

In Mitchell, Stans Trial

NEW YORK, June 28 (AP) —Lawyers for former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell and former Commerce Secretary Maurice H. Stans today were given 18 days to file motions on pretrial publicity generated by the Watergate hearings.

Mitchell and Stans are scheduled for trial Sept. 11 on charges of conspiracy, obstructing justice and perjury in connection with a secret \$200,000 gift to President Nixon's re-election campaign by fugitive financier Robert Vesco. The money later was returned.

The lawyers also were given until July 9, instead of July 5, to file motions asking dismissal of many of the counts in the May 10 indictment against the two.

U.S. District Court Judge Lee P. Gagliardi set July 16 as the deadline to submit motions based on publicity, but added, "I really don't think we can reach the publicity issue until the day of the trial."

Stans has already testified before the televised Senate Watergate hearings. Mitchell is expected to testify next month.