Administration Rejects Gallup Poll on Vietnam

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla., May 24 (UP)—The Nixon Administration said today that "the American people understand" its Vietnam policies, although a Gallup poll indicated that 67 per cent believed they were not being told all that was known on the subject.

Ronald L. Ziegler, White House press secretary, when asked about the poll that was published yesterday, said President Nixon from the outset had made a particular point of disclosing "very complete, detailed information on our policy in Indochina."

Mr. Ziegler suggested that the results of the poll were greatly dependent on the phrasing of questions. Asked if he, therefore, thought the Gallup question was "loaded," replied, "I'm not suggesting that."