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Aspin Says Oilman Gave
\$107,000 to Nixon Effort

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)
—Of 70 members of the National Petroleum Council who contributed to President Nixon's re-election campaign, John Shaheen of Shaheen Natural Resources was the largest contributor, according to Representative Les Aspin, Democrat of Wisconsin.

Mr. Aspin said that Mr. Shaheen, head of a New York concern, contributed \$107,000 to the campaign.

"Shaheen recently chartered the Queen Elizabeth 2 to ferry several hundred people to the opening of a new refinery in Canada," Mr. Aspin said in a statement yesterday. "Shaheen is a former client of President Nixon's law firm and obtained U.S. approval of construction of the Canadian refinery."

Mr. Aspin said 70 members of the 125-member National Petroleum Council, which advises the Federal Government on oil policy, gave \$1.2-million to the Nixon campaign.