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The President today announced the appointment of nine persons to be members of the National Advisory Committee on Oceans and Atmosphere. They are:

Thomas Lloyd Kimball, of McLean, Virginia, Executive Director of the National Wildlife Federation. This is for a remainder of a term expiring October 18, 1976. He succeeds Thomas Clingan who resigned.

William J. Hargis, Jr. of Gloucester Point, Virginia, Director of the Virginia Institute of Marine Science, Gloucester Point, Virginia. This is a reappointment.

Donald Lynn McKernan, of Redmond, Washington, Professor, Institute of Marine Studies, University of Washington, Seattle Washington. He succeeds Charles L. Drake whose term expired.

Charles A. Black, of Woodside, California, President, Mardela Corporation, Burlingame, California. He succeeds Thomas A. Fulham whose term expired.

Marne Arthur Dubs, of New Canaan, Connecticut, Director of Ocean Resources, Kennecott Copper Corporation of New York. He succeeds Charles F. Baird whose term expired.

Helmut E. Landsberg, of Camp Springs, Maryland, Professor, Institute for Fluid Dynamics, University of Maryland. He succeeds Brigadier General Joseph J. George, USAF retired, whose term expired.

Grover E. Murray, of Lubbock, Texas, President, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas. He succeeds Wayne Burt whose term expired.

William E. Nierenberg, of La Jolla, California, Director, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, La Jolla, California. This is a reappointment.

John Wilder Tukey, of Princeton, New Jersey, Professor, Department of Mathematics, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey. He succeeds Thomas F. Malone whose term expired.

The President is also designating William J. Hargis, Jr., as Chairman and Donald Lynn McKernan as Vice Chairman of the Committee.

The Committee was established by P. L. 92-125 of August 16, 1971, to undertake a continuing review of the progress of the marine and atmospheric science and service programs of the U.S. and advise the Secretary of Commerce with respect to the carrying out of the purposes of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce.