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Nixon Returns, Goes to Work

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President Nixon returned to the White House from his Camp David retreat earlier than expected yesterday after dictating a memo to Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger in Peking.

A spokesman said that after Mr. Nixon dictated the memo, he returned by helicopter to the White House and immediately went to his Oval Office, where he was expected to work for the remainder of the day.

Mr. Nixon's memo congratulated Kissinger on concluding an agreement with the Arabs and Israelis for a tentative peace in the Middle East and included instructions for Kissinger's talks with Chinese leaders in Peking, the spokesman said.

Normally when President Nixon goes to Camp David for the weekend, he returns late Sunday evening.