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Office of the Vice President Washington, D. C.

Vice President Rockefeller announced today the appointment of Sol Neil Corbin, of New York City, as a Special Counsel to the Vice President, to serve as the Vice President's liaison with the Commission on CIA Activities within the United States and its Director, David W. Belin.

Mr. Corbin is a partner in the law firm of Corbin & Gordon. He served as Counsel to the Governor of New York (Nelson A. Rockefeller) from July 1, 1962 until September 3, 1965.

From 1954 to 1956 he was law clerk to Justice Charles D. Breitel, then of the Appellate Division of the New York State Supreme Court. From 1966 through 1967 he was Chairman of the New York State Commissio on the Constitutional Convention. Mr. Corbin has been a member of the New York State Banking Board since 1969. In 1973, he was appointed by the Chief Judge of New York State to an eight-member special committee to recruit an administrator of the state's court system. Since 1974, he has been Chairman of the New York State Crime Control Planning Board.

Mr. Corbin is a graduate of Columbia University (1948) and Harvard Law School, cum laude (1951).

Mr. Corbin and his wife, Tanya, have a son, David, and they reside at 1100 Park Ave., New York, New York.

Mr. Corbin will serve on a per diem basis.