

Goldwater Won't Ask Nixon to Quit

Washington

Senator Barry M. Goldwater said yesterday he would refuse to head any GOP delegation to go to the White House to request President Nixon's resignation.

Goldwater, who said two months ago that Mr. Nixon was at an "all-time low" in the eyes of the country, added that he now believes the President's prestige and his ability to lead the nation have improved.

Goldwater appeared on NBC-TV's "Meet the Press."

Asked about speculation that some Republicans would ask him to go to the White House to seek Mr. Nixon's resignation, Goldwater said he had not been approached to do so.

"I can't imagine myself ever assuming that I had enough power or prestige to do such a thing, and I think the President would throw me out of the office if I ever did it," Goldwater said.

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