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Office of the White House Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President will attend the Republican National Committee Leadership Conference Dinner this evening in the International Ballroom of the Washington Hilton Hotel. The President will depart the South Lawn by motorcade at 8:00 p.m. and is expected to return to the White House about 10:20 p.m.

The Republican National Committee Leadership Conference provides an opportunity for the RNC Executive Committee to present its 1976 program to the Republican Party leaders and workers. Some 1200 to 1500 Republicans are attending the three-day conference which ends Saturday.

The President will attend the dinner and will make some remarks. We expect to have the advance text of the speech for you by late afternoon today.

There will be open press coverage, and White House press passes will be accepted. Out of town press may receive credentials by calling Bill Royall at (202) 387-8837 or 387-8829. Camera and sound crews may set up from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. The travel pool should assemble in the White House Press Room at 7:40 p.m. The attire for the evening is business suit.

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