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Office of the White House Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced the appointment of two persons as members of the Board of Governors of the American National Red Cross for a term of three years. They are:

Carla Anderson Hills, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development. She succeeds Richard S. Wilbur who has resigned.

Theodore Cooper, Assistant Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. He succeeds James Lynn who became Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

The Board of Governors consists of fifty members, eight appointed by the President.

The purpose of the American Red Cross is the instrument chosen by the Congress to help carry out the obligations assumed by the United States under certain international treaties known as the Geneva or Red Cross Conventions.

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