

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)

v.)

JOHN N. MITCHELL, HARRY R.)
HALDEMAN, JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN,)
CHARLES W. COLSON, ROBERT C.)
MARDIAN, KENNETH W. PARKINSON,)
and GORDON STRACHAN,)

Defendants.)

Criminal No.)

Violation of 18 U.S.C.)
§§ 371, 1001, 1503, 1621,)
and 1623 (conspiracy,)
false statements to a)
government agency, ob-)
struction of justice,)
perjury and false)
declarations.)

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

Introduction

1. On or about June 17, 1972, Bernard L. Barker, Virgilio R. Gonzalez, Eugenio R. Martinez, James W. McCord, Jr. and Frank L. Sturgis were arrested in the offices of the Democratic National Committee, located in the Watergate office building, Washington, D. C., while attempting to photograph documents and repair a surreptitious electronic listening device which had previously been placed in those offices unlawfully.

A portion of the first page of indictment handed down in Watergate cover-up.