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**ADDITIONAL TAPES
 REPORTED SOUGHT
 BY RODINO PANEL**

**New Request Is Said to Deal
 With Watergate, the I.T.T.
 and Milk Price Supports**

FORD SEES COOPERATION

**Expects White House to Act
 on an Earlier Subpoena to
 Nixon of 42 Recordings**

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WASHINGTON, April 22 — The House Judiciary Committee has reportedly asked President Nixon for additional tape recordings and documents dealing with Watergate and alleged political influence in Government antitrust and milk price support decisions.

Well-placed sources said that the new request was sent to the White House following the vote by the committee on April 11 to subpoena recordings of 42 Watergate-related conversations involving the President and former key aides.

According to the sources, the new request in the impeachment inquiry was for additional evidence regarding the alleged Watergate cover-up attempt and for material bearing on the controversial settlement in 1971 of Government antitrust action against the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation and on the White House decision in 1971 to raise the Federal level of milk price supports.

White House Silent

The White House had no immediate comment on the latest reported request. A Presidential spokesman said, "Frankly, didn't know anything about it."

Earlier, Gerald L. Warren, the White House deputy press secretary, said that Mr. Nixon had not made any decision on the "content or form" of his reply to the subpoena of April 11. The committee set a deadline of 10 A.M. Thursday for complying with the subpoena.

There were signs, however, in two related developments today that the White House

might be adopting a conciliatory attitude toward the Congressional investigation of the President's conduct in office.

In New York, Vice President Ford told 1,300 newspaper and broadcast executives at the annual luncheon of The Associated Press that he expected the White House to "cooperate to a maximum in making available to the House Committee on the Judiciary the relevant material that the committee has requested" in its subpoena.

'White Paper' Asked

And a White House official said that Raymond K. Price Jr., a Presidential speech writer, had been directed to prepare a "white paper" giving Mr. Nixon's explanations of his actions in the Watergate case. Mr. Price is normally assigned to write White House statements with a conciliatory tone.

Officials of the House Judiciary Committee declined to confirm that a new request for tapes and documents had been submitted to the White House. An aide to the committee chairman, Representative Peter W. Rodino Jr. of New Jersey, said that Mr. Rodino would have no comment before the panel meets Thursday.

The committee's senior Republican member, Representative Edward Hutchinson of Michigan, said that he had joined Mr. Rodino in preparing the new request, but he refused to say whether it had been issued.

It was learned, however, that the request was issued last week after Mr. Rodino and the committee's special counsel, John M. Doar, sent letters to the White House advising the

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President and his lawyers that the additional evidence would be sought.

In a letter to Mr. Nixon on April 11, Mr. Rodino said that the 42 conversations sought in the subpoena represented the first of several requests for evidence.

'Further Requests'

"The Judiciary Committee expects to make further requests for materials from you, which the committee considers necessary for its inquiry," the letter stated.

Mr. Doar's letter to James D. St. Clair, the President's special counsel, said that the new request would be for data on Watergate, the I.T.T. settlement and the milk price case.

All 42 conversations sought in the subpoena were related to the alleged Watergate cover-up.

There was speculation on

Capitol Hill today that the new request was patterned after a subpoena issued last week by Judge John J. Sirica of the United States District Court for 64 Watergate-related tapes sought by Lron zjaworski, the Watergate special prosecutor. Of the 64 tapes, 40 were not included in the Judiciary Committee's initial request.

Members of the committee are expected to decide Thursday whether to eliminate several of the 53 separate allegations against the President that have been under investigation by the committee staff.

But the new request for White House materials on the I.T.T. and milk price cases suggested that those matters might be brought against Mr. Nixon.

The I.T.T. Case

The I.T.T. case involves allegations that the Nixon Administration consented to an antitrust settlement favorable to the conglomerate in exchange for a pledge by I.T.T. to help underwrite the cost of the Republican National Convention of 1972.

The milk price case concerns charges that a White House decision to raise the Federal support level was influenced by pledges of massive cash donations from the dairy industry to the President's 1972 re-election campaign.

Although Mr. Hutchinson declined in a telephone interview to answer most questions about the committee request, he said that he had had no difficulty in joining Mr. Rodino in making it.

"I think it is pertinent," Mr. Hutchinson said.

Vice President Ford, replying to questions at the Associated Press luncheon, said that he had advised Mr. Nixon "on a number of occasions that I thought he should do anything reasonable in order to clear up" questions raised by Watergate.

"I hope and trust," he said, "that some time in the next 48 or 72 hours the White House will cooperate to a maximum in making available to the House Committee on the Judiciary the relevant material

that the committee has requested. I strongly believe that to be the right course of action, and I hope and trust that the decision follows that pattern."

The Vice President reiterated his reluctance to listen to Watergate tape recordings and his confidence that Mr. Nixon "is innocent" of any impeachable offenses.

He said that he would be "put in a very, very delicate and potentially embarrassing situation" if he, as the potential successor to Mr. Nixon, were to be privy to the details of evidence involved in a Congressional effort to remove the President from office.

Mr. Ford said he had "good reason to believe" that the President had tried to get to the truth of the Watergate case. "Unfortunately," he said, "some of the people who should have known obviously did not give [the President] the full story."

Asked if he would have reacted as Mr. Nixon had, the Vice President said he might have "tried to nudge some of my employees about as hard as I possibly could" to explain how something like Watergate could have occurred.

There have been reports of White House attempts to prepare a "white paper" that would rebut, for the public's benefit, charges of Presidential misconduct. An authoritative official said that such a report was being drafted by Mr. Price, but that no decisions would be made until it was completed on how, or whether, it would be issued.