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According to WH spokesman, Gerald Warren, Pres. Nixon will not try to prevent Federal Judge John F. Sirica from turning over a secret grand jury report to the House Judiciary Comm. Don Folsom, with the details from Washington.

Folsom: Under current study by Judge Sirica, the report is said to contain the grand jury's conclusions that the Pres himself participated in the W/gate cover-up. In saying Mr. Wixon's lawyers do not plan to try to block the report, spokesman Gerald Warren repeated that the WH has no idea what the document contains. That, he says, poses a problem, adding, "As a matter offairness and propriety the secret nature of the material should be maintained and everyone should be cautious about drawing conclusions." Asked how long the secrecy should be maintained, Warren responded, "Untio Judge Sirica decides what to do."

Don Folsom, at the WH.

KCBS: And we've learned from WX that Judge Sirica has scheduled a hearing for this on Wednesday [6 Feb] on whether a secret report of the W/gate grand jury should be sent to the House impeachment investigation. Judge Sirica set the hearing date at the request of Pres Nixon's lawyer, James St. Clair.

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