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Office of the White House Press Secretary

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced the appointment of Ted Ashley of Beverly Hills, California, to be a member of the National Council on the Humanities for the remainder of a term expiring January 26, 1980. He succeeds Edward Hirsch Levi who resigned to become Attorney General of the United States on February 7, 1975.

Mr. Ashley is currently Co-Chairman of Warner Brothers, Inc. of Beverly Hills, California.

Mr. Ashley was born on August 3, 1922 in Brooklyn, New York.

The purpose of the Council is to advise the Chairman of the Endowment with respect to policies, programs, and procedures for carrying out his functions; review applications for financial support and make recommendations thereon to the Chairman.

The Council consists of the Chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities who is Chairman of the Council and 26 members appointed by the President for terms of six years.

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