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The President today announced his intention to nominate Eloise E. Clark, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Director of the National Science Foundation. She will succeed Louis Levin who resigned effective April 15, 1972. Miss Clark has been Deputy Assistant Director of the Biological Behavioral and Social Science Directorate since 1975.

Born on January 1, 1931, in Grundy, Virginia, Miss Clark received her B.A. degree in 1951 from the University of Virginia and graduated Phi Beta Kappa. She did additional graduate work at the University of North Carolina, Washington University in St. Louis and the University of California. She received her Ph. D. in 1958 from the University of North Carolina.

In 1959, Miss Clark joined the Department of Biological Sciences. She was named Program Director for Developmental Biology for the National Science Foundation in 1969, prior to her appointment as Program Director for Biophysics in 1970. From 1971 to 1973, she was Head of the Molecular Biology Section for the NSF and was Division Director of the Biological and Medical Sciences for NSF during 1973-75.

Miss Clark resides in Northwest Washington.

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