

Nixon Gets Extension On Filing '73 Return

LOS ANGELES, April 6 (AP) — President Nixon has been granted an extension in filing his 1973 income tax return because revisions are needed to comply with the recent Internal Revenue Service ruling on what deductions he can claim, his tax attorney said today.

Arthur Blech said the President's tax return "has to be reworked" to be consistent with the reasoning used by the IRS in its announcement Wednesday that Mr. Nixon owed more than \$465,000 in back taxes and interest for 1969-72. Mr. Nixon has agreed to pay the entire amount.

The IRS report disallowed many deductions claimed by the President. "It changes our

position on many issues," Blech said in an interview. "The 1973 return just can't be done in time. I still haven't received a copy of the IRS report."

Blech emphasized that extensions in filing are frequently granted by the IRS.