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PRESS POOL REPORT #6--Reception for Dinner Vice Chairmen at the
Century Plaza, Los Angeles, California

Pool was ushered into the cocktail reception in the Pacific Palisades Room at 7:10, 25 minutes late. Many of the people had already left and there was only a small crowd left. The President, stood in an informal receiving line, flanked by John McCone, former CIA Director and the Dinner Chairman for the event tonight, and Ed Carter, the Finance Chairman for the California PFC. He is also the President of Broadway Hale Stores, a large California chain.

Reception broke up. Among those attending were Eva and Zsa Zsa Gabor, whom your pool did not interview, and Herb Klein, former Nixon Communications chief. Your pool did not recognize anyone else.

The reception broke up about 7:17 when the President left and walked down the hall to the lobby area just outside the Los Angeles Room, where he shook hands before going in for dinner. The lobby gathering was a general reception for dinner guests.

Washington Post--Walsh
NBC Radio--Ward
New Republic--Osborne

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