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Conversation No. 169-1

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: Unknown between 9:33 pm and 9:58 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Henry A. Kissinger

Conversation No. 169-2

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: 9:58 pm - 10:07 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

Memorandum
-Policy recommendations
-Delivery

Leonid I. Brezhnev
-Meeting with President
-Vodka
-Friendship
-Conversations with Kissinger
-Relationship with President
-Friendship
-Admiration
-Mao Tse-tung
-Negotiations
-Meeting with President

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Conversation No. 169-2 (cont'd)

- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]-People's Republic of China [PRC] relations
- Kissinger's conversation with PRC
- Sequoia*
 - Meeting with USSR officials
 - Atmosphere
- Schedule
 - Camp David meetings, June 29, 1973
 - Organization
 - Private meetings between Brezhnev and President
 - Viktor M. Sukhodrev and President
 - President, Anatoliy F. Dobrynin, Kissinger
 - William P. Rogers, Andrei A. Gromyko
 - Dobrynin and Kissinger
 - Meetings with President
 - Washington, Camp David, San Clemente
 - Meetings, June 20, 1973
- Conversation with President

Watergate

- Brezhnev's wish for President's reelection
- President's possible resignation
 - Spiro T. Agnew
 - Kissinger's assessment

Brezhnev's visit

- Preparation
 - Kissinger and Dobrynin
- Watergate
 - Insignificance compared to diplomacy

Watergate

- President's opponents
- Brezhnev's visits
 - Negotiations
 - Peace
- John W. Dean, III

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Conversation No. 169-2 (cont'd)

- Handling of funds
 - J. Fred Buzhardt, Jr.'s conversation with Kissinger

Brezhnev's visit

- Relations with President
- Hubert H. Humphrey
 - Ability to handle negotiations
 - Arrangement of summit meetings
- President's previous actions
 - Cien Fuegos
 - Jordan
 - May 8, 1972 speech
 - President's meeting with Brezhnev at Dacha in 1972
 - President's actions
- Value to Brezhnev
 - Coexistence with West
 - Summit schedule
 - Relations with PRC

Chou En-lai

- Visit to US

President's schedule

- USSR, PRC

Brezhnev's visit

- Schedule

Conversation No. 169-3

Date: June 19, 1973

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Location: Camp David Study Table

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Conversation No. 169-3 (cont'd)

Request for telephone call
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
-Location
-Robert H. Abplanalp
-New York

[Pause]

Conversation No. 169-4

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: Unknown between 10:07 pm and 11:05 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Julie Nixon Eisenhower

Conversation No. 169-5

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: 11:05 pm - 11:10 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The Camp David operator talked to the President.

Request for telephone call
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
-Julie Nixon Eisenhower

The President talked with Julie Nixon Eisenhower.

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Conversation No. 169-5 (cont'd)

Julie's schedule

- An unknown group
 - Friendliness
- A group of scholars
 - Friendliness

President's schedule

- Leonid I. Brezhnev visit
 - Car
 - Sequoia*
 - Relationship with President
 - Significance
 - Future of world
 - Watergate
 - Importance of summit
 - Response of Soviet Union press
 - Political violence
 - Right-wing conspiracy

Julie's schedule

- Meeting with unknown group
 - Friendliness
 - Speech by Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Topics
 - Business
 - Free enterprise
 - Trade with People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Brezhnev's visit
 - Significance
 - Length
 - Reception

President's schedule

- Brezhnev visit
 - Watergate
 - Insignificance

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Conversation No. 169-5 (cont'd)

- San Clemente
- Sequoia*
- Camp David
- Dogwood lodge

[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

- Discouragement
- A speech to Jaycees

Watergate

- John W. Dean, III
- Handling of funds
 - Public opinion
 - New York Times* story, June 19, 1973
 - Seymour M. Hersh

David Eisenhower

- President's greeting

Conversation No. 169-6

Date: June 19, 1973

Time: Unknown between 11:10 pm and 11:16 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call

- Henry A. Kissinger

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Conversation No. 169-7

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: Unknown between 11:10 pm and 11:16 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The Camp David operator talked with the President.

Request for telephone call
-Henry A. Kissinger

Conversation No. 169-8

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: Unknown between 11:10 pm and 11:16 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Nellie L. Yates

Conversation No. 169-9

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: Unknown between 11:16 pm and 11:28 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The Camp David operator talked with the President.

Nellie L. Yates
-Location

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Conversation No. 169-10

Date: June 19, 1973
Time: 11:28 pm - 11:29 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Nellie L. Yates.

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Deed of gift privacy]
[Duration: 1m 15s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Conversation No. 169-11

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 9:22 am and 9:27 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

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Conversation No. 169-11 (cont'd)

Request for telephone call
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

Conversation No. 169-12

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 9:22 am and 9:27 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
Henry A. Kissinger

Conversation No. 169-13

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: 9:27 am - 9:30 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit

- Schedule
 - Kissinger's conversation with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - Presentation of gift
 - Automobile
 - Arrangements
 - President's presentation
 - Kissinger's conversation with Dobrynin
 - President, Dobrynin, Kissinger and Brezhnev
 - Agreements
 - President and Brezhnev

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Conversation No. 169-13 (cont'd)

- Private meeting
- Plenary session
 - Dobrynin, Kissinger, Brezhnev
 - Arrangements
- Kissinger's paper
 - Goals for summit
- Schedule
 - Dobrynin
 - President's schedule

Conversation No. 169-14

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 9:30 am and 9:38 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for meeting
-Ronald L. Ziegler

Conversation No. 169-15

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 9:30 am and 9:38 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

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Conversation No. 169-16 (cont'd)

Conversation No. 169-16

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: 9:38 am - 9:42 am

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Greetings

Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit

-Schedule

-Duration of meetings

Melvin R. Laird

-Conversation with Haig

-Wire service story concerning Securities and Exchange Commission [SEC] investigation in New York

-[First name unknown] Ball

-Intervention

-Defense Department [?]

-Lunch meeting

-Ronald L. Ziegler's possible response

Spiro T. Agnew

-Maryland investigation

-Telephone calls to Haig

-Bryce N. Harlow

-Haig's conversation with George H. W. Bush

-Glenn J. Beall, Jr.'s response

-J. Fred Buzhardt, Jr.'s conversation with Elliot L. Richardson

-Report of intimidating actions

-Agnew

-Role of Attorney General

-Watergate investigation

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Conversation No. 169-16 (cont'd)

Watergate

- John W. Dean, III
- Stories concerning Ervin Committee
 - Ziegler
 - Leaks
- Possible immunity
 - Archibald Cox
- Ziegler
- President's use of Internal Revenue Service [IRS], Democrats' use
- IRS investigation of Larry O'Brien
- Buzhardt

Conversation No. 169-17

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: Unknown between 9:42 am and 11:21 am

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for meeting

- Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Conversation No. 169-18

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: Unknown between 9:42 am and 11:21 am

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call

- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

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Conversation No. 169-18 (cont'd)

-Location
-Florida

Conversation No. 169-19

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 11:21 am and 11:24 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Henry A. Kissinger

Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo's schedule
-Arrival

President's schedule
-Meetings
-Return telephone call to Rebozo

Conversation No. 169-20

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: 11:24 am - 11:25 am
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

Kissinger's schedule
-Meetings

President's schedule

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Conversation No. 169-20 (cont'd)

-Meeting with Soviet Union officials

Conversation No. 169-21

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: Unknown between 11:25 am and 11:55 am

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call

-Ronald L. Ziegler

Conversation No. 169-22

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: 11:58 am - 12:02 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Ronald L. Ziegler.

Watergate

-Ziegler's conversation with J. Fred Buzhardt, Jr.

-Tape of Charles W. Colson and E. Howard Hunt, Jr.

-John W. Dean, III's conversation with Colson, December 1972

-Clemency offer

-Dean

-Tapes

-Colson's tape

-Buzhardt's view

-Dean

-Handling of funds

-Press coverage

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Conversation No. 169-22 (cont'd)

- Ervin Committee
 - Refusal to appear in executive session
- Handling of funds
 - Buzhardt
 - Probity of H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman and Colson
 - Time* and *Washington Post*, Walter L. Cronkite, Jr.
 - Network coverage
 - Forthcoming letter from Committee to Re-Elect the President [CRP]
 - Buzhardt

Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit

- Schedule
- Meeting with President
- Coverage

Conversation No. 169-23

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: Unknown between 12:02 pm and 12:20 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call

- Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Conversation No. 169-24

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: 12:20 pm - 12:22 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

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Conversation No. 169-24 (cont'd)

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Leonid I. Brezhnev's schedule
-Meeting time

Haig's calls
-George P. Shultz
-Meeting
-Nikolai S. Patolichev
-Melvin R. Laird

John B. Connally
-Press conference
-National economy
-Role in White House staff
-Haig's assessment
-Economic focus
-San Clemente
-Economic meeting
-Advice to President

Jonathan Moore
-Telephone call from Haig

Connally
-Press conference

Conversation No. 169-25

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 12:22 pm and 12:29 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

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Conversation No. 169-25 (cont'd)

Request for telephone call
-Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Conversation No. 169-26

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: 12:29 pm - 12:31 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Melvin R. Laird

- President's conversation with Haig
- Role on White House staff
 - Economic advising
 - Statements
- John B. Connally
- Meetings with Congressmen
 - Congressional reaction
 - Reports

George P. Shultz

- Schedule
 - Meeting with Soviet Union officials

Elliot L. Richardson

- Haig's conversation with Moore
- President's assessment
- Conversation with J. Fred Buzhardt, Jr.
 - Spiro T. Agnew
 - Richardson's knowledge of events

Agnew investigation

- Haig's conversation with Moore

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Richardson
-Investigatory methods

Conversation No. 169-27

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: Unknown between 12:31 pm and 12:51 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

Conversation No. 169-28

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: 3:28 pm - 3:31 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo.

Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit
-Camp David
-Negotiations
-Press coverage
-Watergate

Watergate
-Howard Hughes contribution
-“Calhoun” [nickname of unknown person] [attorney]
-Conversation with Rebozo
-Package from Rebozo

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-Attorney
-Meeting with Kenneth Gemmill, June 21, 1973

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

[Begin conferral]

Entrance

[End conferral]

Watergate

- “Calhoun”
- Rebozo’s attempts to locate
- Contribution
- Gemmill’s views concerning legal culpability

President schedule

- California
- Meeting with Rebozo
- Jack [Last name unknown] or Pete [Last name unknown]

Conversation No. 169-29

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 7:23 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call

- Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

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Conversation No. 169-30 (cont'd)

Conversation No. 169-30

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: 7:23 pm - 7:30 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit

- Negotiations
 - Duration
 - Middle East
 - Language of agreement
 - Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
 - Mutual and Balanced Force Reductions [MBFR]
 - Starting date
- Television [TV] coverage
 - Haig's assessment
 - Security for Brezhnev's visit
 - Washington, DC
 - Gifts for Brezhnev

Watergate

- TV coverage
 - Melvin R. Laird
 - Securities and Exchange Commission [SEC]

Personnel management

- SEC
 - Ralph Saul
 - Telephone call to Haig
- John A. Love
 - Timing of announcement
 - John W. Dean, III's forthcoming Ervin Committee testimony

Watergate

- Dean

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- Press coverage
 - Howard H. Baker, Jr.'s statement
 - Contempt charges
 - Edward J. Gurney
 - Hugh Scott
 - Handling of funds
 - Scott's statement

John B. Connally

- Network coverage
 - Connally's return to Texas
 - David Brinkley's editorial
- Statement concerning White House staff role
 - Press coverage
 - Ronald L. Ziegler's statement
 - Temporary nature of Connally's role
- Role on White House staff
 - Energy and economic advising
 - Conversation with Haig
 - Confirmation of role
 - Laird
 - Criticism of Connally

Brezhnev's visit

- TV coverage

Ziegler

- Meeting with President

Conversation No. 169-31

Date: June 20, 1973

Time: Unknown between 7:30 pm and 10:59 pm

Location: Camp David Study Table

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Conversation No. 169-31 (cont'd)

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for telephone call
-Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Conversation No. 169-32

Date: June 20, 1973
Time: 10:59 pm - 11:03 pm
Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Leonid I. Brezhnev's visit
-Dinner, June 20, 1973
-Haig's forthcoming conversations
-Helmut ("Hal") Sonnenfeldt, Ronald L. Ziegler
Recollections, Memoranda of conversations [memcons]
-Significance
-Lyndon B. Johnson
-Toasts
-Reaction of American people
-Franklin D. Roosevelt and Josef V. Stalin
-President's meeting with Brezhnev
-President's assessment of Brezhnev
-Haig's conversation with Ziegler
-Dinner
-Importance of record
-Sonnenfeldt, Ziegler
-Kitchen staff
-Haig's conversation with Manolo Sanchez
-Food and wine

Watergate
-Significance

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Conversation No. 169-32 (cont'd)

-Effect on negotiations with Soviet Union

Conversation No. 169-33

Date: June 21, 1973

Time: 10:38 am

Location: Camp David Study Table

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

Request for meeting

-Ronald L. Ziegler

-Aspen Lodge