Watergate Grand Jury Hears Nixon Lawyer

Washington

J. Fred Buzhardt, counsel to President Nixon, testified before one of the Watergate grand juries yesterday but later refused to tell what the questioning was about.

He appeared before Watergate grand jury No. 3 which is investigating, among other things, the 18½-minute gap in one of the White House tapes.

In his White House role, Buthardt had overall custody of the tapes at one point last year and he testified extensively during a court hearing into the causes of the gap and about two other tape recordings that the White House said never existed.

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