

..... Reportedly part of Dean's testimony will deal with the many meetings some reports say he had with President Nixon this year. However, former White House special counsel, Charles Colson, interviewed by CBS News, questioned this.

Colson [voice]: In all the time that I was in the White House, and as I mentioned earlier, I saw the President every day - at least once a day when he was in Washington, wasn't travelling - sometimes many times during the day. John Dean never once came in or out of the office in all those years that I was with the President.

Interviewer: Well, couldn't --

Colson: I just don't think the President -- I just don't think John Dean had any access to the President.

Network voice: Colson added he is sure the President knew nothing about Watergate. Rather, he was misled and not given all the information he should have been by the senior White House staff.

[End of item.]