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# Top Demos' Records Subpoenaed

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The Senate Watergate committee has subpoenaed the campaign-finance records of five 1972 Democratic presidential candidates.

Committee Chairman Sam J. Ervin (Dem - N.C.) signed the order Thursday at the request of two Republican members of the panel, Senators Howard H. Baker Jr. of Tennessee and Edward J. Gurney of Florida.

The committee is seeking records showing contributions and expenditures of Senators George McGovern of South Dakota, Edmund S. Muskie of Maine, Hubert H. Humphrey of Minnesota and Henry M. Jackson of Washington, and Governor George C. Wallace of Alabama.

Committee sources said staff investigators will study the Democrats' records, and the senators will have an opportunity to bring them out in public hearings during a later phase of the committee's probe into 1972 campaign activities.

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