

Ford-Giscard meeting in Oval Office - ~~March 17~~ May 17

Ford, during photo session at beginning, explained ~~that~~ how political campaign financing had been tightened since 1972. Some snatches of conversation:

Ford: "Then for presidential ... in 1972, I think it was ... significantly more ... requirements are very rigid ... 180-degree change."

Giscard ~~was~~ nodded understanding.

Ford: "Do you ever campaign by what we call whistle stopping?"

Giscard: "Well, not exactly. we never use trains."

--Garter