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**Tape Subject Log**  
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Conversation No. 931-1

Date: June 4, 1973

Time: 8:12 am - 8:34 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

President's schedule  
-Staff meeting

Event

- Israel
- Danny Kaye
  - Speech
  - Statements about President
    - Compliments
      - President's conduct at John Ford Dinner
  - Support for President
    - Kaye's personal politics
  - Audience
- Haig's conversation

Melvin R. Laird

- William J. Baroody, Jr.'s forthcoming call to Haig
- Position on White House staff
  - Bryce N. Harlow's opinion
  - Additional candidates
  - Experience with the administration
  - Trustworthiness

Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] director position

- [Clarence M. Kelley]
- Timing of announcement
  - Laird announcement

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White House staff

- Laird, Peter G. Peterson [?]
- Internal White House decisions

Watergate

- John W. Dean, III
  - Records
    - David C. Hoopes's possible reproduction
    - Restrictions on use
      - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman and John D. Ehrlichman
- Haig's conversation with Hugh Scott, June 3
- Dean
  - Records
    - Hoopes
      - Conversations with President
        - Dates
          - Ronald Ziegler
        - President's recollections
      - Statement concerning meetings with President
      - White House response to press story
        - Ziegler
      - Responses by Haldeman and Ehrlichman
- Meetings with President
  - Ehrlichman and Haldeman
  - February 27, 28, 1973
    - Ziegler
- Records
  - Hoopes
  - Haldeman

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 8:12 am.

Ziegler's attendance at meeting

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 8:34 am.

Watergate news summary

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- Dean's statements
  - William Buckley, Jr.'s [?] column
  - Veracity
- Dean
  - Statements
    - Documents
    - Press coverage
    - Motives
    - President's response
  - Conversations concerning investigations
    - Haldeman, Ehrlichman
    - President
      - Executive privilege
      - Bugging President's plane in 1968
        - Lyndon B. Johnson
        - William Sullivan
    - White House response
- Clark Clifford's statement
  - Resignations of President and Spiro T. Agnew
  - Democrats
- Popular opinion
- Testimony of Robert E. Cushman, Jr. and Lt. Gen. Vernon A. Walters
  - White House involvement in cover-up
- Walters's memoranda of conversations [memcons]
  - Leak to *New York Times*
- President's opponents' strategy
  - Clifford
  - Paul N. McCloskey, Jr.
    - Statement concerning President's impeachment
  - Governors
    - Linwood Holton
  - Possible effect
  - White House response
  - President's impeachment
    - McCloskey
  - Walters's memcons
    - New York Times* coverage compared to *Washington Post*

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- Dean
  - New York Times*
  - Revelation of Huston Plan
- Press coverage
  - News summary
- Popular opinion
  - National Broadcasting Corporation [NBC] poll
  - Ervin Committee hearings
  - David Brinkley's mail
  - Conversation with Henry A. Kissinger [?]
- Haig
  - Effect on career
- Dean
  - Possible future revelations
  - Meetings with President
    - \$1,000,000
      - President's call to Haldeman on June 3
      - Haldeman's recollections
      - Las Vegas
  - Clemency
    - Time
  - President's response
    - Tape
  - President's motive
- White House response

Ronald Ziegler entered at 8:29 am.

Watergate news summary

- Dean
  - Chronology of meetings with President
  - Haldeman's recollection
  - Log

Ziegler left at an unknown time before 8:33 am.

Watergate news summary

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- Dean
  - Records
    - Copies, originals
    - Possible examination by President
      - Hoopes
    - Knowledge of location

Ziegler entered at an unknown time after 8:29 am.

Watergate news summary

- Dean
  - Chronology of meetings with President
    - February 28, March 1, 1973
    - March 2, 1973 press conference
  - Records
    - Originals
    - Memoranda
      - Dean's dictation
      - Ziegler

Ziegler left at 8:33 am.

Watergate news summary

- President's position
- White House response
  - Records
  - Ehrlichman

Laird

- Possible role on White House staff
  - William D. Ruckelshaus
  - Haig's assessment of candidates
- President's appointment strategy
  - Congressional questioning of appointee

The President and Haig left at 8:34 am.

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Conversation No. 931-3

Date: June 5, 1973  
Time: Unknown between 8:12 am and 8:38 am  
Location: Oval Office

Unknown persons met.

Greeting  
Location

The unknown persons left at an unknown time before 8:38 am.

Conversation No. 931-2

Date: June 5, 1973  
Time: 8:28 am - 8:38 a.m.  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Watergate

- Hugh Scott's forthcoming statement on wiretaps, June 5th
- President's forthcoming meeting with Congressional leaders
- President's forthcoming meeting with Gerald R. Ford and Scott
- Preparation
- Tone and content
- Numbers and character
  - Newsmen
- Elliott L. Richardson
- Newsmen

John B. Connally

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Conversation No. 931-2 (cont'd)

- Schedule
- Conversation with Haig, June 4th
  - Forthcoming statement
  - Tone
- Role on White House staff
  - Energy, economics [?]
  - Importance
  - Melvin R. Laird
  - Frequency of work
    - Intensity
    - Conversation in coming months
  - Significance
- Conversation with Haig
  - Controversy
  - Top-level advisory
  - Conflict of interest
  - James R. ("Jimmy") Hoffa

Watergate

- News summary
- John W. Dean, III
  - Television coverage
- London Times* story, June 5, 1973
  - US press coverage

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President's schedule

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 8:38 am.

Watergate

- London Times* story
- Dean
  - Statement concerning meetings with President
  - White House response
- Release of logs

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- Legal questions
  - Ronald L. Ziegler
- Archibald Cox
- Cox
  - Possible resignation
  - Reason
  - Ervin Committee
- Richardson
  - Statement
    - Haig's forthcoming call
  - Dean's resignation
  - Dean's files
  - Actions
  - Reasons

White House staff

- Laird
  - Announcement
- Peter G. Peterson
  - Recommendations for announcements
  - Build-up

Watergate

- Figures [on wiretaps]
  - [Scott]
  - Scott's forthcoming statement
  - Request for figures

The President and Haig left at 8:38 am.