

'Bugs Fed Data to Nixon Men'—Time

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — Bugging devices found by police two months ago at the Democratic Party's national office were sending information to members of a "security intelligence squad" for President Nixon's campaign committee, Time magazine has asserted.

"Justice Department officials found that the receiving end of bugs planted in the Democratic National Committee's headquarters was located just across the street in two rooms in the Howard Johnson's hotel," Time said.

John Ehrlichman, a top presidential adviser, said today he had no knowledge of the Time report.

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He did say that a White House inquiry "carried to its ultimate conclusion" showed that no federal employes were involved in the incident.

While the Justice Department was silent on the Time

report, Attorney General Richard Kleindienst said over the weekend that Grand Jury action in the case is imminent — perhaps this week or next.

Five men, including James McCord, then chief of security for Nixon's re-election campaign organization, were arrested before dawn June 17 at the Democratic offices in the Watergate complex.

Police said they had electronic eavesdropping equipment with them.

None Identified

"The eavesdroppers across the street had apparently been assigned their tasks by McCord," Time said, but it did not identify any security agents for Nixon's campaign committee who allegedly were receiving the information.

"There members of the security intelligence squad of the Committee for the Re-election of the President were clearing out their records and tapes minutes after the cops arrested the Watergate five," Time said.