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Office of the White House Press Secretary

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Charles J. Fahey, of Syracuse, New York, to be a member of the Federal Council on the Aging for a term expiring June 5, 1979. He will succeed Charles J. Turrisi whose term expired on June 5, 1976.

Monsignor Fahey is Director of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Syracuse.

The Council meets at the call of the Chairman but not less than four times a year to advise and assist the President and the Commissioner on Aging on matters relating to the needs of the elderly and to serve as a spokesman on behalf of the elderly by making recommendations to the President, the Secretary of HEW, the Commissioner on Aging and the Congress.

The Council consists of the Secretary of HEW and the Commissioner on Aging together with fifteen members appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate.

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