

VISIT TO THE SUPREME COURT
MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1969

After Chief Justice Warren has concluded his remarks, you will be seated. Everyone will rise when The Chief Justice asks Judge Burger to come forward to take the oath of office. The oath will be administered by Chief Justice Warren. At the conclusion of the taking of the oath the Marshal will announce that the Court is adjourned. It is estimated that the ceremony will be over at about 10:30 a.m.

You and Mrs. Nixon will then be escorted to the West Conference Room for the reception. After about 15 minutes there will be a photo opportunity of you with Chief Justice Burger and former Chief Justice Warren. You and Mrs. Nixon will then depart The Supreme Court by motorcade, arriving back at The White House at approximately 11:00 a.m.

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THE PRESIDENT:

At 9:40 a.m., you and Mrs. Nixon will depart from the Diplomatic Entrance of the White House by motorcade.

NOTE: The dress for you is morning coat, shirt with turn-down collar and a four in hand tie.

You and Mrs. Nixon will be met by Mr. Perry Lippitt, Marshal of the Supreme Court, who will escort you to your places inside. You will be seated at the table facing the bench immediately to the right of the lectern. The Attorney General will be immediately to your right. The First Lady will be seated in the VIP Section to the right of the table.

The Court will enter the Courtroom at 10:00 a.m. and the proceedings will then follow the ordinary pattern on an opinion day, except that there will be no admissions to the Bar.

Immediately upon the statement by The Chief Justice that the orders will not be announced orally, you will arise and move to your left in front of the lectern. You will address The Chief Justice and be recognized. You will then deliver brief remarks to which The Chief Justice will respond. You will remain standing during The Chief Justice's response.

NOTE: Suggested remarks are attached. There will be coverage by the writing press in the Court building, but there will be no photo coverage.