

MINUTES OF THE SEVENTY-FOURTH MEETING OF THE JOINT
REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS CALLED FOR THURSDAY,
DECEMBER 19, 1963, AT 2:00 P.M. IN THE CAPITOL OFFICE
(S-230) OF THE SENATE MINORITY LEADER, THE HONORABLE
EVERETT MC KINLEY DIRKSEN

Present:

Members: The Presiding Officer, William E. Miller
Senators Dirksen, Saltonstall, Kuchel, Morton,
Hickenlooper
Congressmen Halleck, Arends, Byrnes, Ford, Brown

Absent: Congressman Wilson

Also Present: Robert Humphreys, Bryce Harlow, Harry Brookshire,
Robert Allett, Mark Trice

The meeting was called to order at 2:05 P.M. for the purpose of considering for later release a statement by the membership of the Joint Leadership on the Republican position during the Congress relative to budget cuts.

Congressman Halleck read the prepared release which was for subsequent release and one or two minor changes were suggested in the statement as well as a hold for the final figure on Foreign Aid.

The statement was approved and a copy is attached.

The meeting adjourned at 2:20 P.M.

J. Mark Trice
Acting Secretary