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The President today announced the appointment of thirteen persons as members of the National Highway Safety Advisory Committee, for the terms indicated. They are:

For the remainder of the term expiring March 15, 1976:

Claude R. McCamment, of Topeka, Kansas, recently retired as Director of Safety, Kansas State Highway Commission, Topeka, Kansas. He succeeds Walter Pudinski who has resigned.

For a term expiring March 15, 1977:

A. D. Alissandratos, of Memphis, Tennessee, Memphis City Councilman, Memphis, Tennessee. He succeeds J. B. Creal whose term expired.

Robert J. Avila, of Warren, Rhode Island, Owner and President of the Town and Country Transportation and Leasing Corporation, Warren, Rhode Island. He succeeds Walter W. Gray, Jr., whose term expired.

Susan P. Baker, of Baltimore, Maryland, Assistant Professor of Public Health Administration, Division of Forensic Pathology, Department of Public Health Administration, Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore, Maryland. She succeeds Joel K. Gustafson, whose term expired.

T. Quentin Cannon, of Salt Lake City, Utah, Member, Utah State Legislature (Ranking minority member of the Government Operations Committee), Salt Lake City, Utah. He succeeds Ruth E. Winkler, whose term expired.

John J. Gilhooley, of Brooklyn, New York, Chairman of the Board and President, Transport of New Jersey, Maplewood, New Jersey. He succeeds Ruth Peck, whose term expired.

Trevor Owen Jones, of Birmingham, Michigan, Director General Motors Proving Grounds, Milford, Michigan. He succeeds Manuel Quevedo, Jr., whose term expired.

Joe G. Matthews, of Palm Beach Shores, Florida, Director Southeast Region of AMTRAK, Palm Beach Shores, Florida. This is a reappointment.

Robert H. Shertz, of Westtown, Pennsylvania, President and Chief Operating Officer, RLC, Corporation (formerly Rollins International, Inc.), Wilmington, Pennsylvania. He succeeds Wayne E. Rapp, whose term expired.

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Ruth S. Stockton, of Lakewood, Colorado, State Senator, Colorado State Legislature, Lakewood, Colorado. She succeeds Cordell Smith whose term expired.

Richard C. Tufaro, of Hartsdale, New York, Associate Attorney with Milbank, Tweed, Hadley and McCloy, New York, New York. This is a reappointment.

Dan Unfug, Jr., of Evergreen, Colorado, President and Owner of Central Datsun, Inc., Aurora, Colorado. He succeeds Joseph S. Wilcox, Jr., whose term expired.

Ralph W. Van Natta, of Shelbyville, Indiana, Co-Owner of Transmed, Inc. of Shelbyville and Greensburg (Ambulance and Funeral Liveries) and Commissioner of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, Shelbyville, Indiana. He succeeds Thomas J. Skutt whose term expired.

The Committee was established by P. L. 89-564 of September 9, 1966, and consists of the Secretary of Transportation, or an officer of the Department appointed by him, who serves as Chairman of the Committee and the Federal Highway Administrator and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administrator, and thirty-five members appointed by the President for staggered terms of three years.

The purpose of the Committee is to provide advice and counsel to the Secretary of Transportation on Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards and other highway safety matters.