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New York Senator Jacob Javits says President Nixon shouldn't let impeachment politics color his handling of foreign or domestic affairs, Javits telling a news conference this morning that he's worried about rumors that the White House is playing impeachment politics with major legislation, tailoring its positions to please conservatives, to woo their votes against impeachment.

Without calling for the President's outright resignation, Javits pointed out that the Constitution provides a means whereby a President can temporarily turn over his duties to the Vice President. He said President Nixon has that option, if he chooses to use it.

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