

## Watergate Probe Dispute

Washington

A dispute over whether three local prosecutors should continue to direct the Federal Grand Jury investigating the Watergate affair has developed between their boss, United States Attorney Harold H. Titus, and the Justice Department's special Watergate prosecutor-designate, Archibald Cox, according to highly reliable court sources.

The clash has caused an indefinite delay in prosecution of the case and no more witnesses are now scheduled to appear before the grand jury, the sources said.

Court sources confirmed the conflict yesterday after Titus prepared to announce that prosecutors from his office were withdrawing from the Watergate investigation at the request of Cox.

Instead Titus announced only that he and Watergate prosecutors Earl Silbert Jr., Seymour Glanzer and Donald Campbell would be meeting here today with Cox.

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