

# Immunity Offer To Dean Reported

New York

Former White House counsel John Dean has been offered a prosecutor's deal under which he would face indictment on only one count of obstructing justice if he testifies about "all he knows" concerning Watergate, CBS News said yesterday.

The report quoted unnamed government sources.

Dean said, "I have heard something about it," but would not say if he would accept, CBS said. Dean has been seeking immunity from prosecution.

The offer was made by prosecutor Earl Silbert in a letter to which Dean had not responded by last night, the network said it had learned.

"One source added that the prosecutors have enough

evidence to indict Dean on several counts, but apparently they need his testimony to lead them other directions into a number of break-ins and wire tapings they believe took place before Watergate," the network reported.

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