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Mitchell, Mardian Barred

From High Court Practice

WASHINGTON, March 31 (UPI)—The Supreme Court ordered today former Attorney General John N. Mitchell and his former deputy, Robert C. Mardian, suspended from practice before the Court, and gave them 40 days to show why they should not be permanently disbarred.

The two were convicted with John D. Ehrlichman, former White House domestic adviser, and H. R. Haldeman, former White House chief of staff, for their roles in the Watergate cover-up.

Justice William H. Rehnquist, who served in the Justice Department while Mitchell headed it, did not participate in the action.

Mr. Mitchell has been a member of the bars of New York and the District of Columbia. Mr. Mardian now lives in Phoenix, Ariz., but before he came to Washington he practiced in Pasadena, Calif.