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**Actors**  
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**Subpoenaed**  
**In Probe**

Los Angeles

About a half-dozen actors, actresses and film makers, including controversial Oscar-winning cinematographer Haskell Wexler, have been subpoenaed to testify before a federal grand jury here probing the reported making of a film on the terrorist Weather Underground.

In addition to Wexler, who won an Oscar in 1967 for his work on "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf," documentarist Emile de Antonio, producer of critical documentaries on former President Nixon and the late Senator Joseph McCarthy, has been ordered to appear before the Los Angeles federal grand jury.

De Antonio and presumably the others, as well, were ordered to bring to the grand jury any portion of the film or soundtrack from the reported motion picture on the Weather Underground.

The existence of the probe was disclosed yesterday by the San Francisco Chronicle.)

One source close to the grand jury investigation said the inquiry surrounds a film reportedly made in Los Angeles in which the Weather Underground's titular leader, Bernardine Dohrn, and three other fugitive members of the organization — Jeff Jones, Cathlyn Platt Wilkerson and Kathy Boudin — may have appeared.

De Antonio is known to have flown from New York to Los Angeles this week. He is scheduled to appear before the grand jury next Thursday. He is currently making a film on Philip Agee's book "Inside the CIA."

Asked if he is making a film on the Weather Underground, Wexler said, "We were not making a film on that subject. The subject was a wider subject."

But he declined to elaborate other than to say that a press conference on the matter will be held tomorrow.

A source close to those who have been subpoenaed said it is likely that at the news conference it will be announced that the persons subpoenaed will not cooperate with authorities.

Wexler is being represented by San Francisco attorney Michael Kennedy, who also represented maverick former athletic director Jack Schott and his wife, Xicki, when the pair were sought for questioning by the FBI in connection with the Patricia Hearst investigation.

The Weather Underground, originally called the Weathermen, has claimed responsibility for numerous bombings of utilities, oil companies, banks and government offices.

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