Reinecke Cautiously Goes South of Border SFChronicle APR 6 1974

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Lieutennant Governor Ed Reinecke, under federal indictment by the Watergate grand jury, crossed the border into Mexico yesterday after checking with his lawyers to make sure it was legal.

Reinecke, a Republican candidate for governor, conferred with San Francisco attorney Frank Pagliaro by telephone, stopping h is two-car entourage at a service station pay telephone booth. Reinecke, as chairman of California delegation of the Commission of the Californias, attended a preview opening of the Caliente race track in Tijuana.

Persons under federal indictment are not normally allowed to leave the country without permission.

Reinecke was indicted Wednesday on three counts of perjury in connection with his April 19, 1972, testimony before the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee.

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