compromise
 - Normalization of North Vietnam-South Vietnam relations
 - DMZ
 - Personnel movement
 - Civilians
 - Authorization
 - Thieu
- Kissinger
- Thieu
- Le Duc Tho
 - Delays
 - Experts
 - Health
- Kissinger
- Dobrynin
- Settlement agreement
 - North Vietnamese language

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- DMZ
 - Compromise
- The President's view
- Haig's view
 - Compromise
- US options
 - Breakdown in talks
 - The President's possible television [TV] appearance
 - US bombing
- Haig's possible call to Dobrynin

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 11:50 am and 12:04 pm.

[See Conversation No. 34-29]

[Conversation No. 384-4B]

[End of telephone conversation]

- Vietnam negotiations
 - Settlement agreement
 - Thieu
 - Possible meeting with Agnew
 - Agnew's schedule
 - Dallas
 - North Vietnam
 - Changes

The President talked with Dobrynin between 12:04 pm and an unknown time before 12:55 pm.

[See Conversation No. 34-30]

[Conversation No. 384-4C]

[End of telephone conversation]

- Vietnam negotiations
 - Meeting

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Postponement
 - Instructions to Kissinger
 - Message from the President
 - Breakdown in talks
- US options
 - US bombing
 - “Hawks”
 - Kissinger’s meetings
 - [David] Kenneth Rush
 - Laird
- 1972 election
 - Pre-election efforts
 - Compared to post-election efforts
 - US bombing
 - Settlement agreement
 - Effect
 - Expectations
- Haig’s and Kissinger’s efforts
 - Progress
 - October 8, 1972 agreement
- Thieu
- Kissinger’s cable
 - North Vietnam
- South Vietnam
 - Army
- Problems
 - Kissinger
 - North Vietnam
 - Settlement agreement
 - Cease-fire
 - Maintenance
 - Violations
 - US response
 - Bombing
 - Message to Kissinger
 - Adm. Thomas E. Moorer
 - B-52s
 - Civilian casualties
- US public opinion

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- US bombing
 - South Vietnam
 - Kissinger
 - Settlement agreement
 - Provocation
 - Cambodia
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Congressional relations
- Prisoners of War [POWs]
- Thieu
 - Settlement agreement
 - Provocation
 - October 8, 1972 agreement
 - “Trip wires”
 - Congressional relations
 - DMZ
 - North Vietnam
 - Civilian movement
 - Korea

Second term reorganization

- Edgar A. Buttari
 - Kissinger
 - Background
 - Cuban ambassador
 - Cubans for Nixon
- Ambassadorship to Latin America
- Fidel Castro

US-Cuba relations

- Castro
- Hijacking agreement
 - Negotiations
 - Shultz [?]
 - Ziegler's statement
- Ziegler's statement
- Castro

US-Chile relations

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- Salvador Allende Gossens
 - United Nations [UN] statement
 - Planned dinner
 - Cancellation
 - U. Alexis Johnson
 - New York
 - State Department
 - Johnson

Second term reorganization

- Ambassador to South Vietnam
 - Graham A. Martin
 - Johnson
 - Martin
 - Kissinger
 - Wall Street Journal*
 - Johnson
 - Upper Chad
- Johnson
 - Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT] delegation
- Arms Control and Disarmament Agency [ACDA]
 - Budget cuts
 - Secor D. Browne
- SALT delegation
 - Johnson
- ACDA
 - Staff cuts
 - Appropriation cut
 - Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
 - State Department
 - Defense Department
 - White House
 - Domestic Council
- White House
 - Staff cuts
 - NSC
 - Kissinger
 - Domestic Council
 - Kissinger

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Agnew's and Haig's possible trip to Saigon
 - Paris
 - Settlement agreement
 - Timing
 - Ehrlichman's view
 - The President's possible role
 - [Thieu]
 - Purpose
 - Thieu
 - Negotiations
 - “Hawks”
 - Congressional relations
 - Economic and military aid
 - Kissinger
 - Haig's possible conversation with Agnew
 - Haig's conversation with Agnew
 - Liberals
 - “Hawks”
 - Negotiations
 - Ehrlichman's view
 - Compared to the President's 1953 trip to South Korea
 - Dwight Eisenhower
 - Syngman Rhee
 - The President's conversation with Rhee
 - US aid
 - Settlement agreement
 - Enforcement
 - US intervention
 - The President's commitment
 - 1972 election
 - Schedule
 - Thieu
 - Kissinger's schedule
 - Paris
 - Settlement agreement
 - Seoul, Bangkok, Vientiane, Hanoi
 - Saigon
 - Thieu

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Washington, DC
 - Announcement
- The President's schedule
 - California
 - Florida
- Kissinger's press relations
- Vacation
 - Football game
- California
 - Christmas
 - Florida
 - Mrs. Nixon
- Possible meeting with Thieu at Midway
 - Timing
 - Congressional reconvention
- Florida

Vietnam negotiations

- The President's conversation with Dobrynin
 - Kissinger
 - Breakdown in talks
 - DMZ
 - Compromise
 - Civilian movement
- Agnew
 - Possible meeting with the President
 - Timing
 - Settlement agreement
 - Kissinger
 - Possible trip to Saigon
 - Kissinger's concern
 - Secretary of State
 - Opinions
- Status and instructions for Kissinger
 - Ziegler's statement
 - The President's meetings with Haig
 - The President's schedule
- The President's schedule
 - California

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Florida
- The President's family
- Football game
- Hawaii
- Thieu
- Breakdown
 - The President's possible TV statement
 - Kissinger
 - Advisability
 - Cambodia
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Provocation
- Thieu
- Ehrlichman's view
- Cessation of US bombing, mining and withdrawal of US forces
 - Return of POWs
 - US economic and military aid to South Vietnam
 - Reparations
- US-North Vietnam bilateral deal
- Thieu
 - US aid
 - Tenure
 - Agnew's view
- South Vietnam's survival
- Communism
 - Prospects
 - Greece
 - East Germany
 - West Germany
- Settlement agreement
 - Kissinger
 - DMZ
 - Compromise
 - Thieu's acceptance
 - Chances

Haig left at 12:55 pm.

Congressional relations

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- Gerald R. Ford, Hugh Scott
- State of the Union message
 - Ehrlichman
 - Kissinger
 - The President's schedule
 - Informal welcome
 - Timing
 - Announcement
 - Written message
 - 1973 Inauguration
 - Separate houses
 - House of Representatives, Senate
 - Informal joint session
 - 1973 Inauguration
 - TV
 - Press relations
 - The President's remarks
- Kissinger

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 12:55 pm.

Delivery

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 1:12 pm.

Helene (Colesie) Drown

- The President's schedule
- 1972 election
- White House staff
- Watergate
- Administration decisions
- The President's conversation with Mrs. Nixon

1972 election

- News summary
- Analysis
 - Staff meeting

Press relations

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- The President's conversation with Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Robert D. Novak
 - Associated Press [AP] article
 - Colson's office

Raymond K. Price, Jr.

Second term reorganization

- John A. Scali
 - Rogers
 - Peter J. Brennan
 - Relationship
 - Ziegler
 - Ehrlichman
 - Moynihan
- Mitchell
 - Attorney General
 - Gray
 - Confirmation
 - Mitchell's view
 - Relationship with the President
 - Robert H. Bork
 - Compared to Joseph T. Sneed
 - Busing

[Pause]

Kissinger's press relations

- [Oriana Fallaci] interview
 - Possible suit
 - Haig's report
 - Justifications
 - Fallaci's importance
 - Request of Italian ambassador
 - Fallaci's attractiveness

Vietnam negotiations

- Kissinger
 - Judgement
 - Plan

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Conversation No. 384-4 (cont'd)

- The President's conversation with Haig
- The President's second term
- Laird
- Conversation with the President
 - US bombing
 - Reaction
 - Press relations
 - Students
 - Congressional relations
 - Press relations

Butterfield entered at an unknown time after 12:55 pm.

The President's physical examination

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 1:12 pm.

The President's physical examination

- Gen. Walter R. Tkach
- Vital signs
 - Heart, blood pressure
- Duration

Personnel

- Kissinger
 - Need for support
 - Mood
- Clark MacGregor
- PR
 - Ehrlichman
 - Dent
 - Compared to Peterson
 - Peterson
 - Brennan
 - Shultz
 - Substance
 - Foreign policy
 - Richard A. Moore
 - George H. W. Bush
 - Moore

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- Public Information Officers [PIOs]
- Ehrlichman
- Haldeman's role

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Republican Part

- Brock
- Bush
- Republican National Committee [RNC] Chairman
- Office location
- Agnew

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Second term reorganization

- Effect
- Government responsiveness to the President
- Politics
- PR
- Substance
- First term

US defense strategy

- Richardson's recent meeting with Haldeman
- Kissinger
- Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson's recommendation
- Congress
- Enemies, allies
- Administration knowledge
- Cutbacks
- Buildups

US domestic strategy

- Philosopher in administration
- Price's view

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- Irving Kristol
- Nisbet
- Philosophy, compared to strategy
- Russell A. Kirk
- Effect of 1972 election
 - Scott
 - Barry M. Goldwater
 - Carl B. Albert
 - Change
 - Majority

Second term reorganization

- Herbert G. Klein
 - Telephone calls
- State Department
 - Kissinger
- Richardson
 - Meeting with Haldeman
- Kissinger
 - Haig

Speechwriters

- Instructions
 - Ehrlichman
 - 1973 Inaugural message
 - W. Bruce Herschensohn
 - Price
 - Herschensohn
 - The President's schedule
 - Price
 - Buchanan
 - Safire
- Adam Bakshian
- John K. Andrews, Jr.
- Lee W. Huebner
- The President's view
 - Price
 - Andrews
 - Bakshian
- 1973 Inaugural address

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- Safire
- Vermont Royster
- Letter

Second term reorganization

- White House staff
 - Attitude
 - Cuts
- 1972 election
 - Congress
- John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
 - John E. Nidecker
 - The President's family
 - Role
 - Greetings
 - The President's box
 - National Park Service [NPS]
- NPS
 - Ronald H. Walker
 - Department of Agriculture
 - George B. Hartzog, Jr.

Haldeman left at 1:12 pm.

Conversation No. 384-5

Date: December 14, 1972

Time: Unknown between 1:39 pm and 2:09 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

The President's schedule

- 1973 Inauguration
- Meeting with Kissinger and Alexander M Haig, Jr.
 - Timing

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Conversation No. 384-6

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:39 pm and 2:09 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

The President's schedule
-Nap

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:09 pm.

Conversation No. 384-7

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:39 pm and 2:09 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Christmas tree
-Instructions
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
-Julie Nixon Eisenhower
-Decorations
-Florida

An unknown person entered and left at an unknown time before 2:09 pm.

Request for a meeting with Charles W. Colson

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:09 pm.

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Conversation No. 384-8

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:39 pm and 2:09 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 34-77]

Conversation No. 384-9

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: 2:09 pm - 2:10 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with William E. Timmons.

[See Conversation No. 34-78]

Conversation No. 384-10

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: Unknown between 2:10 pm and 2:15 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Charles W. Colson's schedule
-The President's call to Colson

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:15 pm.

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Conversation No. 384-11

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: Unknown between 2:10 pm and 2:15 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

The President's schedule
-Meeting with Charles W. Colson
-Timing

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:15 pm.

Conversation No. 384-12

Date: December 14, 1972
Time: 2:15 pm - 3:24 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Charles W. Colson.

Colson's schedule
-Reception for 1972 election supporters

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Reception for 1972 election supporters
-Julie Nixon Eisenhower
-Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
-Maurice H. Stans
-Atmosphere
-Mrs. Fred Gaultieri
-Admiration for the President
-Blair House dinner
-Peter J. Brennan

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Conversation No. 384-12 (cont'd)

- Wife
- Speech
 - Description of the President
 - Reaction
- Martin J. Ward
 - Support for the Democratic Party
 - United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry
 - Chicago
 - Patricia Colson
- Frank L. Rizzo
- Invitations
- John Madigan
- Charles Snider
 - George C. Wallace
 - Traits
 - Background
 - Construction business
 - Wallace
- New Majority
 - New political party
 - John B. Connally
 - The President's schedule
 - Ray Mosley
 - Brennan
 - Loyalty
 - Joseph Staozak
 - Maryland
 - Charles McC. Mathias, Jr.
 - Republican Party
 - Handshake

Republican Party

- George H. W. Bush
- William E. Brock, III
- Clarence J. ("Bud") Brown, Jr.
- Candidate recruitment
 - Age
- Young Republicans
 - Attitude

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Conversation No. 384-12 (cont'd)

- Complaints
- Labor

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Henry A. Kissinger and Alexander M. Haig, Jr. entered at 2:30 pm.

Vietnam negotiations

- North Vietnamese delays
 - Congressional relations
 - US aid cut off
- 1972 election
- Peace expectations
- Le Duc Tho
 - Breakdown in talks
- North Vietnam's position
 - Cease-fire
 - Supervision
 - New invasion
- Imposition of Communist government in South Vietnam
- Tactics
 - Effect
- US position
 - Nguyen Van Thieu
 - Total victory
 - Cease-fire
 - Prisoners of War [POWs]
 - Elections
 - Settlement agreement
 - US public opinion
 - Enforcement
- Thieu
 - Press relations
 - Liberals
 - Breakdown in talks
- North Vietnam's position
 - Settlement agreement
 - Timing

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Conversation No. 384-12 (cont'd)

- Exchange of messages
- The President
 - Christmas
 - 1973 Inauguration
 - Congressional reconvention
 - Peace
 - US military action
- Settlement agreement
 - Explanation of status, terms
 - Tone
- US mining and bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - October 26, 1972 cessation
 - Reason
 - Settlement agreement
 - Signing
 - Lack of announcement
 - Reseeding of mines
 - Reconnaissance
 - Hanoi
 - Targets
 - Power plants, marshaling yards, communications
 - Duration
 - Congressional reconvention
 - US public opinion
 - Congressional relations
 - Michael J. Mansfield amendment
 - The President's meeting with Hugh Scott and William E. Timmons
 - US withdrawal
 - Timing
 - POWs
 - Vietnamization
 - Settlement agreement
 - US aid to South Vietnam
 - Cessation of US bombing, mining, US withdrawal
 - POWs
 - Thieu's tenure
 - Communist government
 - 1972 election
 - Peace with honor

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- George S. McGovern
- Continuation of bombing
 - POWs
- Amendments
- Senate, House of Representatives
- US public opinion
 - Peace expectations
 - North Vietnam
 - Draft
 - College campuses
 - Colson's trip to Princeton University
 - Parties
 - Harvard University
 - Brown University
 - Louis P. Harris poll
 - Syracuse, New York
 - 1972 election
 - POWs
 - North Vietnam-South Vietnam fighting
 - Taxes
 - Draft
 - US pilots
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Effect
 - Peace with honor
 - The President's possible statement
 - Nuclear war
 - "Doves"
 - "Hawks"
 - Antiwar sentiment
 - McGovern

Colson left at 2:45 pm.

- Planning
 - Kissinger's forthcoming meeting with Melvin R. Laird
 - [David] Kenneth Rush, Adm. Thomas H. Moorer
 - Meeting with Kissinger
 - Meeting with the President
 - Camp David

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- B-52s
 - Number
- The President's schedule
 - Europe
- Duration
- North Vietnam's tactics
 - Kissinger's meetings
 - Record
 - POWs protocol
 - Civilian detainees
 - National Council of National Reconciliation and Concord [NCRC]
 - Kissinger's press conference
- The President's meeting with Kissinger
 - Timing
 - William P. Rogers
 - Moorer
 - Reception
 - Location
 - Executive Office Building [EOB]
 - Timing
- Congressional relations
 - Scott
 - Congressional reconvention
 - Vietnamization
 - North Vietnam-South Vietnam relations
 - US-South Vietnam relations
 - Communists-North Vietnam relations
 - US withdrawal
 - Cessation of US bombing, mining
 - POWs
 - Timing
 - Mansfield Amendment
 - Scott
 - Mansfield Amendment
 - US military activities
 - Cut off of funds
 - Nixon Doctrine
- The President's possible statement
 - Tone

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- Public opinion
 - Republican, Democrats
- Timing
- Duration
- 1972 election
 - Effect of the President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - The President's November 3, 1969 speech
 - Public opinion
 - Colson's view
 - Pre-election proposals
 - Allies
 - POWs
 - Rejection
- Kissinger's press conference, October 26, 1972
 - North Vietnamese offensive
 - Timing
 - Cease-fire
 - Coalition government
- William F. ("Billy") Graham's conversation with [Shah of Iran] Mohammed Reza Pahlavi
- October 1972
 - Kissinger's efforts
- Settlement agreement
 - Protocols
 - Duration and violations
 - US bombing, mining north of 20th Parallel
- The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - US-Soviet Union summit
- US bombing, mining north of 20th Parallel
 - People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Soviet Union
- Kissinger's press conference
 - Peace with honor
- North Vietnam's position
- US bombing, mining north of 20th Parallel
 - Haig mission
 - Timing
 - Thieu
 - Settlement agreement
 - Enforcement

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-Continuation of war
-US aid

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