

MINUTES OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH MEETING OF THE  
REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP OF THE CONGRESS CALLED FOR MONDAY,  
AUGUST TWENTY-EIGHTH, 1967, AT 2:30 P.M. IN THE CAPITOL OFFICE  
(H-202) OF THE HOUSE MINORITY LEADER, THE HONORABLE GERALD R. FORD

Present:

Congressmen Ford, Arends, Laird, Wilson, Cramer  
Senators Dirksen, Scott

Absent:

Chairman Bliss  
Congressmen Rhodes, Smith, Goodell, Poff  
Senators Kuchel, Hickenlooper, Smith, Young, Murphy

Also present:

John Fisher, Bryce Harlow, Robert McCormick, Robert Hartman,  
Harry Brookshire, J. Mark Trice

The meeting was called to order at 2:43 P.M. by Senator Dirksen who  
chaired the meeting in the absence of Chairman Bliss.

Senator Dirksen recognized Congressman Ford who read his prepared  
statement on the subject of Crime. After several minor changes it was  
approved.

Senator Dirksen then read his prepared statement on the same subject  
and after several minor changes it too was approved.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 3:08 P.M.

*J. Mark Trice*  
Acting Secretary