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**COVER SHEET**

**SUBJECT**

**JOHN EHRlichman**

1/22/69

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JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JANUARY  
TWENTYNINE NEXT WITHOUT FAIL.

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WHITE HOUSE HAS REQUESTED INVESTIGATION OF EHRLICHMAN,  
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RE JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

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Chicago, Illinois, have checked and disclosed

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☒ Current member

☐ Former member

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RE JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

FATHER, RUDOLPH I. EHRLICHMAN, DECEASED, LAST ADDRESS  
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EHRLICHMAN, SIX ZERO FIVE TWO COLGATE, LOS ANGELES,  
CALIFORNIA. WIFE, FORMER JEANNE FISHER, AND MINOR  
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REPRESENTATIVE PAUL N. MC CLOSKEY, JR., WASHINGTON, D. C.;  
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THE WHITE HOUSE  
Washington

MEMORANDUM

TO : Mr. Cartha D. DeLoach, FBI  
FROM : John D. Ehrlichman  
SUBJECT : FBI Investigation

Subject's Name EHRlichman, John Daniel

Date of Birth 3/20/25 Place of Birth Tacoma, Wash.

Present Address 330 Chesapeake Drive  
Great Falls, Virginia

Egil Krogh has requested:

       Copy of Previous Report

~~X~~ ~~Name Check~~

X Full Field Investigation

The person named above is being considered for:

       White House staff position

X Presidential appointment

       Position with another Agency

ATTACHMENTS:

X SF 86 (in duplicate)

       SF 87, Fingerprint Card

       Biography

REMARKS:

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REPORT SHOULD BE DELIVERED BY FBI TO: JOHN D. EHRlichman

ENCLOSURE

*copy of SF 86  
to AEC by  
FBI Liaison  
ext 114 3/7/69  
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# SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA FOR SENSITIVE POSITION

CASE SERIAL NO. (CSC use only)

INSTRUCTIONS.—Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.

1. FULL NAME  <i>(Initials and abridgements of full name are not acceptable. If no middle name, show "(NMN)"; if initials only, show "(no given or middle name)".</i>	(LAST NAME)	(FIRST NAME)	(MIDDLE NAME)	2. DATE OF BIRTH
	Ehrlichman	John	Daniel	March 20, 1925
	OTHER NAMES USED. (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.)			3. PLACE OF BIRTH Tacoma, Washington
				4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE
5. HEIGHT		WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR
6'		201	Br	Br

6. <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW(ER) <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED	7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. (Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.) Jeanne Fisher Ehrlichman (b) Hollywood, California 9/10/27 Married: Montecieto, California, August 21, 1949
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8. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE. (If actual places of residence differ from the mailing addresses, furnish and identify both. Begin with present and go back to January 1, 1937. Continue under item 28 on other side if necessary.)

FROM	TO	NUMBER AND STREET	CITY	STATE
1/9/69	Present	330 Chesapeake Dr.	Great Falls	Va.
1954	1/9/69	3820 Hunts Point Rd.	Bellevue	Wash.
1951	1954	11536 N. E. 24th St.	Bellevue	Wash.
1951	1951	2954 - 72nd S. E.	Mercer Island	Wash.
1949	1951	786 Live Oak Avenue	Menlo Park	Calif.
1945	1949	202 San Vicente Blvd.	Santa Monica	Calif.
1943	1945	Service		
1937	1943	202 San Vicente Blvd.	Santa Monica	Calif.

9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> U.S. CITIZEN  <input type="checkbox"/> ALIEN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BY BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> NATURALIZED	ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.	DATE, PLACE, AND COURT
	CERT. NO.	PETITION NO.	
<input type="checkbox"/> DERIVED-PARENTS CERT. NO(S).			
REGISTRATION NO.	NATIVE COUNTRY	DATE AND PORT OF ENTRY	

10. EDUCATION. (All schools above elementary.)

NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	FROM (Year)	TO (Year)	DEGREES
Santa Monica H. S.	Santa Monica California	1940	1943	Diploma
U. C. L. A.	W. Los Angeles California	1943, '45	1948	B. A.
Stanford University	Palo Alto California	1948	1951	L. L. B.

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11. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE. (See also item 29.)

12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 454-40-4064

13. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)

SERIAL NO. (If none, give grade or rating at separation)	BRANCH OF SERVICE (Army, Navy, Air Force, etc.)	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)
1305	Army	1943	1945

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26. REFERENCES. (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are aware of your qualifications and fitness.)

NAME IN FULL	HOME ADDRESS	BUSINESS ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
Nat S. Rogers	Holly Lane	Mercer Isl. Wash.	18 yrs.
Cong. Paul N. McClosky, Jr.	House of Representatives	House of Representatives	20 yrs.

27. CLOSE PERSONAL ATTENDANCE. (Name three persons, such as friends, schoolmates or colleagues, who know you well.)

NAME IN FULL	HOME ADDRESS	BUSINESS ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
W. Walter Williams	House of Representatives	Hoge Building, Seattle, Wash.	18 yrs.
A. Wesley Hodge		1700 Norton Bldg. Seattle, Washington	13 yrs.
Jack E. Hullin		"	20 yrs.
Dean G. Ostrum	c/o Ohio Bell Telephone, Cleveland, Ohio		12 yrs.

27. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN THE SUBJECT OF A FULL FIELD OR BACKGROUND PERSONAL INVESTIGATION BY ANY AGENCY OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT? ☐ YES ☒ NO. (If your answer is "Yes," show in item 28, (1) the name of the investigating agency (2) the approximate date of investigation, and (3) the level of security clearance granted, if known.)

28. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS. (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.)

29. REPORT OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED. (This space reserved for FBI use.)

DATE:

Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

False statement on this form is punishable by law.

January 14, 1969  
(DATE)

(SIGNATURE—Sign original and first carbon copy)

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY AGENCY

INSTRUCTIONS TO AGENCY: See Federal Personnel Manual Chapter 736 and FPM Supplement 296-31, Appendix A, for details on when this form is required and how it is used. If this is a request for investigation before appointment, insert "APPL" in the space for Date of Appointment and show information about the proposed appointment in the other spaces for appointment data. The original and the first carbon copy should be signed by the applicant or appointee. Submit the original and the unsigned carbon copy of the form, Standard Form 87 (Fingerprint Chart), and any investigative information about the person received on voucher forms or otherwise, to the United States Civil Service Commission, Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Washington, D.C., 20415. If this is a request for full field security investigation, submit these forms to the attention of the Division of Reimbursable Investigations; if this is a request for preappointment national agency checks, submit these forms to the attention of the Control Section.

RETAIN THE CARBON COPY OF STANDARD FORM 86 (SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT OR APPOINTEE) FOR YOUR FILES

DATE OF APPOINTMENT	TYPE OF APPOINTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> EXCEPTED <input type="checkbox"/> COMPETITIVE. (Include indefinite and temporary types of competitive appointments.)	CIVIL SERVICE REGULATION NUMBER OR OTHER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY	TITLE OF POSITION AND GRADE OR SALARY
DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY	DUTY STATION	SEND RESULTS OF PREAPPOINTMENT CHECK TO:	
THIS IS A SENSITIVE POSITION			
(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL)			

19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN (If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 20.) HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusive of military service.)

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT U.S.A.	DATE RETURNED U.S.A.	PURPOSE
El Salvador & Mexico	1956	1956	Business
Canada	Annually since '51		Pleasure
Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, W. Germany, Switzerland, Italy, France, England	5/66	6/66	Business/Pleasure

21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. IN ITEM 28 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM, GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME IN FULL	ADDRESS	FROM	TO	OFFICE HELD
n/a				

24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

NAME IN FULL	ADDRESS	TYPE	FROM	TO	OFFICE HELD
Rainier Club	Seattle, Wash.	Social	1964	Date	
Harbor Club	Seattle, Wash.	Social	1964	Date	
Kappa Sigma	Seattle, Wash.	Fraternity	1943	Date	

25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	YEAR OF BIRTH	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
Father (dead)	Rudolph I.	1904	202 San Vicente Santa Monica, Cal.	USA	
Mother	Lillian C.	1910	6052 Colgate Los Angeles, Cal.	USA	USA
Wife	Jeanne E.	1927	330 Chesapeake Dr. Great Falls, Va.	USA	USA
Son	Peter S.	1950	"	USA	USA
Daughter	Jan C.	1952	"	USA	USA
Son	Thomas J.	1954	"	USA	USA
Daughter	Jody Ann	1956	"	USA	USA
Son	Robert P.	1959	"	USA	USA



14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE U.S. FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

15. EMPLOYMENT. (List ALL employment dates starting with your present employment. Give both month and year for all dates. Show ALL dates and addresses when unemployed. Give name under which employed if different from name now used.)

FROM	TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or agency) AND SUPERVISOR (Full name, if known)	ADDRESS (Where employed)	TYPE OF WORK	REASON FOR LEAVING
11/ 6/68	Present	Presidential Tran- sition	Hotel Pierre New York City	Counsel	
7/ 1/68	11/ 5/68	Nixon-Agnew Cam- paign	450 Park Ave. New York City	Tour Mgr.	
9/ 1/51	6/30/68	Hullin, Ehrlichman, Roberts & Hodge (and predecessors)	1700 Norton Bldg. Seattle, Wash.	Attorney	To join cam- paign
1948	1951	Part-time employ- ment: Stanford U. (teaching assistant)			
		Edgeman Dairy (Milkman)	Santa Monica, Cal.		

16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes" give details in item 28. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15--EMPLOYMENT.)

18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY? (You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of \$30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.) ☐ YES ☒ NO.

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," GIVE FULL DETAILS BELOW:

DATE	CHARGE	PLACE	LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY	ACTION TAKEN
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# Nixon Names Seattle Man As Counsel

By a Washington Post Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Nov. 14—President-elect Nixon named a third top member of his White House staff today and announced plans to hold his first post-election meeting with representatives of Negro, labor and business groups.

The President-elect named John D. Ehrlichman, 43, a Seattle attorney and longtime staffer, as Counsel to the President.

Shortly thereafter, he announced that he would meet separately Friday with Whitney Young, president of the Urban League, AFL-CIO President George Meany and Fred-eric A. Kappel, board chairman of AT&T and a leader in various business groups.

The meetings with Young and Meany, both of whom speak for millions of Americans who voted against the Republican candidate Nov. 5, are designed to open a dialogue with those groups.

## Intelligence Briefing

Also on Friday, the President-elect will receive an intelligence briefing from CIA Director Richard M. Helms, who will fly here from Washington for the appointment.

Late Friday, the President-elect will fly to Key Biscayne, Fla., for several days of rest and work.

Ehrlichman will have the

title of Counsel to the President. Previous holders of the post have been called Special Counsel to the President, but H. R. (Bob) Haldeman, a newly named assistant to the President, said yesterday that title would be eliminated "as such."

Asked what the difference is between counsel and special counsel, Ehrlichman said, "There has been an effort to re-title in order that there will be no mistake about the content of the positions. The new appointees will not necessarily have the same duties as in some other administrations."

## Little Speechwriting

"There will be very little speechwriting by the counsel in this Administration," he added in obvious reference to Theodore C. Sorensen in the Kennedy Administration and Harry McPherson in the Johnson Administration.

Ehrlichman said that he would be the legal adviser to the President and undertake "such other assignments as he may give me."

At the moment, Ehrlichman said, he is primarily engaged in personnel recruitment, but he said he did not expect to concentrate on that after Jan. 20.

Ron Ziegler, spokesman for the President-elect, said that Ehrlichman would be on the same level on the White House staff as Haldeman and Bryce N. Harlow, another assistant to the President.

Ehrlichman received his A.B. degree from the University of California and his law degree from Stanford University. He is a member of the Seattle law firm of Hullin, Ehrlichman, Roberts and Hodge.

He has worked in all of Nixon's campaigns since 1960, with the title of Tour Director in 1968. He is a native of Tacoma. He and his wife have five children.

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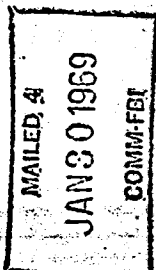
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HONORABLE JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
LEGAL COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT  
HONORABLE HARRY ROBBINS HALDEMAN  
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT  
THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON, D. C.  
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Please be advised that Messrs. Ehrlichman and Haldeman have been designated as persons not to be contacted without prior Bureau approval. It should be noted that this action is being taken at their request, and not because of any derogatory information concerning them.



- 1 - Mr. Mohr (detached)
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach (detached)
- 1 - Mr. Bishop (detached)
- 1 - Mr. Callahan (detached)
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan (detached)
- 1 - Mr. Rosen (detached)
- 1 - Mr. Gale (detached)

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NOTE: See M. A. Jones to Bishop memo, dated 1-29-69, captioned "Honorable John D. Ehrlichman, Legal Counsel to the President, Honorable Harry Robbins Haldeman, Assistant to the President, The White House, Washington, D. C."

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. CALLAHAN  
MR. GALE  
MR. ROSEN  
MR. SULLIVAN  
Mr. MOHR

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Reference is made to my prior memoranda which transmitted to you the names of persons who are not to be interviewed unless compelling reasons dictate, in which event the matter should be either called to my attention, Mr. Tolson's attention, or Mr. DeLoach's attention.

Attached is identifying data regarding the Honorable John D. Ehrlichman and the Honorable Harry Robbins Haldeman concerning whom these instructions apply. This action is being taken at the request of Messrs. Ehrlichman and Haldeman, and not because of any derogatory information regarding these individuals.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover  
John Edgar Hoover  
Director

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Enclosures

10 copies of each attachment sent to Mr. Gale  
10 copies of each attachment sent to Mr. Rosen  
2 copies of each attachment sent to Mr. Sullivan  
2 copies of each attachment sent to Mr. Mohr

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NAME

Honorable John D. Ehrlichman

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January 30, 1969

NAME                      Honorable Harry Robbins Haldeman

PROFESSION              Assistant to the President  
Washington, D. C.

ADDRESS                      (Office) The White House  
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## Memorandum

Mr. Bishop

DATE: 1-29-69

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SUBJECT:

HONORABLE JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
LEGAL COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT  
HONORABLE HARRY ROBBINS HALDEMAN  
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT  
THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

In response to the instructions received from Mr. Hoover, captioned individuals are being placed on the "Do Not Contact" list and no contact will be made with them without the approval of Mr. Hoover, Mr. Tolson, or Mr. DeLoach. Instructions will be sent SAC, WFO, that no contact should be made with Messrs. Ehrlichman and Haldeman unless approval has been secured from the Bureau. It should be noted that this action is being taken at the request of Messrs. Ehrlichman and Haldeman, and not because of any derogatory information regarding these individuals.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1) That in compliance with the Director's instructions, Messrs. Ehrlichman's and Haldeman's names be added to the "Do Not Contact" list and the attached memorandum be sent to Messrs. Callahan, Mohr, Gale, Rosen, and Sullivan.

2) That the attached letter be sent to SAC, WFO, advising that Messrs. Ehrlichman and Haldeman have been added to the "Do Not Contact" list.

Enclosures (3) sent 1-30-69

1 - Mr. Mohr - Enclosures

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosures

1 - Mr. Bishop - Enclosures

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# Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 1-28-69

FROM : J. H. Gale

SUBJECT: SPECIAL INQUIRIES  
INTERVIEWS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

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In accordance with your conversation with Egil Krogh today, 1-28-69, no further interviews will be conducted with John D. Ehrlichman or Harry R. Haldeman unless prior authority has been obtained from you, Mr. Tolson or the Director. u

## ACTION:

SAC Purvis of the Washington Field Office has been advised. u

- 1 - SAC, Washington Field - Det
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Gale
- 1 - Mr. Cleveland
- 1 - Mr. Young

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SEE ADDENDUM ----- next page

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach  
from Mr. Gale, 1/28/69  
RE: SPECIAL INQUIRIES  
INTERVIEWS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

ADDENDUM (1/28/69), CDD:CSH -

For record purposes, I called Mr. Krogh and asked if there was some specific reason, or failure on our part, which prompted John Ehrlichman's office to issue instructions to SA George Saunders of our Washington Field Office to the effect that no further interviews were to be conducted of White House personnel, in special inquiry-type cases. u

Mr. Krogh informed me that Bob Haldeman, President Nixon's top assistant, and John Ehrlichman, the President's Legal Counsel, both felt that it is an insult to their intelligence to be interviewed regarding the backgrounds of people they have known for a number of years. He stated that both Haldeman and Ehrlichman had expressed the opinion that they know these people enough so that interviews of White House personnel are not warranted. Krogh added that, of course, Haldeman and Ehrlichman would not have appointed these people in the first place if they had felt or believed something derogatory was in their backgrounds. u

I told Mr. Krogh that these investigations are, of course, strictly for the protection of the President and his administration. I stated that actually such investigations represent "insurance" against embarrassment to the President and his staff. Krogh stated he realized all this and that he wanted to discuss the matter further with Ehrlichman and would call me back. u

Mr. Krogh did call me back within 15 minutes and stated that SA Saunders should continue White House interviews, according to the usual custom; however, under no circumstances should either Haldeman or Ehrlichman be interviewed at any time. He reiterated the same excuses given above as to why no interviews of Haldeman or Ehrlichman should be conducted. He particularly stated that Haldeman felt that such interviews were unnecessary. u

I told Mr. Krogh that Lyndon Johnson had known Walter Jenkins for approximately 24 years, yet had not known of the homosexual incidents in Jenkins' background. Krogh stated he had informed Ehrlichman of this same case; however, Ehrlichman had claimed that there were no homosexuals among his staff. Krogh reiterated that both Haldeman and Ehrlichman felt that such interviews were a waste of their time. I told Mr. Krogh that we would be guided by his instructions and no further interviews would be conducted with Haldeman or Ehrlichman. u

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach  
from Mr. Gale, 1/28/69  
RE: SPECIAL INQUIRIES  
INTERVIEWS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Addendum (continued) -

I stated that, while we were discussing such matters, and in accordance with his previous request to be advised prior to investigation in the event a preliminary name check turned up something on a staff member, we wanted him to know that in connection with a request for investigation on [REDACTED] 7C [REDACTED], some rather derogatory information had been turned up. Krogh replied that this woman was a secretary in his and John Ehrlichman's offices at the White House. 4

I told Krogh that two of [REDACTED] brothers, [REDACTED] with aliases, and [REDACTED] with aliases, 7C [REDACTED] were former members of the Communist Party. I stated that [REDACTED] was a member from 1934 to 1950, and although he served in the U.S. Army from 1941 to 1945, he apparently still had been a member of the Party following his military service. I stated that [REDACTED] was a member of the Communist Party from 1937 to 1950, despite the fact that he also had served in the U. S. Army. 4

I mentioned that in 1956 [REDACTED] married [REDACTED] 7C [REDACTED] who was also a member of the Communist Party, and whose activities were so frequent it had been necessary for the FBI to regard her as a special case (Security Index). 4

I told Krogh that we, of course, would not interview Mr. Ehrlichman concerning this woman, in accordance with the above instructions, but that we wanted him to know the above facts. I stated, furthermore, that no investigation would be conducted until we received a further request from Krogh. 4

Krogh was rather taken aback by these remarks and stated he would have to check with Ehrlichman relative to ascertaining whether any further investigation was necessary or not. He stated he had no idea that [REDACTED] had brothers who had 7C [REDACTED] been Communist Party members. 4

ACTION - For record purposes. 4

C. D. DeLoach



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Mr. DeLoach ✓  
Mr. Mohr ✓  
Mr. Bishop ✓  
Mr. Callahan ✓  
Mr. Conrad ✓  
Mr. Felt ✓  
Mr. Gale ✓  
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THE HONORABLE JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN, LEGAL COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT.

REBUCAB FEBRUARY SIX LAST.

EHRLICHMAN ARRIVED ROME EVENING FEBRUARY ONE THREE LAST WITH PRESIDENT'S ADVANCE GROUP. LEGAT MET EHRLICHMAN AT WORKING BUFFET THAT SAME EVENING AT AMERICAN AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE. HE WAS VERY CORDIAL AND APPEARED PLEASED TO MEET BUREAU REPRESENTATIVE. HE SAID AFTER MEETING WITH ITALIAN OFFICIALS ON INSTANT DATE HE WAS DEPARTING FOR PARIS THIS EVENING AND EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN THE UNITED STATES ON FEBRUARY ONE FIVE NEXT. ACCORDINGLY, NO COURTESIES WERE EXTENDED BY LEGAT.

FOR BUREAU INFORMATION, AMERICAN AMBASSADOR HAD REQUESTED LEGAT TO ASSIST EMBASSY SECURITY OFFICE IN HANDLING POLICE LIAISON FOR VISITS OF ADVANCE GROUP AND LEGAT CONFINED HIMSELF TO THIS ACTIVITY.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 11-15-68

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
COUNSEL TO PRESIDENT-ELECT NIXON

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Captioned individual, according to today's issue of the "Washington Post," has been named as the counsel to President-elect Richard M. Nixon when he assumes office on 1-20-69.

## BIOGRAPHICAL DATA:

John D. Ehrlichman was born at Tacoma, Washington, on March 20, 1925. He received the AB degree at the University of California in 1948 and the LL. B. degree in 1951 from Stanford University. He was admitted to the Bar in the States of Washington and California in 1952. He is a member of the Seattle law firm of Hullin, Ehrlichman, Roberts and Hodge. He has also served as lecturer at the University of Washington on zoning practices and procedures. He had the title of Tour Director during Mr. Nixon's 1968 campaign and had worked in previous Nixon campaigns since 1960. He and his wife have five children.

## INFORMATION IN BUFILES:

Bureau files contain a non-derogatory reference to one John Ehrlichman, an attorney with a Canadian bonding company which held bonds on a road building project at San Salvador, El Salvador, in 1958. Our files contain no additional references which may be identical with Ehrlichman and there is no arrest record identifiable with him in the fingerprint files of the Identification Division. (64-175-226-16)

## RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Gale

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Gale ✓  
FROM : W. V. Cleveland ✓  
SUBJECT: SPECIAL INQUIRIES - WHITE HOUSE

DATE: 1/22/69

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Among the cases received for investigation from the White House today are the following:

John Daniel Ehrlichman, who has been designated as Legal Counsel to President Nixon.

Robert Hutchison Finch, Lieutenant Governor of California, who has been designated as Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare by the President.

## ACTION:

The cases have been ordered separately to the field for immediate attention. The field is being instructed to conduct no neighborhood investigations without prior Bureau approval. Bureau files are being checked up to date. You will be advised of any unusual developments.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Gale
- 1 - Mr. Cleveland
- 1 - Mr. Young

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From: Director, FBI

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN  
SPECIAL INQUIRY  
BUDED: 1/29/69

ReButel dated 1/22/69.

Enclosed for each office is copy of PSQ re Ehrlichman.

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MAGNUSON, AND HENRY M. JACKSON, BOTH CURRENTLY IN WASHINGTON D.C.  
EHRLICHMAN'S SON PETER PRESENTLY STUDENT AT STANFORD UNIVERSITY,  
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MR. CLEVELAND  
ROOM 1246

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EHRLICHMAN UNDER SERIAL NUMBERS ONE NINE TWO ZERO SIX FOUR TWO  
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THERE WAS NO RECORD OF COURTS-MARTIAL OR UNAUTHORIZED ABSENCE AND EHRLICHMAN'S PERFORMANCE DURING HIS ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE WAS RATED AS RANGING FROM "UNKNOWN" (NOT OBSERVED) TO "SUPERIOR."

HIS DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH WERE SHOWN IN THE MILITARY RECORDS AS MARCH TWENTY, TWENTYFIVE, TACOMA, WASHINGTON.

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REPORTING OFFICE <b>RICHMOND</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>BUREAU</b>	DATE <b>1/27/69</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>1/24/69</b>
TITLE OF CASE <b>JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>WALTER L. PARKER</b>	TYPED BY <b>wsk</b>
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Report of: SA WALTER L. PARKER  
Date: 1/27/69

Office: RICHMOND

Field Office File #: 161-858

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Title: JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Applicant has never been a member of the Virginia State Bar or the Virginia State Bar Association.

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## DETAILS:

AT RICHMOND, VIRGINIA:MISCELLANEOUS

Mr. R. E. BOOKER, Director, Virginia State Bar, Virginia State Office Building, advised on January 24, 1969, that JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN has never been a member of the Virginia State Bar.

Since he has never been a member of the Virginia State Bar, he cannot be a member of the Virginia State Bar Association.

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REPORTING OFFICE <b>SEATTLE</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>BUREAU</b>	DATE <b>1/27/69</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>1/22 - 27/69</b>
TITLE OF CASE  <b>JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>OLIVER W. LEHTINEN</b>	TYPED BY <b>pla</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>SPECIAL INQUIRY</b>	

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Report of: OLIVER W. LEHTINEN  
Date: January 27, 1969

Office: Seattle, Washington

Field Office File #: 161-389

Bureau File #:

Title: JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

## Synopsis:

Appointee's employment, Legal Department, United Pacific Insurance Company, Seattle, Wash., 1951 to 9/52 verified and satisfactory. Appointee admitted to Washington State Bar 9/10/52 and thereafter formed law partnership with JACK E. HULLIN which later became HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE. Appointee so employed until taking leave of absence two weeks before 1968 Republican National Convention to work in behalf of RICHARD M. NIXON. Employment satisfactory. References and associates recommend highly. Appointee not active in local politics. Appointee member in good standing Washington State Bar Association and Seattle-King County Bar Association. No grievances. Credit satisfactory. Arrest records negative.

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DETAILS:

CARL B. BIRKENMEYER was interviewed by SA RANDALL R. BYRD, GEORGE H. BOVINGDON was contacted by SA REESE H. CHIPMAN and Governor DANIEL J. EVANS by SA ROBERT H. WICK. SA LAMBERT G. ZANDER interviewed Mayor JAMES D. BRAMAN and Superior Court Justices and reviewed newspaper libraries. Credit and arrest records were checked in Seattle, Washington, by SE LOUIS V. SEEKINS and the remainder of the investigation was conducted by SA OLIVER W. LEHTINEN.



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EMPLOYMENT

United Pacific Insurance Company  
Seattle, Washington  
1951 - 9/52

JACK E. HULLIN, partner, HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE, Norton Building, Seattle, Washington, advised on January 22, 1969, that the appointee worked under his supervision at this company from sometime in 1951 after his graduation from Stanford University until approximately September, 1952, when he and the appointee formed a law partnership. He said that the appointee's services in the Legal Department of the company were satisfactory and that he capably handled insurance claims against the company. He said that the Claims Manager under whom he and the appointee worked has died and that the only other person who might be able to comment on the appointee's services would be Branch Manager CARL B. BIRKENMEYER. (For further comments of HULLIN, see following employment).

CARL B. BIRKENMEYER, United Pacific Insurance Company, 728 St. Helens Street, Tacoma, Washington, advised on January 24, 1969, that he was the Vice President at the Seattle Branch of this company at the time EHRLICHMAN was employed in the Legal Department handling claims against the company during approximately 1951 - 1952. He stated that no records are available inasmuch as this company destroys employment records of persons ten years after they have left. He stated that the appointee left to form a Seattle law firm with JACK E. HULLIN and that he had been so well pleased with the services of Mr. HULLIN and Mr. EHRLICHMAN that he thereafter retained their law firm to handle claims against the United Pacific Company. He stated that the appointee is personable, friendly, mature, stable, responsible and intelligent. He stated that he was outstanding in all respects, that he was very hard working and had a good analytical mind. He stated he also knew the wife of the appointee as well as their children and said all were of good moral character and loyal Americans. He said that the appointee had been active in community affairs but had not been active in local politics. He said he had no hesitation whatsoever in recommending the appointee for any position and that he himself would gladly hire the appointee, were he available.

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HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE  
Seattle, Washington  
9/51 - 6/30/68

JACK E. HULLIN, partner, HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE, Norton Building, Seattle, Washington, advised on January 23, 1969, that he had known the appointee approximately twenty years and in September, 1952, formed a law firm with him which later became HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE, and with which the appointee has been associated until about two weeks before the Republican National Convention at which time the appointee took a leave of absence to work for RICHARD M. NIXON. He said that although EHRLICHMAN does not have political aspirations and was not involved in Seattle or Washington State politics, he is impressed with Mr. NIXON and had previously taken leaves of absence in 1960 during NIXON's Presidential campaign and in his 1962 California gubernatorial campaign. He said that the appointee worked as an Advance Man or Tour Director on behalf of Mr. NIXON. He said that although the appointee was not involved in politics here, he was active in community affairs and the Municipal League and was interested in good government. He volunteered that the appointee was a "political moderate".

Mr. HULLIN said that EHRLICHMAN's father was killed in World War II and that EHRLICHMAN together with some help from his uncle worked his way through college and law school. He said that the appointee had no relatives in the Seattle area other than his wife and children and his uncle, BENJAMIN B. EHRLICHMAN, the Honorary Chairman of the Board of Directors of the VWR-United Corporation and that Mr. EHRLICHMAN is a distinguished community and business leader who has received many honors for his community efforts.

Mr. HULLIN said that he is acquainted with the appointee's wife, JEANNE, and children; PETER, age 18, now a student at Stanford University; daughter, JAN, 16, a high school student and younger children, THOMAS, JODY ANN and ROBERT. He said that all are of excellent character and reputation and loyal Americans.

Mr. HULLIN said the appointee is an excellent attorney who is most capable and an authority in his field - land use and zoning - and respected by the judiciary and his



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associates. He said the appointee is aggressive, hard working, intelligent and that he is beyond reproach as to honesty, trustworthiness and discretion. He said that the appointee has excellent judgment, has a nice personality, makes a nice appearance and meets people well. He said that the appointee's associates are those in the law profession. He said that the appointee neither smokes nor drinks, that he has never heard or known anything of an unfavorable nature about him, that he has never been involved in any scandal or the subject of any gossip and that he recommended the appointee without reservation. He said he did not believe the appointee belonged to any organizations except the Rainier Club and the Harbor Club, both respectable social organizations in Seattle, and the Bar Associations.

JOHN A. ROBERTS, partner, HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE, Norton Building, Seattle, Washington, a former Assistant United States Attorney in Seattle, advised on January 23, 1969, that he has been a partner in this law firm since January 1, 1958, although he had known the appointee for a longer period. He stated that the appointee is an excellent attorney and that there would be no question concerning him insofar as security in a sensitive government position. He stated that he would class the appointee as a "straight arrow" in all respects. He stated that the appointee's speciality was land use and that in his work he dealt mostly with the Planning Commissions of Seattle, King County and other cities, which commissions, of course, have political employees and members and that the appointee felt he would be more effective out of politics and, "That's the way he played it". He said that the appointee was capable, intelligent, discreet, honest, trustworthy and that he and his wife and children had an excellent community reputation and were loyal Americans. He stated that he recommended the appointee without reservations.

J. KEITH DYSART, Assistant Attorney General, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, formerly with HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE as an attorney, advised on January 24, 1969, that he has known the appointee for about three or four years and said that he is "without peer" among the many people DYSART has met. He said the appointee had the highest standards in all respects as to moral character, ability, honesty, trustworthiness, discretion and judgment. He said there is no question concerning his

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loyalty and his ability to retain a confidence. He said that the appointee and members of his family have an excellent community reputation and are loyal Americans. He said he recommended the appointee without reservation as being perhaps the most capable individual he knew.

For comments of A. WESLEY HODGE, see caption  
Close Personal Associates.

#### REFERENCE

W. WALTER WILLIAMS, Chairman of the Board, Continental, Inc., Seattle, Washington, a mortgage, loan, real estate and insurance firm, who was a former Undersecretary of Commerce under President EISENHOWER, advised on January 23, 1969, that he had known the appointee for about eighteen years. He stated that he did not believe the appointee had any really close personal associates other than those with whom he associates with in his work. He said that the appointee is of unquestioned loyalty to the United States and is of the highest moral character. He said that the appointee is a very able lawyer and that he has an excellent reputation both personally and professionally. He said that the appointee had been dealing in his work mainly with problems of public improvement of local and state government. He stated that the appointee is a "family man" and that he and his wife and their five children have an excellent reputation. He said that the appointee was a fine clean-cut individual concerning whom there has never been any scandal or gossip. He stated that although the appointee is interested in good government, he is not really politically motivated so as to be interested in running for political office.

Mr. WILLIAMS mentioned that the appointee had been active in behalf of RICHARD M. NIXON on a national level during the campaigns of 1960, 1962 and 1968 but that the appointee had never been active in local politics. Mr. WILLIAMS mentioned that he had also known the appointee's uncle, BENJAMIN B. EHRLICHMAN, an individual of the highest integrity, for about fifty years. He mentioned that the appointee's father, whom he had also known, died serving his country in the war. He mentioned that the appointee is a Christian Scientist and that although he is not "super pious", he practices his faith. Mr. WILLIAMS said he recommended the appointee very highly for any position of trust and stated that he doubted one could "find a better man" than the appointee in his present position with the NIXON administration.



CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATES

LOUIS N. LUNDQUIST, Chartered Financial Analyst, Kidder, Peabody and Company, Inc., (stocks, bonds, investments), United Pacific Building, Seattle, Washington, advised on January 23, 1969, that he had known the appointee very closely since 1956 and that he and his wife are the only really close personal associates that the appointee and his family have. He stated that others of the appointee's associates are those with whom he works or those with whom he meets through his church. He stated that the appointee is a good family man and spends most of his time with his family - camping, back-packing, skiing, going to the theater or symphony or spending time at home with his family.

Mr. LUNDQUIST said that the appointee is a member of the socially respectable Rainier and Harbor Clubs. He said that the appointee and his wife and children are all of excellent moral character and reputation and that there is no question concerning their loyalty to the United States. He mentioned that EHRLICHMAN's son, PETER, is at Stanford University and the other children are at home with the family.

Mr. LUNDQUIST said that the appointee does not appear to have any political ambitions for political office and has not been active in local politics but has been involved nationally in the campaigns of RICHARD M. NIXON, possibly due to the fact that he was a college classmate of NIXON's close friend, BOB HALDEMAN. He mentioned, however, that the appointee is interested in good government and has done much work for the Municipal League in the field of zoning, planning and land use. He said the appointee is highly regarded by leading attorneys and the judiciary and has been publicly praised as to his ability. He said that EHRLICHMAN is a man of the highest principles, that he is honest, trustworthy, intelligent, capable and discreet. He said there has been no gossip or scandal or anything unfavorable connected with the appointee. He mentioned that the appointee does not smoke, drink or gamble and is a good church member. He said that the appointee was "tops in all categories" and that he recommended him without reservation for any position.



For comments of associate JACK E. HULLIN, see caption Employment.

A. WESLEY HODGE, partner, HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS and HODGE, Norton Building, advised January 27, 1969, that he has known EHRLICHMAN closely through business and also to a lesser extent socially for the last ten years. He said that the appointee, his wife and children, are persons of the finest character and reputation and without question loyal Americans. He said that the appointee is extremely capable and is, in fact, a "lawyer's lawyer", that is, he has done much work for other attorneys, which would indicate the high regard of his ability by other attorneys. He said the appointee has not been engaged in local politics and it was, therefore, with considerable surprise that most people learned of his recent appointment. He said that the appointee is "tops" in all personal traits and characteristics and his sincerity, honesty and trustworthiness are beyond reproach. Mr. HODGE said, "If I were NIXON, I'd appoint him too" as he is an excellent man in all respects. He said he would recommend EHRLICHMAN without qualification.

#### PROFESSIONAL ACQUAINTANCES AND ASSOCIATES

On January 24, 1969, JAMES D. BRAMAN, Mayor, City of Seattle, Municipal Building, described the appointee as one of the city's finest young men. He in the past has conferred frequently with him on matters concerning zoning and planning. Mr. BRAMAN stated that JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN is professionally successful, of an excellent family background, brilliant and capable. He advised that the appointee's uncle, BENJAMIN B. EHRLICHMAN, is a lifetime friend of his and is Seattle's leading citizen and one of the most outstanding men this community has ever been favored with. He stated that BENJAMIN EHRLICHMAN's nephew, JOHN, is of the same high worthy character.

On January 24, 1969, FRANK D. JAMES, Judge, Superior Court, King County, Seattle, Washington, advised that he has known JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN both socially and professionally and that the appointee has ably represented clients in his courtroom for many years. Judge JAMES describes the appointee as a pleasant, personable individual



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who has always exhibited standards of the highest quality. He advised that there is no question of the appointee's moral background and he is of excellent character and reputation. He stated that he unqualifiedly recommends him for any position of trust or confidence.

On January 24, 1969, STANLEY C. SODERLAND, Judge, Superior Court, King County, Seattle, Washington, advised that the appointee has made frequent appearances before him and has ably represented his clients. He considers him one of the most astute and capable attorneys of the local Bar. He has met and worked with the appointee frequently at Bar Association and Bar committee meetings in the past and has always been impressed with his competence. He stated he is honest beyond question, completely loyal and has never had any occasion to question his associates. He stated that he would recommend him most highly for any position to which he may have entrusted.

On January 24, 1969, HENRY CLAY AGNEW, Judge, Superior Court, King County, Seattle, advised that he has known the appointee as a practicing attorney who has made frequent appearances in his courtroom. Judge AGNEW advises that he considers the appointee as one of the most outstanding and competent attorneys in the area on matters of zoning. He has always entertained the highest personal regard for him. He has met and worked with him in Bar Association meetings and discussions and describes him as of excellent character and reputation and outstanding professional integrity. Judge AGNEW stated that he welcomes the opportunity to unqualifiedly recommend JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN for any position of trust and confidence.

On January 23, 1969, GORDON S. CLINTON, Attorney At Law and former Mayor of Seattle, Hoge Building, Seattle, advised that he has known JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN for the past ten years. He stated that he has an impeccable reputation among the members of the King County Bar and the judiciary. His law practice has consisted to a considerable extent as defense Counsel for various insurance companies and on matters concerning zoning, planning and real estate law. Mr. CLINTON advised that when he was Mayor of Seattle he worked closely with JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN on zoning and planning matters and found him to be completely dependable.



and thoroughly reliable. He is temperate and is a devoted family man. He has in the past been active in civic and community affairs. He has a tremendous capacity for work, is of a judicious temperament and is competent without arrogance. Nothing of an unfavorable nature has ever come to his attention concerning JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN and he has no hesitancy in unqualifiedly recommending him for any position of trust and confidence.

Republican Governor of Washington DANIEL J. EVANS, Olympia, Washington, advised on January 26, 1969, that he has known the appointee for about ten years although he has not been closely associated with him. He stated that he has heard "nothing but fine things" about EHRLICHMAN insofar as character, reputation, associates, loyalty and ability are concerned. He stated that the appointee has not been active in politics in the State of Washington although he has been a "strong NIXON man" and had worked as a Tour Director and in other positions for NIXON in NIXON's campaigns in 1960, 1962 and 1968. He stated that from his knowledge of the appointee, he would recommend him wholeheartedly.

GEORGE H. BOVINGDON, Hoge Building, Seattle, Washington, past member of the Board of Governors and Board of Trustees, Washington State Bar Association, advised on January 23, 1969, that he has known EHRLICHMAN well for about fifteen years. He described EHRLICHMAN as a man of exceptional ability, highest integrity and character and unquestioned loyalty to the United States. He said that EHRLICHMAN was "top notch" in every respect and said that you can "investigate from now until doom's day and find nothing wrong".

Assistant United States Attorney JERALD E. OLSON, United States Courthouse, Seattle, Washington, advised on January 24, 1969, that due to the nature of the appointee's law practice, the appointee has had insufficient contact with members of the United States Attorney's Office for anyone to make any meaningful comment concerning him and he knew no one in the United States Attorney's Office who knew EHRLICHMAN on a personal basis although by reputation he understands that EHRLICHMAN is an especially capable attorney whose integrity and reputation have been unquestioned.



JAMES R. ELLIS, Attorney, IBM Building, Seattle, Washington, advised that he has known the appointee for approximately ten years and that he had worked with the appointee in connection with King County's "Forward Thrust" program and he characterized the appointee as, "One of the ablest lawyers in the State". He said that the appointee is "orderly and darned effective in whatever he puts his talents to work at". He said that the appointee is of good moral character and reputation and that he recommended him without reservation.

ROBERT G. MOCH of the prominent law firm ROBERTS, SHEFELMAN, LAWRENCE, GAY and MOCH, IBM Building, Seattle, Washington, advised on January 27, 1969, that he has known the appointee well professionally for about fifteen years and stated that the appointee is a very excellent and capable attorney. He said that the appointee had an excellent reputation both personally and professionally, that he is of the finest moral character and reputation, that there is no question whatsoever concerning his loyalty to the country and that Mr. NIXON "could not have picked a finer man". He stated that he recommended the appointee without reservation in all respects.

#### NEWSPAPER LIBRARIES

On January 24, 1969, a review of the files of the library of the Seattle Times, a Seattle, Washington, daily newspaper, showed the following concerning the appointee:

On January 14, 1963, an item indicated that JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN, Seattle attorney, spoke at a King County Bar Association meeting. His topic was, "Practical Solutions to Land Use Problems Created by Zoning and Other Municipal Restrictions".

Under date of March 3, 1967, an article captioned "Attorney for Guemes Island Citizens Praised by Judge" indicated King County Superior Judge WILLIAM J. WILKINS paid a special tribute today to JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, attorney in the Guemes Island controversy. "You People of Skagit County", he told a courtroom audience, "have had the opportunity to hear one of the most knowledgeable lawyers in the field of zoning. His performance here was a great tribute to him and to the members of the legal profession".



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Under date of August 13, 1967, an interview with JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, Seattle attorney, was detailed. He appeared as guest lecturer at a special course on Urban Land Use during which he criticized rezoning procedures and lack of planning. He stated much of the problem stems from complicating sections of the state code.

Under date of August 8, 1967, an item read JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, Seattle attorney, will lecture at a seminar on Real Estate Law and the Home Builder at the Seattle Master Builders Association Office, 170 Mercer Street, Seattle.

On January 24, 1969, a review of the files in the library of the Seattle Post Intelligencer, a daily newspaper, showed articles similar to those above.

#### CREDIT AND ARREST

No record of the appointee or members of his family was contained in the files of the following agencies checked on indicated dates:

Seattle Police Department, Seattle, Washington,  
January 23, 1969.

King County Sheriff's Office, Seattle,  
Washington, January 23, 1969.

Mercer Island Police Department, Mercer  
Island, Washington, January 24, 1969.

Bellevue, Washington, Police Department  
January 24, 1969.

The records of the Seattle Credit Bureau, Seattle, Washington, reviewed January 27, 1969, indicated that the appointee and his wife had a satisfactory credit rating.



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Santa Monica Credit Association  
Santa Monica, California  
(Checked on January 23, 1969, by  
SA JOHN E. BEAMER)

Santa Monica Police Department  
Santa Monica, California  
(Checked on January 23, 1969, by  
SA JOHN E. BEAMER)

The files of the following agencies, checked on the dates indicated by the listed individuals, were found to contain no arrest record for appointee's father, RUDOLPH I. EHRLICHMAN and mother, LILLIAN C. EHRLICHMAN:

Los Angeles Police Department,  
Los Angeles, California  
(Checked on January 23, 1969, by  
IC MILLARD T. ANDERSON)

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office  
Los Angeles, California  
(Checked on January 24, 1969, by  
IC MERTON R. ANDERSON, JR.)

The files of the Retail Merchants Credit Association, Los Angeles, California, were caused to be reviewed on January 23, 1969, by IC BERNARD P. BLAIS. A credit record was located for appointee's mother, LILLIAN C. EHRLICHMAN, 6052 Colgate, Los Angeles, California. Her husband, RUDOLPH I. EHRLICHMAN, is listed as deceased. This file has been open since May, 1968. Her credit is rated as satisfactory.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

##### TAX LIENS

On January 23, 1969, the files of the following agencies were reviewed by the listed individuals who advised SA MERTON R. ANDERSON there is no record of any tax



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liens for the appointee, JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, or  
for his wife, JEANNE FISHER EHRLICHMAN:

Federal Tax Lien Section  
Internal Revenue Service  
New Federal Building  
300 North Los Angeles  
Los Angeles, California, by  
HELEN OLSEN.

State Lien Desk  
California Franchise Tax Board  
3325 Wilshire Boulevard  
Los Angeles, California, by  
Mrs. EUNICE TRAVIS

Verification of residence  
of mother, LILLIAN C. EHRLICHMAN

On January 23, 1969, Mrs. MARION ROBERTS, 6056 Colgate, Los Angeles, California, advised that she has known Mrs. LILLIAN C. EHRLICHMAN, who resides at 6052 Colgate, Los Angeles, California, for the past five years. She said that the husband of Mrs. EHRLICHMAN, name unknown, is deceased. She said that she knows nothing unfavorable concerning the character, associates, reputation or loyalty of Mrs. EHRLICHMAN.

On January 23, 1969, the files of the "Los Angeles Times", a major metropolitan newspaper in Los Angeles, California, were caused to be reviewed by IC MERTON R. ANDERSON, JR., for information concerning the appointee, and no pertinent information was located.

VIA TELETYPE

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Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
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Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

MR. CLEVELAND  
ROOM 1246

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TO DIRECTOR AND WASHINGTON FIELD (PLAINTEXT)  
FROM NEW YORK 161-2747 1P

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED ONE  
TWENTYNINE NEXT.

RE BUREAU TEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD, ONE TWENTYTWO  
LAST.

INQUIRY AT REPUBLICAN NATIONAL FINANCE COMMITTEE,  
FOUR FIVE ZERO PARK AVENUE, NYC, REVEALS EMPLOYMENT  
RECORDS OF NIXON FOR PRESIDENT COMMITTEE SUBSEQUENT TO  
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COMMITTEE, WDC.

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TITLE OF CASE  <b>JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>LAWRENCE SARHATT</b>	TYPED BY <b>mgm</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>SPI</b>	

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Title:

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Appointee's employment with Nixon-Agnew Campaign verified. No individuals available for comment. No credit, arrest or BSS record located.

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DETAILS:

Employment

Nixon-Agnew Campaign  
450 Park Avenue  
New York, New York

On January 27, 1969, Miss JANET RICCIO, Secretary to Mr. J. PATRICK DUGAN, Assistant to the Chairman of the National Republican Finance Committee, 450 Park Avenue, New York City, advised after checking her records that appointee was employed with the Nixon for President Campaign as the Convention Coordinator from June 5, 1968 until August 8, 1968. She stated that the records subsequent to August 8, 1968 are located at the Republican National Committee in Washington, D.C. She stated that there was no one currently located at 450 Park Avenue who would recall appointee inasmuch as all personnel have moved to Washington, D.C.

Presidential Transition Office  
Hotel Pierre  
New York, New York

Miss JANET RICCIO, mentioned above, advised that the entire former NIXON Headquarters located at the Hotel Pierre has been moved to Washington, D.C.

Credit

On January 24, 1969, [REDACTED]  
Credit Bureau of Greater New York, New York City, advised IC JOHN L. KAPP that her files contained no record for the appointee.

Arrest

On January 23 and 27, 1968, SA AUGUST J. MICEK caused the records of the New York City Police Department to be checked by Deputy Inspector [REDACTED] Bureau of Criminal Identification; Patrolman [REDACTED] Information Unit; Sergeant [REDACTED] Old Record Room (all of the above of the New York City Police Department); and [REDACTED] Fingerprint Bureau, Criminal Court of the City of New York. No record could be located for the appointee.

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Miscellaneous

On January 23, 1969, Captain [REDACTED] b6  
Bureau of Special Services, New York City Police Department,  
advised SA MICEK that his files contained no record for the  
appointee.



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TITLE OF CASE  <b>JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>JAMES G. SHORT</b>	TYPED BY <b>esc</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>SPECIAL INQUIRY</b>	

## REFERENCE

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JAMES G. SHORT

Office: Cleveland, Ohio

Date:

January 28, 1969

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Title:

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

DEAN G. OSTRUM, close associate, Cleveland, Ohio,  
recommends EHRLICHMAN highly.

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Details:

At Cleveland, Ohio

## CLOSE ASSOCIATE

On January 27, 1969, Mr. DEAN G. OSTRUM, Vice-President and General Counsel, Ohio Bell Telephone Company, 100 Erieview Plaza, Cleveland, Ohio, furnished the following information:

He has been well acquainted with JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN for about the past nine years. He first met him about 1960 in Seattle, Washington, when OSTRUM moved to that city as General Counsel for Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone Company. Both he and EHRLICHMAN and their families were quite active in the same church in Seattle and became close friends and associates over the next three years. In 1963 OSTRUM was transferred to Cleveland, Ohio, to assume his present position, but since that time he has remained in contact with EHRLICHMAN by correspondence, and both families have visited one another on several occasions since 1963.



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OSTRUM last saw EHRLICHMAN when he was in Cleveland during the early fall of 1968 in connection with the NIXON-AGNEW presidential campaign.

While their association has been primarily social, OSTRUM also has personal knowledge of EHRLICHMAN's legal qualifications and regards him as a very able and top-flight professional man. He considers him a man of the utmost integrity, impeccable moral standards, and an<sup>of</sup> unquestionable devotion and loyalty to the United States. Nothing of an unfavorable nature whatsoever regarding EHRLICHMAN, his relatives, or associates has ever been indicated.

EHRLICHMAN is eminently well qualified for the position of Legal Counsel to the President of the United States and is highly recommended for that position by OSTRUM.



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TITLE OF CASE <b>JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>PHILIP A. DUNCAN</b>	TYPED BY <b>SAG</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE <b>SPECIAL INQUIRY</b>	

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Date: 1/28/69

Office: San Francisco, California

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Title: JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

## Synopsis:

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN's education and employment verified. Son's attendance at Stanford University verified. JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN admitted to California Bar on 1/9/52. Credit and police checks negative.

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DETAILS: AT STANFORD, CALIFORNIAEDUCATION

b6 On January 24, 1969, [REDACTED] Stanford, School of Law advised that EHRLICHMAN attended their Law School from 1948 until June 17, 1951 when he received his LLB. She advised that the only professor in Law School who was teaching at that time is JOHN B. GURLBET, Professor of Contracts and Evidence.

b6 On January 24, 1969, [REDACTED] Stanford University, advised that PETER SCOTT EHRLICHMAN, Lagunita Magnolia, Stanford University, was presently enrolled, majoring in General Studies at Stanford. His home address was listed as 330 Chesapeake Road, Great Falls, Virginia.

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On January 27, 1969, JOHN B. HURLBET, Professor of Contracts and Evidence, Stanford School of Law advised he did not remember EHRLICHMAN.

On January 24, 1969, FRED GLOVER, Assistant to the President, Stanford University advised that it is the policy of Stanford University to furnish no personal information about its! students without the written consent of the student.

#### EMPLOYMENT

On January 27, 1969, [REDACTED] Stanford University, advised that her records show that EHRLICHMAN was employed by Stanford University in 1949 1950, and 1951 as a Reading Assistant in Law School. She advised that her records gave no listing of his supervisor or associates. b6

#### RESIDENCE

##### AT MENLO PARK, CALIFORNIA

On January 27, 1969, the 1950 Edition, City Directory of Menlo Park showed that EHRLICHMAN resided at 786 Live Oak Avenue, Menlo Park, California.

#### CREDIT AND POLICE RECORDS

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] Menlo Park Police Department, advised that she could find no record identifiable with EHRLICHMAN, his wife, or son. b6

##### AT PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] Palo Alto Credit Bureau, which covers Menlo Park and Stanford, California advised that she could find no record identifiable with EHRLICHMAN, his wife or son. b6



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On January 27, 1969, [REDACTED] Palo Alto Police Department advised that she could find no record identifiable with EHRLICHMAN, his wife, or son. b6

AT SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA

On January 27, 1969, [REDACTED], Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office advised that she could find no record identifiable with EHRLICHMAN, his wife, or son. b6

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA WILLIAM J. SLATTERY:

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

STATE BAR RECORDS

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] b6  
[REDACTED] State Bar of California, 601 California Street,  
advised that JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, who was born March 20,  
1925, at Tacoma, Washington, was admitted to practice law  
in California on January 9, 1952 and is in good standing  
but is in inactive status since January 1, 1953. At the  
time of his admission, EHRLICHMAN gave his residence address  
as 6052 Colgate Avenue, Los Angeles, California and indicated  
he graduated from the University of California at Los Angeles  
and Stanford Law School. His current business address is  
shown as 1702 Norton Building, Seattle, Washington 98104.

JACK HAYES, Secretary, State Bar of California, has  
previously advised that Records of Grievances which may have  
been filed against attorneys are not available to outside  
agencies without written permission from the attorney involved.

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Title:

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

EHRLICHMAN served in U. S. Army Air Corps both as enlistee and officer. Prior Enlisted Reserve Corps and subsequent Officers' Reserve Corps/Air Force Reserve service noted. All service honorable. Military specialty, foreign duty, awards, and performance ratings reported.

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DETAILS: AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

On January 27, 1969, a review of records on file at the National Personnel Records Center (Military Records Branch), disclosed JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, under serial number 19 206 426, enlisted in the U. S. Army Enlisted Reserve Corps on February 19, 1943, at Los Angeles, California. He served in a reserve status until April 24, 1943, at which time he entered on active duty with the Army Air Corps at Santa Ana, California. He was honorably discharged on April 7, 1944, as an Aviation Cadet at Hondo, Texas, to accept an appointment as a commissioned officer.

Under serial number 0-719 905, he accepted appointment as a Second Lieutenant and entered on active duty as such with the Army Air Corps on April 8, 1944, at Hondo, Texas. He was honorably released from active duty on November 22, 1945, as a First Lieutenant at San Bernardino Army Air Field, California, by reason of demobilization, and transferred to the control of the Officers' Reserve Corps. It was noted he was in a "terminal leave" status during the period October 3, 1945, - November 22, 1945, inclusive. He then served in a reserve status with the Officers' Reserve Corps/Air Force Reserve until honorably discharged on April 1, 1953, as a First Lieutenant, by reason of declination of an indefinite term appointment as a Reserve Commissioned Officer.

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EHRlichman's primary military occupational specialty was listed as Navigator.

He had foreign duty in the European Theater of Operations during the period June, 1944 - June, 1945, and was eligible for receipt of the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with four Bronze Campaign Stars, the American Area Campaign Medal, the Air Medal with three Oak-Leaf Clusters ("For meritorious achievement, in accomplishing with distinction, several aerial operational missions over enemy occupied Continental Europe. . .") (Participated in 26 combat missions - totaling 215 combat hours), the Distinguished Flying Cross ("For extraordinary achievement while serving as Lead Navigator on many heavy bombardment missions to Germany and enemy occupied territory. . ."), The World War Two Victory Medal and two Overseas Service Bars.

There was no record of courts-martial or unauthorized absence, and EHRlichman's character and efficiency during his active military service were rated as ranging from "Unknown" (not observed) to "Superior."

His date and place of birth were shown in the military records as March 20, 1925, Tacoma, Washington.



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MERTON R. ANDERSON

Office: Los Angeles, California

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January 27, 1969

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JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Appointee's education at University of California at Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, verified where appointee graduated June 17, 1948, and received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. Employment verified. Reference recommends. Appointee is member in good standing of California State Bar Association since January 9, 1952. No credit or arrest record located for appointee and wife. Appointee's mother maintains satisfactory credit record in Los Angeles, California.

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DETAILS:EDUCATION

University of California at  
Los Angeles (UCLA)  
Los Angeles, California  
1948

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] Registrar's Office, UCLA, made available the scholastic record of JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN to SA JOHN E. BEAMER. This record revealed that the appointee entered UCLA in September, 1942, and attended until April 20, 1943, when he withdrew for military service. He re-entered in October, 1945, and attended until June 17, 1948, when he graduated and was awarded a Bachelor of Arts

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degree in Political Science. He maintained a grade average of "B plus". The record listed his date of birth as March 20, 1925, at Tacoma, Washington, and his residence as 220 San Vicente Boulevard, Santa Monica, California. The record contains only favorable information.

[REDACTED] reviewed the appointee's record and advised that in view of the passage of time since the appointee's attendance, she is unable to suggest any former instructor or fellow student who would recall EHRLICHMAN. b6

EMPLOYMENT

Edgeman Dairy  
Santa Monica, California  
(while attending college)

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] Edgeman Farms, 346 Rosa Avenue, Venice, California, advised SA JOHN E. BEAMER that her personnel records reveal the following concerning JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN: He was employed as a temporary salesman in the retail sales department from June 20, 1949, to August 27, 1950. He resigned to accept a better position. His Social Security Number is 454-40-4064. His date of birth is recorded in the records as March 20, 1925, at Tacoma, Washington. He is eligible for rehire. b6

[REDACTED] advised that she is not acquainted with EHRLICHMAN. b6

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] Retail Sales Department, Edgeman Farms, both advised SA BEAMER that they have been employed there for 25 years, and neither is able to recall JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN. b6



REFERENCE

On January 24, 1969, Mr. NAT S. ROGERS, Chairman of the Executive Committee of Van Waters and Rogers, Inc., Seattle, Washington, was interviewed at his residence, 46383 Amethyst Drive, Palm Desert, California, by SA MERTON R. ANDERSON. He advised that he has known the appointee, JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, for approximately twenty or twenty-five years. He said that he is not professionally acquainted, however, he is socially acquainted with the appointee and his wife, JEANNE EHRLICHMAN. He said that he is aware that the appointee "graduated high in his class" at UCLA and that based on this he was admitted to Stanford University, Palo Alto, California, where he obtained his law degree.

Mr. ROGERS continued that he considers the appointee to be exceptionally capable in the legal field, and particularly so in zoning laws. He characterized EHRLICHMAN as a very personable, intelligent and aggressive individual who meets the public with ease. He said that Mr. EHRLICHMAN is a religious individual and he is regular in his church attendance. He is entirely loyal to the United States and completely trustworthy. Mr. ROGERS added that he knows nothing unfavorable concerning the character, associates, reputation or patriotism of the appointee and his family. He highly recommended the appointee to a position involving trust and responsibility.

MEMBERSHIP IN BAR ASSOCIATIONS

On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] Records Section, California State Bar Association, 1330 West Third Street, Los Angeles, California, advised SA MERTON R. ANDERSON that her records reveal that JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN became a member of the California State Bar Association on January 9, 1952. He is a member in good standing. Her records contain no record of any grievances against EHRLICHMAN.

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On January 23, 1969, [REDACTED] b6  
Records Section, Los Angeles County Bar Association,  
606 South Olive Street, Los Angeles, California, ad-  
vised SA MERTON R. ANDERSON that her records reveal that  
JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN is not a member of that bar  
association.

CREDIT AND ARREST

The appointee has listed the following relatives  
who formerly resided or who presently reside in the Los  
Angeles, California area:

Wife	JEANNE FISHER EHRLICHMAN, 330 Chesapeake Drive, Great Falls, Virginia
Father	RUDOLPH I. EHRLICHMAN, deceased
Mother	LILLIAN C. EHRLICHMAN, 6052 Colgate, Los Angeles, California

On the dates indicated the files of the  
following agencies were caused to be reviewed, by the  
listed individuals, and no record was located for the  
appointee and his wife, JEANNE FISHER EHRLICHMAN:

Retail Merchants' Credit Association  
Los Angeles, California  
(Checked on January 23, 1969, by  
IC BERNARD PL BLAIS)

Los Angeles Police Department  
Los Angeles, California  
(Checked on January 24, 1969, by  
IC MILLARD T. ANDERSON)

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office  
Los Angeles, California  
(Checked on January 23, 1969, by  
IC MERTON R. ANDERSON, JR.)

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1/29/69

Office: Washington, D. C.

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JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Appointee received presidential appointment and was commissioned Counsel to the President. Employment with Office of President Elect Transition verified. Associates recommend. No record appointee The Credit Bureau, Incorporated. No record appointee or spouse police departments. No record CSC, HCUA, Secret Service, or Bar Associations. No record Washington Daily News library. No unfavorable information Washington Evening Star library. Passport information set forth.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

EMPLOYMENT



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White House Office (WHO)

The following investigation at WHO was conducted by SA GEORGE E. SAUNDERS.

On January 24, 1969, Mrs. JEAN ROBB, Personnel Officer, WHO, made available the Official Personnel File for the appointee, JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN, which reflected that on January 21, 1969 he received a Presidential appointment (Commissioned) as Counsel to the President. The file contained no additional information.

On January 24, 1969, LAWRENCE DUNN, Staff Assistant, WHO, made available a file for the appointee which reflected that for the period November 7, 1968 to January 21, 1969, the appointee was employed by the Office of President-Elect, Transition, New York City. There was no position recorded. This file contained no additional information.

On January 24, 1969, SA SAUNDERS determined that the payroll records for the Republican National Committee reflected that the appointee was payrolled through the organization, Citizens for NIXON - AGNEW, for the period August 8, 1968 to November 7, 1968. Payroll record contained no additional information.

The following three interviews at WHO were conducted on January 24, 1969.

PETER M. FLANIGAN, Staff Assistant, (temporary) WHO, has known the appointee politically and personally for approximately eight years. FLANIGAN pointed out that the appointee has been very active in the NIXON campaigns and presently holds one of the highest staff positions in the White House. He described the appointee as an extremely intelligent, capable and responsible person. FLANIGAN

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stated that to his knowledge, the appointee is residing with his wife and five children at his present address in Great Falls, Virginia. He believes EHRLICHMAN to be a decent, respectable person who is completely devoted to his wife and family. His comments were extremely favorable concerning the appointee's character, associates, reputation and loyalty and highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence.

Miss ROSE MARY WOODS, Personal Secretary to the President, has known the appointee approximately twelve years through EHRLICHMAN's association with the President. She pointed out that EHRLICHMAN has been very active in the various NIXON campaigns and has also been a close advisor to him. She described him as a very competent, intelligent, capable person of great capacity. She believes him to be a respectable person and devoted family man. Her comments were extremely favorable concerning the appointee's character, associates, reputation and loyalty and highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence.

DWIGHT L. CHAPIN, Special Assistant to the President has known the appointee since approximately 1962 on a co-worker basis during the periods that have been associated with the NIXON campaigns. He also knows him socially and is acquainted with his wife. He described the appointee as a fine, decent, respectable person who is completely devoted to his wife and family. He further described the appointee as a very able attorney who is completely devoted to the President. He believes the appointee to be a person of excellent character, associates, reputation, a loyal American citizen and highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence.

The following interviews conducted at WHO were conducted on January 27, 1969.



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HARRY S. FLEMING, Special Assistant to the President, has known the appointee approximately two years on a political basis in connection with their work with the NIXON campaigns and has had close professional and social contact with him since the Republican Convention in August, 1968. He described the appointee as a very able, conscientious and intelligent person and stated that his comments would "be of the highest in all respects". He has never heard or observed anything of a derogatory nature concerning the appointee. He believes EHREICHMAN to be a person of excellent character, associates, reputation, a loyal American citizen and highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence.

BRYCE N. HARLOW, Assistant to the President, has known the appointee for approximately three or four months on a close co-worker basis as co-members of the President NIXON staff. In this short time he has been very favorably impressed with the appointee; has found him to be extremely capable, intelligent, responsible and completely devoted to the President. He has no reason to question the appointee's character, associates, reputation and loyalty and highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence.

JOHN C. WHITAKER, Secretary to the Cabinet, has known the appointee approximately eight years having first become acquainted with him and President NIXON's Presidential Cabinet in 1960. He has since had close professional and personal contact with him to the present. He described the appointee as a very reliable, responsible and conscientious person. He believes him to be a fine, decent person who is completely devoted to his wife and family. His comments were favorable concerning the appointee's character, associates, reputation and loyalty and he highly recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence.



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Washington Senators

On January 27, 1969, Senator HENRY M. JACKSON advised SA RICHARD T. TAYLOR, JR. he knows the appointee by his professional reputation as an attorney in Seattle, Washington. He does not know him personally and could not recall having any personal contact with him nor with the members of his firm; HULLIN, EHRLICHMAN, ROBERTS, and HODGE. He considered him to be an expert with regard to land-use law. He said he enjoys an excellent professional reputation as does his firm. He knew of no reason which would cause him to question his character, associates, reputation, or loyalty. He said he would interpose no objection to his nomination to a post involving trust and responsibility in the United States Government.

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Representative PAUL N. MC CLOSKY, JR. (California) furnished the following information to SA RICHARD T. TAYLOR, JR. on January 27, 1969. He has known the appointee since 1950, when he and the appointee were law students at Stanford University, where they had frequent contact with each other in connection with their law studies. Both participated extensively in moot court activities. He considered him to be among his close personal friends having maintained frequent contact with each other since law school days.

Representative MC CLOSKY recently visited the appointee's home at 330 Chesapeake Drive, Great Falls, Virginia, where he renewed his former acquaintance with the appointee's wife, JEANNE FISHER EHRLICHMAN, and the appointee's children, JAN, THOMAS, JODY, and ROBERT EHRLICHMAN, who reside with the appointee and his wife. The appointee's eldest son, PETER EHRLICHMAN, is currently a student at Stanford University. He said the appointee's wife and children have always maintained good reputations within the community.

Representative MC CLOSKY said the appointee's mode of living, orientation and loyalty to the United States is above reproach. He has maintained an excellent reputation as a member of the bar. He knew of no information which would cause him to question the appointee's character, sense of dedication, nor his choice of associates. He recommended him without hesitation or qualification to a position of trust and responsibility in the United States Government.



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CREDIT AND POLICE AGENCIES

SE JOHN W. SULLIVAN caused a search to be made of the files of The Credit Bureau, Incorporated, Washington, D. C., and was advised on January 24, 1969, that the files contained no record for the appointee.

On January 24, 1969, IC KENNETH SHAFFER determined that no record was contained in the Metropolitan Police Department files concerning the appointee or his spouse, JEANNE FISHER EHRLICHMAN.

It is to be noted that at all times an indefinite number of unidentified records are out of file and not available for review.

On January 24, 1969, IC WILLIAM H. LYERLY, JR., searched the files of the U. S. Park Police and no identifiable record could be found concerning the appointee or his spouse.

IC JOHN B. ARMSTRONG caused a search to be made of the files of the Fairfax County, Virginia, Police Department, and was advised on January 28, 1969, that no record was found concerning the appointee or his spouse.



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SA WILLIAM E. TRAINOR, JR., caused a search to be made of the files of the Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Civil Service Commission, and was advised on January 27, 1969, that no record was found concerning the appointee.

The files of the House Committee on Un-American Activities were reviewed on January 27, 1969, by SE CARL H. PETERSON, and no identifiable record was found for the appointee.

IC THOMAS S. HARRELL caused a search to be made of the files of the U. S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury, and was advised on January 27, 1969, that no record was located for the appointee.

On January 24, 1969, IC KENNETH SHAFFER caused a search to be made of the files of the following organizations concerning bar membership and no record was found for the appointee:

Committee on Admissions and Grievances, U. S.  
District Court for the District of Columbia  
(USDCDC).

Lawyers Register, USDCDC.

Supreme Court of the U. S.

On January 27, 1969, SA TRAINOR caused a search to be made of the files of the following organizations concerning bar membership and no record was found for the appointee:

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District of Columbia Bar Association.

Federal Bar Association.

On January 27, 1969, SA TRAINOR caused a search to be made of the files of the Washington Daily News library and was advised no record could be found for the appointee.

On January 24, 1969, IC KENNETH SHAFFER caused a search to be made of the files of the Washington Evening Star library, and was furnished several newspaper clippings which contain information relative to the appointee's association with the President and of his appointment as a Presidential Counsel by the President. The file contained no unfavorable information.

Records of the Passport Office, Department of State, reviewed January 28, 1969, by SA JEROME E. VEIGLE disclosed a passport was issued to JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN on April 26, 1966, for proposed travel to Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, East Germany, Switzerland, Italy, France and England for a period of three weeks business.

A birth certificate, seen and returned, revealed his birth as March 20, 1925 at Tacoma, Washington.

Another passport was issued to EHRLICHMAN on August 12, 1958 for proposed travel to El Salvador and possibly Guatemala for a period of one week on business.



US Treasury Department

Internal Revenue Service  
Washington, DC 20224

Date: January 28, 1969 In reply refer to: CP:C:D



Taxpayer: John Daniel Ehrlichman  
330 Chesapeake Drive  
Great Falls, Virginia

Years: 1965, 1966, and 1967

Our records show that income tax returns were timely filed. There is no record of unpaid taxes, liens, or intelligence investigations concerning these returns.

This completes our report.

No dissemination should be made of  
Internal Revenue Service Information  
outside the White House, Department  
of Justice and employing agency.

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Date 1/30/69

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Via AIRTEL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (161-5300) (RUC)

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN  
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Re WFO report 1/29/69.

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SA PAUL F. DOUGHERTY, JR. caused a search to be made of the files of the Central Intelligence Agency and was advised on 1/30/69 that [REDACTED]

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Special Agent in Charge

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ACQUAINTANCES

On January 28, 1969, ROBERT ELLSWORTH, Assistant to the President, advised that he has known the appointee JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN for approximately one year on a political-professional basis only. He pointed out that EHRLICHMAN is one of the President's Top Assistant's and is very highly regarded by NIXON. ELLSWORTH has always found the appointee to be an extremely conscientious, capable, intelligent person. His comments were extremely favorable concerning the appointee's character, associates, reputation or loyalty and highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence.

H. R. HALDEMAN, Assistant to the President was not contacted because of his personal request that he be not interviewed on White House personnel investigations.

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On January 30, 1969, HERBERT G. KLEIN, Director of Communications for the Executive Branch, White House Office, advised SA SAUNDERS that he has known JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN since approximately 1960, when they worked together on the NIXON Presidential campaign. Since that time he has had intermittent political contact with him in connection with Mr. NIXON's various campaigns through the recent Presidential election. KLEIN pointed out that EHRLICHMAN is very highly regarded by the President and is one of President NIXON's top assistants. KLEIN considers EHRLICHMAN to be an outstanding person in every respect who is completely dedicated to the President. His comments were extremely favorable concerning the appointee's character, associates, reputation and loyalty and he highly recommended EHRLICHMAN for a position of trust and confidence.



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CALIFORNIA SENATOR

On January 29, 1969, GERALD B. GRINSTEIN, Administrative Assistant to Senator WARREN G. MAGNUSON (Washington), advised SA TAYLOR the Senator is not presently available for interview. He was authorized to say in his behalf that the Senator knows the appointee in a professional capacity only. His knowledge of him results from his outstanding reputation as an Attorney in Seattle, Washington. He does not know him personally and is unaware of the identity of the appointee's family members and his outside activities. The Senator has no unfavorable information concerning the appointee's character, associates, reputation or loyalty. He recommends him to a position of trust and responsibility in the United States Government.

161-5300-21

1 - Mr. Gale  
1 - Mr. Cleveland  
1 - Mr. Boeger

February 4, 1969

BY LIAISON

The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

On January 22, 1969, a request was received from the White House for a background investigation concerning the Honorable John D. Ehrlichman. Enclosed herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of that investigation.

The Internal Revenue Service has advised that income tax returns were timely filed by Mr. Ehrlichman for the years 1965, 1966, and 1967, and there is no record of unpaid taxes, liens, or intelligence investigations concerning these returns.

The investigation of Mr. Ehrlichman covered inquiries as to his character, loyalty, ability, and general standing, but no inquiries were made as to the sources of his income.

Sincerely yours, REC 13

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Enclosure

NOTE: Mr. Ehrlichman, aged 43, has been appointed Legal Counsel to the President. Investigation complete and favorable.

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February 4, 1969

JOHN DANIEL EHRLICHMAN SUMMARY CARD

**I. BIOGRAPHICAL DATA**

**Birth**

Mr. Ehrlichman was born on March 20, 1925, in Tacoma, Washington. 230 CHICAGO DRIVE SEATTLE WASH.

**Education**

VIRGINIA

Mr. Ehrlichman attended the University of California at Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, from September, 1942, to April 20, 1943, when he entered the United States Army Air Corps. He returned to the University of California at Los Angeles in October, 1945, and continued in attendance until June 17, 1948, when he received a B.A. degree;

Mr. Ehrlichman attended Stanford University, Stanford, California, from September, 1948, to June, 1951. He received an LL.B. degree from Stanford University on June 17, 1951.

**Employment**

From 1948 to 1951, while attending college, Mr. Ehrlichman worked part time as a teaching assistant and a milkman in Stanford and Santa Monica, California.

During the period of July, 1951, to September, 1952, Mr. Ehrlichman was employed in the legal department of the Union Pacific Insurance Company, Seattle, Washington.

During the period of September, 1952, to June, 1968, Mr. Ehrlichman was a partner in the law firm of Hullin, Ehrlichman, Roberts, and Hodge, Seattle, Washington.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ Mohr
- \_\_\_\_\_ Bishop
- \_\_\_\_\_ Casper
- \_\_\_\_\_ Callahan
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## John Daniel Ehrlichman

Mr. Ehrlichman was associated with the Nixon - Agnew campaign as tour director from June 1, 1968, to November 5, 1968, and with the Presidential Transition Committee for President-elect Richard M. Nixon from November 5, 1968, to January 20, 1969.

Since January 21, 1969, Mr. Ehrlichman has served as Legal Counsel to the President.

### Marital Status

Mr. Ehrlichman, his wife, Jeanne, and four of their five children, Jan, Thomas, Jody, and Robert, reside at 330 Chesapeake Drive, Great Falls, Virginia.

### Military Service

Mr. Ehrlichman entered on active duty with the United States Army Air Corps on April 24, 1943. He was released to inactive duty as a first lieutenant on October 3, 1945. He was on terminal leave during the period October 3, 1945, to November 22, 1945. Mr. Ehrlichman served in the United States Air Force Reserve from November 23, 1945, to April 1, 1953, when he was honorably discharged by reason of his declination of an indefinite term appointment. Mr. Ehrlichman was the recipient of several medals in connection with his military service, including the Distinguished Flying Cross. His service record is clear.

## II. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

### Interviews

Henry M. Jackson, United States Senator from Washington, informed that although he does not know Mr. Ehrlichman personally, he knows Mr. Ehrlichman by his professional reputation as an attorney in Seattle, Washington. He said Mr. Ehrlichman enjoys an excellent professional reputation, and said he considers Mr. Ehrlichman to be an expert with regard to land use law. He stated he knows of no information which would cause him to question Mr. Ehrlichman's character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. He said he would interpose no objection to the nomination of Mr. Ehrlichman to a position involving trust and confidence in the Government.

**John Daniel Ehrlichman**

Gerald B. Grinstein, Administrative Assistant to Warren G. Magnuson, United States Senator from Washington, advised Senator Magnuson is not presently available for interview. He said he was authorized to state on behalf of Senator Magnuson that the Senator knows Mr. Ehrlichman by his professional reputation as an attorney in Seattle, Washington. Mr. Grinstein said Senator Magnuson has no unfavorable information concerning Mr. Ehrlichman's character, associates, reputation, or loyalty, and said he would recommend him for a position of trust and responsibility in the Government.

Paul N. McCloskey, Jr., United States Representative from California, stated he has known Mr. Ehrlichman since 1950 when both he and Mr. Ehrlichman were students at Stanford University. He said Mr. Ehrlichman enjoys an excellent professional reputation. He said Mr. Ehrlichman's character and reputation are above reproach, and said he considers Mr. Ehrlichman to be a loyal American citizen. He stated he would highly recommend Mr. Ehrlichman for a position of trust and confidence with the Government.

Jack E. Hullin, Partner, Hullin, Ehrlichman, Roberts and Hodge, Seattle, Washington, stated he has known Mr. Ehrlichman for approximately twenty years, and has been associated with him as a law partner in the above firm since September, 1952. Mr. Hullin described Mr. Ehrlichman as an excellent attorney who is an authority in the field of land use and zoning. He said Mr. Ehrlichman is aggressive, hardworking, intelligent, and said he is beyond reproach as to his honesty, trustworthiness, and discretion. He said Mr. Ehrlichman is a loyal American citizen, and said he would highly recommend him for a position of trust and confidence with the Government.

Carl B. Birkenmeyer, President, Union Pacific Insurance Company, Tacoma, Washington, advised he first met Mr. Ehrlichman in 1950 when he, Mr. Birkenmeyer, was Vice President of the Seattle branch of the above company, and Mr. Ehrlichman was employed in the legal department of that company. He described Mr. Ehrlichman as a personable, friendly, mature, stable, responsible, and intelligent individual. He said Mr. Ehrlichman was outstanding in



**John Daniel Ehrlichman**

every respect, and said Mr. Ehrlichman is hardworking and has an analytical mind. He said he also knows the wife and children of Mr. Ehrlichman, and stated they are all of good moral character and are loyal Americans. He said he would highly recommend Mr. Ehrlichman for a position of trust and confidence with the Government.

W. Walter Williams, Chairman of the Board, Continental, Incorporated, Seattle, Washington, stated Mr. Ehrlichman is of unquestioned loyalty to the United States and is of the highest moral character. He said Mr. Ehrlichman is a very able lawyer who enjoys an excellent professional reputation. He said Mr. Ehrlichman enjoys a good family life, and said his entire family is of excellent character. He said he would highly recommend Mr. Ehrlichman for a position of trust and confidence with the Government.

Thirty-five additional persons, consisting of professional and personal associates, social acquaintances, and references, were interviewed, and they furnished favorable comments concerning Mr. Ehrlichman's character, reputation, loyalty, morals, habits, ability, and associates. Persons well acquainted with him said he is dependable, trustworthy, dedicated, and conscientious. He was highly recommended for a position of trust and confidence. Persons acquainted with other members of his family stated they are reputable individuals whose loyalty to the United States is above reproach.

**Close Relatives**

In addition to his wife and four of their children, previously mentioned, Mr. Ehrlichman has the following living close relatives:

**Mother**

Lillian C. Ehrlichman  
Los Angeles, California

**Son**

Peter S. Ehrlichman  
Stanford, California



John Daniel Ehrlichman

Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from the appropriate credit reporting and law enforcement agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Ehrlichman or his close relatives.

Passport Record

The records of the Passport Office, Department of State, disclose Mr. Ehrlichman has been issued two passports since 1958 for travel to Europe and Latin America on business.

There is no derogatory information concerning him.

Bar Associations

Mr. Ehrlichman was admitted to practice law in the States of Washington and California in 1952. He is presently a member in good standing of the California State Bar Association, Washington State Bar Association, and the American Bar Association. No grievances have been filed against him.

Agency Checks



The Central Files of the FBI, including the files of the Identification Division, contain no additional pertinent information concerning Mr. Ehrlichman.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

1-Mr. DeLoach  
1-Mr. Bishop  
1-Mr. Gale

1-Mr. Sullivan  
1-Mr. Rosen  
1-Reading Room

TO : MR. DE LOACH

DATE: 5/2/69

FROM : S. B. DONAHOE

SUBJECT: CORRESPONDENCE TO THE WHITE HOUSE

1- Mr. Tolson  
1- Mr. DeLoach  
1- Mr. Mohr  
1- Mr. Bishop  
1- Mr. Casper  
1- Mr. Callahan  
1- Mr. Conrad  
1- Mr. Felt  
1- Mr. Gale  
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1- Mr. Trotter  
1- Tele. Room  
1- Mr. Holmes  
1- Miss Gandy

34 Since the transition at the White House in January, 1969, correspondence to Honorable John D. Ehrlichman has been addressed to him using the title "Legal Counsel to the President." Upon receipt of copies of the latest issue of the Congressional Directory (91st Congress, March, 1969), it was noted that Mr. Ehrlichman's title is shown on Page 421 as "Counsel to the President."

Mr. Ehrlichman's secretary, Trudy Brown, while calling on another matter, was asked whether or not Mr. Ehrlichman's official title was "Legal Counsel to the President." Miss Brown advised that Mr. Ehrlichman uses the title of "Counsel to the President"; however, she stated the word "Legal" is actually descriptive of his position and either title is all right.

## ACTION:

Since Mr. Ehrlichman uses the title "Counsel to the President" personally, we will begin addressing correspondence to him using that title. This change of address title necessitates no change in any Bureau forms or manuals. This will be out in full effect with mail dated May 6, 1969.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Gale *W/C*

DATE: April 3, 1969

FROM : W. V. Cleveland *W/C*

SUBJECT: MRS. JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN AND PARTY  
TOUR OF BUREAU HEADQUARTERS  
APRIL 2, 1969

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Mrs. Ehrlichman, wife of John D. Ehrlichman, Legal Counsel to the President, and seven individuals in her party were afforded a special tour of Bureau headquarters on April 2, 1969. The party consisted of two of Mrs. Ehrlichman's children, Jan and Thomas Ehrlichman, and three teenage friends. The party also included Mr. and Mrs. George William Taylor of Seattle, Washington. The tour was handled by Special Agent William F. Shubatt, Special Investigative Division.

Members of Mrs. Ehrlichman's party were most interested in the various facets of the responsibilities of the Bureau. They spoke highly of the Bureau's work. Mrs. Ehrlichman advised she was most appreciative of the tour.

Mr. Taylor indicated his brother, Angus M. Taylor, was formerly a Special Agent with the Bureau. Angus M. Taylor, Jr. entered on duty as a Special Agent on 11/5/34 and voluntarily resigned effective January 31, 1940, services satisfactory. He subsequently served as United States Attorney in Honolulu, Hawaii.

## RECOMMENDATION:

For your information and record purposes.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Gale
- 1 - Mr. Cleveland
- 1 - Tour Room
- 1 - Mr. Shubatt

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TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 1/9/69

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
COUNSEL TO PRESIDENT-ELECT NIXON

## PURPOSE:

To set forth pertinent information in Bureau files concerning captioned individual who has an appointment to see Mr. Hoover this afternoon.

## BIOGRAPHICAL DATA:

John D. Ehrlichman was born at Tacoma, Washington, on March 20, 1925. He received the AB degree at the University of California in 1948 and the LL. B degree in 1951 from Stanford University. He was admitted to the Bar in the State of Washington and California in 1952. He is a member of the Seattle law firm of Hullin, Ehrlichman, Roberts and Hodge. He has also served as lecturer at the University of Washington on zoning practices and procedures. He had the title of Tour Director during Mr. Nixon's 1968 campaign and had worked in previous Nixon campaigns since 1960. He and his wife have five children.

## INFORMATION IN BUFILES:

Bureau files contain a non-derogatory reference to one John Ehrlichman, an attorney with a Canadian bonding company which held bonds on a road building project at San Salvador, El Salvador, in 1958. Our files contain no additional references which may be identical with Ehrlichman and there is no arrest record identifiable with him in the fingerprint files of the Identification Division. (64-175-226-16)

## RECOMMENDATION:

None. For the Director's information.

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1 - Mr. DeLoach

1 - Mr. Bishop

1 - Miss Holmes

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop *MB*

FROM : M. A. Jones *MAJ*

SUBJECT: HONORABLE JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
NEWLY DESIGNATED ASSISTANT TO THE  
PRESIDENT FOR DOMESTIC AFFAIRS

DATE: 11-4-69

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Mr. Ehrlichman, who has, of course, been Counsel to the President since President Nixon went into office, was today named to a new position which will be roughly equivalent in domestic affairs to the position held by Dr. Henry Kissinger with respect to national security affairs.

It has been indicated that as Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs Mr. Ehrlichman will advise the President on domestic policy and will be responsible for White House operations in all substantive matters which have any bearing on domestic affairs. With Mr. Ehrlichman assuming his new title, the position of Counsel to the President has been abolished.

It has also been noted that Bryce Harlow, who formerly had the title of Assistant to the President, and Daniel P. Moynihan, Assistant to the President for Urban Affairs, have been appointed Counsellors to the President and will henceforth have Cabinet rank.

Mr. Egil Krogh, who recently was given the title Deputy Counsel to the President, will continue to work in Mr. Ehrlichman's office and will now have the title Deputy Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs.

It has been determined that there will be no change insofar as the Bureau's responsibilities with regard to the White House are concerned, that Mr. Ehrlichman's office will continue to submit name checks and requests for full field investigations, and now will also be seeing that correspondence from the Bureau which has a bearing on his new assignment. *101-5861-2*

## RECOMMENDATION:

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For information. SEE ADDENDUM PAGE 2.

1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Bishop  
1 - Mr. Rosen  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. Gale

1 - Miss Gandy  
1 - Miss Holmes  
1 - M. A. Jones

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Jones to Bishop memorandum 11/4/69  
Re: HONORABLE JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN

ADDENDUM; SBD:amr

Some mail, already addressed to Ehrlichman as  
"Counsel to the President" will be sent through only on 11/5/69,  
to avoid extensive retyping. All mail thereafter to Ehrlichman  
will bear the title "Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs."

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## Three Top Aides Reshuffled by Nixon

Almost exactly ~~after~~ after his election, President Nixon directed yesterday the first broad reorganization of his White House staff.

Two key assistants, Bryce Harlow and Daniel Patrick Moynihan, were relieved of operational responsibilities and elevated to counselors to the President.

John D. Ehrlichman, a top staff member, was named assistant to the President for domestic affairs. The announcement said he will "be responsible for White House operations in all substantive matters concerning domestic affairs."

Ehrlichman, who was an attorney in Seattle, Wash., until a little over a year ago, had been acting for several months as the staff coordinator of White House operations and policy-making on many domestic problems.

Yesterday's announcement thus makes formal and official his powers in the domestic field, which were described by the White House as roughly equivalent to those Dr. Henry A. Kissinger has in foreign affairs.

Harlow, a veteran of many years Capitol Hill staffs and eight years as one of President Eisenhower's liaison men with Congress, had been chief of the 10-man White House legislative liaison unit under Mr. Nixon. Harlow will continue "policy guidance" of legislative liaison in his new post, but a new chief will be named for the day-to-day workings with Capitol Hill.

Moynihan served in Labor Department policy posts under Presidents Kennedy and Johnson and is the only Democrat in a top White House post under President Nixon. Since Jan. 20, he has directed the Urban Affairs Council, which is expected to have a somewhat diminished role under the reorganization.

The reshuffle, which has been under consideration for several months, was triggered by Mr. Nixon's decision to name his present counselor, Arthur P. Burns, to be chair-

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man of the Federal Reserve Board. It was also influenced by a White House organization study recently completed by an advisory committee under industrialist Roy A. Harlow.

"The function of a counselor," said the White House announcement, "is to anticipate events, to think through the consequences of current trends, to question conventional wisdom, to address fundamentals and to stimulate long-range innovation." Harlow and Moynihan—like Burns before them—will have Cabinet rank in the counselor job.

Meanwhile, the domestic affairs staff under Ehrlichman will form various temporary "project groups" to study major programs and problems. The groups will consist of department and agency officials as well as White House and Budget Bureau staff aides.

Six staff members will supervise project groups. They are:

- Peter Flanigan, in charge of groups in the financial field as well as retaining his present broad duties.

- John C. Whitaker, who has been secretary to the Cabinet, in charge of project groups in natural resource areas.

- Egil Krogh Jr., justice groups.

- Edward Morgan, welfare and education groups.

- Henry Cashen II, urban affairs and Post Office.

- Leonard Garment, civil rights, youth and culture groups.

Flanigan is an assistant to the President. The others are deputy assistants to the President except for Garment, who is special consultant to the President.

Kenneth Cole will be responsible for administration of the domestic affairs staff. Richard Burrell will be staff legislative specialist. Both are deputy assistants to the President.



Daniel P. Moynihan, upper left, and Bryce Harlow, lower left, have been named coun-

By Harry Nallchayan—The Washington Post  
sors to the President. John Ehrlichman, right, is chief assistant for domestic affairs.



March 12, 1970

BY LIAISON

Dear Mr. Ehrlichman:

Enclosed herewith are reprints of an article from the Fordham Law Review, an article from The PTA Magazine, and a statement furnished to the Associated Press. I thought you might be interested in reading these since they deal with student extremism and the young people of today. I have also sent copies of these directly to the President.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

J. EDGAR HOOVER

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Honorable John D. Ehrlichman  
Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

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\*\* A Study in Marxist Revolutionary Violence: Students for a Democratic Society, 1962-1969  
The SDS and the High Schools  
An Open Letter to the Youth of America

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DATE 3/17/70  
BY H.C.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop *RB*

DATE: 3-12-70

FROM : Mr. A. Jones

SUBJECT: COPIES OF DIRECTOR'S RECENT ARTICLES  
VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW AND OTHER  
PROMINENT OFFICIALS

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There is attached a letter dated today to Vice President Agnew forwarding to him copies of three of the Director's recent articles.

*JS* Vice President Agnew does not appear on the Bureau's mailing list. We do, however, maintain a so-called reference card on him so that his address will be readily available at all times.

We likewise maintain similar reference cards on John D. Ehrlichman, President Nixon and the Attorney General and these individuals are not on the mailing list. It was felt best to send personal letters to them when we had anything special to call to their attention rather than have them on the mailing list and receiving things routinely which would probably never come to their personal attention.

With regard to Attorney General Mitchell we, of course, send him the Law Enforcement Bulletin each month by special memorandum, and the March issue contained the Director's article entitled "An Open Letter to the Youth of America."

Secretary of State William P. Rogers has been known to the Director on a first name basis for many, many years and he was retained on the mailing list when he became Secretary of State. He thus did receive the PTA and Fordham Law Review articles pertaining to the SDS which were sent to all on the Special Correspondents List and, likewise, received the Director's letter to all youth which was included in the March Law Enforcement Bulletin which is received by those on the special mailing list.

## RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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363 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure  
- Mr. Bishop - Enclosure

1 - Miss Gandy - Enclosure  
1 - Mr. Jones - Enclosure

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# Memorandum

TO : MR. W. C. SULLIVAN

DATE: 7/15/70

FROM : D. J. BRENNAN, JR.

SUBJECT: REQUEST FROM THE WHITE HOUSE  
FOR TOUR OF FBI FOR FRIENDS OF  
MR. JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN,  
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR  
DOMESTIC AFFAIRS, 10:30 A.M.,  
JULY 20, 1970

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*Stapleton*

On 7/15/70, Miss Catherine S. Campbell, in the office of Miss Gertrude Brown who is secretary to Mr. Alexander P. Butterfield, Deputy Assistant to the President, called Liaison to request an FBI tour at 10:30 a.m., Monday, July 20, 1970, if possible, for some friends of Mr. John D. Ehrlichman, Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs, who are visiting Washington and are from the San Francisco, California, area. They are:

Mrs. Jeanne Drake and  
her two children - Peter and Betsy

Miss Campbell was advised to have Mrs. Drake and her two children report at 10:30 a.m., July 20, 1970, in room 1732, for the tour. No request was made for them to meet the Director. This has been coordinated with Mr. Stapleton's office.

## ACTION:

That the Tour Room arrange to have an experienced tour leader meet Mrs. Drake and her children in room 1732 for an appropriate tour.

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1-Mr. DeLoach  
1-Mr. Sullivan  
1-Tour Room  
1-Liaison  
1-Mr. Haynes

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- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - C.D. Brennan
- 1 - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - Mr. Haynes

TO LEGAT HONG KONG  
FROM DIRECTOR FBI

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JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN, ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR  
DOMESTIC AFFAIRS; GEORGE P. SCHULTZ, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF  
MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET; VISIT TO HONG KONG SEPTEMBER TWENTY-TWO  
THROUGH TWENTY-FOUR NEXT.

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Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
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Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
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OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET; JOHN D. FERLICHMAN, ASSISTANT TO  
PRESIDENT FOR DOMESTIC AFFAIRS, VISIT TO HONG KONG SEPTEMBER TWO  
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ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR  
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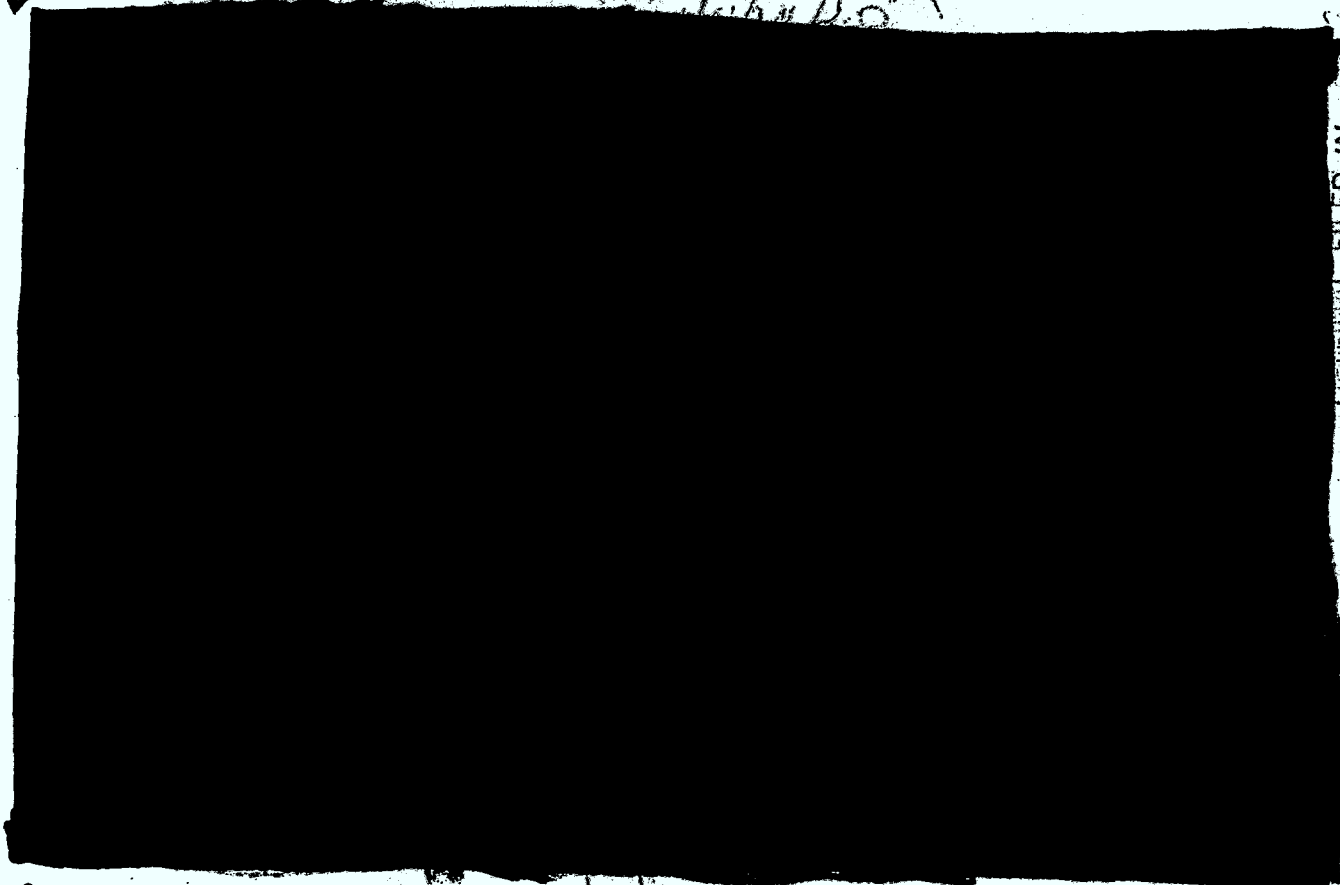
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. C. D. Brennan

DATE: 4-6-71

FROM : W. R. Wannall *WRW*

SUBJECT: JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT  
FOR DOMESTIC AFFAIRS  
REQUEST FOR FBI TOUR FOR  
CHILDREN 4-9-71

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
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On 4-6-71 Miss Gertrude Brown at the White House called Supervisor R. H. Haynes and asked if a tour of the FBI could be arranged for Mr. Ehrlichman's children, Robert and Jody, ages 11 and 13, two of their friends, and their chaperon, Mrs. Anna Loddengaard, on Friday morning, 4-9-71.

Arrangements were made for this group to report to Room 5633, the Director's Reception Room, at 9:30 a.m., 4-9-71, at which time they will be conducted on the tour by a Special Agent Supervisor. This was relayed to Miss Brown. She was most appreciative and said she would advise Mr. Ehrlichman. *A*

## ACTION:

For information.

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- 1-Miss Holmes
- 1-Mr. Sullivan
- 1-Mr. Bishop
- 1-Mr. C. D. Brennan
- 1-Mr. M. A. Jones
- 1-Mr. Stapleton
- 1-Mr. Wannall
- 1-Mr. Haynes

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. G. D. Brennan

FROM : G. C. Moore

SUBJECT: JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN  
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT  
FOR DOMESTIC AFFAIRS  
FBI TOUR FOR CHILDREN  
APRIL 9, 1971

1 - Miss Holmes  
1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr  
DATE: 4/9/71

1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop  
1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan  
1 - Mr. G. C. Moore  
1 - Mr. W. H. Stapleton  
1 - Mr. W. R. Wannall (Haynes)  
1 - Mr. G. T. Tunstall

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Pursuant to a request by Miss Gertrude Brown at the White House, a tour was given on April 9, 1971, by SA Garnett T. Tunstall to the children of Mr. Ehrlichman and their friends. The following individuals comprised the group:

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Robert Ehrlichman, age 13  
Jody Ehrlichman, age 11 B. APPROX.  
Mrs. Anna Loddengaard, chaperon  
Mr. Robert C. Fruland, chaperon  
R. C. Fruland, Jr., son of Mr. Robert C. Fruland  
Cindy Fruland, daughter of Mr. Robert C. Fruland  
Marcia Valentine, friend of Ehrlichman children

Mr. Fruland, a close personal friend of John D. Ehrlichman, was extremely pleased with the tour and commented on several occasions that he was a strong supporter of the Director and the FBI. Mrs. Anna Loddengaard also expressed her pleasure with being afforded this tour and wished to have her thanks relayed to the Director along with acknowledgement of her wholehearted support of the Director and the Bureau's work. The above-mentioned children were greatly interested during this tour and were gleeful with the firearms exhibition as well as the various phases of the Laboratory's work.

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# Nixon's Wheels Within Wheels

It now appears almost certain that President Nixon will name his trusted assistant, John Ehrlichman, to be attorney general when John Mitchell moves over to the Nixon re-election headquarters.

Ehrlichman's elevation will be generally applauded because the Seattle lawyer, while sharing blame for frequent bobbles in the White House, has tried in good spirit and with considerable lucidity to make himself and his leader's objectives understood by the Washington community.

He has done this less by being gregarious than by conveying, in rare appearances outside the White House, an impression that he is a decent man with a precise mind and a thoughtful view of the world. He has been part of the beleaguered Nixon inner circle but he has managed, despite the defensive atmosphere, to keep his own identity.

Ehrlichman will not, however, carry to Justice any reputation as an administrator. The outside picture of the inside operation of the White House, as painted by the testimony of officials who deal with it, is a swelling hive of intense, humorless young lawyers (known to members of the cabinet as the Katzenjammer Kids). Each flourishes a splintered fragment of White House power but the hive is strangely lacking, despite constant meetings, in real team spirit and internal communications.

The outside impression is that the situation has grown worse since June when George Shultz and his OBM (Office of Budget and Management) were added to the roster. This impression is perhaps unfair because the White House staff serves the President and Nixon is plainly pleased by Shultz. In fact, the feeling at the apex of the White House staff is that their operation has never been tighter.

But lower echelons find Shultz no master at communication. Morale in the Budget Bureau, the heart of the Shultz operation, has sunk very low and the essential relationship between Shultz and the budget director, Casper Weinberger, is uncomfortably stiff. In fact, the stiffness in Schultz' personality, plus his frequent unavailability, have rendered him less than a cohesive force.

The Cabinet was reassured, when Ehrlichman formed the Domestic Council, that the staff would stay small. But now it totals 40 and is growing, a phenomenon which promises slowly to strip autonomy from the departments. Thus federal power is being centralized in Washington while Nixon talks of distributing it to the people.

The internal White House scene is muddled by familiar

small bore types, slipping edged tidbits into gossip columns and knifing associates. Such characters emerge in every White House, but these enjoy a remarkable degree of sanction from Nixon. Recent targets have been Ehrlichman, Robert Finch and Donald Rumsfeld, associates whose personal quality would normally command protection against inside hatchet jobs.

The scene is also complicated by Nixon's wheels within wheels. For example, a firm word was passed to the staff that two men who aroused great resentment by their tactics in the 1970 campaign, Murray Chotiner and Charles Colson, would take no part in the new campaign effort. But leading Illinois Republicans who came to a secret stag dinner in the White House to discuss campaign strategy started to find both on

One danger is that, as the concern with politics deepens, the White House scene will become less communicative and more Machiavellian. His past habits suggest that Nixon will pull further into his shell as the political pressures grow and that key aides will reflect less and less assurance.

This will be too bad because Nixon and his aides have created a monster which will devour them if they do not give it fear leadership.

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

November 23, 1971

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Dalbey	
Mr. Cleveland	
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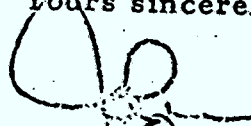
Dear Mr. Director:

Many thanks for your letter of November 15 indicating that you have identified the persons responsible for the slaying of two New York City Police Officers in May of this year.

You are to be congratulated on another job well done.

Best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,



John D. Ehrlichman  
Assistant to the President  
for Domestic Affairs

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C. 20535

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

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Mr. Tolson ✓  
Mr. DeLoach ✓  
Mr. Mohr ✓  
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Mr. Conrad ✓  
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Mr. Tele. Room ✓  
Miss Holmes ✓  
Miss Gandy ✓

Dear Mr. Director:

Thank you for your letter of November 19 regarding the law enforcement conferences sponsored by the Federal Bureau of Investigation during the past few months.

I appreciate knowing of the success of these sessions and have passed the information along to the President.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

*John D. Ehrlichman*  
John D. Ehrlichman  
Assistant to the President  
for Domestic Affairs

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
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Director, FBI

Mr. W. W. Hamilton

April 9, 1974

BY COURIER SERVICE

Mr. W. W. Hamilton

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