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The White House and the Evidence



Date Material Was Sought	Requested or Subpoenaed	Status
WATERGATE SPECIAL PROSECUTOR		
July 23, 1973	Nine tapes of Presidential conversations with H. R. Haldeman, John D. Ehrlichman, John W. Dean III, John Mitchell and Ronald L. Ziegler (including June 20, 1972 tape with 18 1/2 minute gap and some claimed non-existent).	After court fight White House complied. 26 Nov 73
March 15, 1974	Number of documents believed to relate to the possible trade of ambassadorships for political contributions.	White House complied. 26 Nov 73
April 18, 1974	64 conversations required for the September 9 trial of the seven cover-up defendants, John N. Mitchell, H. R. Haldeman, John D. Ehrlichman, Charles W. Colson, Robert C. Mardian, Kenneth W. Parkinson and Gordon Strachan.	White House refused to comply; Appeal pending.
SENATE WATERGATE COMMITTEE		
July 23, 1973	Any and all records concerning possible criminal involvement of twenty-five aides at the White House and Committee for the Re-election of the President.	Quashed.
July 23, 1973	Tapes of five conversations between the President and John W. Dean III during period of September, 1972 through March, 1973.	Rejected by U.S. Court of Appeals.
December 19, 1973	Three subpoenas for hundreds of documents and nearly 500 tape recordings relating to campaign contributions by the dairy industry, the Watergate cover-up, International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation antitrust suit, campaign "dirty tricks," and other activities.	White House has not complied, no court action taken.
HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE		
April 11, 1974	Tapes of 42 conversations between President Nixon and H. R. Haldeman, John D. Ehrlichman, John W. Dean III, Henry Petersen and Richard Kleindienst during February, March and April, 1973; and a number of Presidential diaries.	White House responded with edited transcripts (not including 11 tapes)
May 15, 1974	Two subpoenas for tapes of the 11 conversations not included in edited transcripts; and for Presidential diaries.	White House refused to comply.
LAWSUITS AND DEFENDANTS		
April 10, 1973	Attorneys for Ralph Nader requested three tapes and approximately seventy documents in connection with campaign contributions by the dairy industry.	White House complied, largely with in-camera submissions; claims of executive privilege pending.
April 22, 1974	Attorneys for John D. Ehrlichman requested his personal papers from January, 1971 through April, 1973.	White House moved to quash; subpoena pending.
April 22, 1974	Attorneys for Charles W. Colson requested notes on June-September 1971 conversations and meetings with the President as well as memoranda and papers from his "Pentagon Papers" file.	White House moved to quash; subpoena pending.