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The President today announced his intention to nominate George Henry Kuper, of the District of Columbia, to be Executive Director of the National Center for Productivity and Quality of Working Life. This is a new position established by Public Law 94-136 of November 28, 1975. Mr. Kuper has been Acting Executive Director of the National Center for Productivity and Quality of Working Life since June 1974.

Mr. Kuper was born on October 16, 1940, in Washington, D.C. He received his B.A. degree from Johns Hopkins University in 1963. He attended the London School of Economics and received his M.Sc. in 1964. He received his M.B.A. degree from the Harvard University Graduate School of Business in 1970. He served as a Lieutenant in the United States Navy from 1964 to 1968.

During 1963-64, Mr. Kuper was a Research Analyst for the Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York prior to becoming Executive Vice President/Director of the Boston Venture Management Corporation, Inc. in October 1969. He became a consultant for Justice Systems Company, Inc., a consultant/director of Cambridge Computer Associates, Inc.; and Deputy Director of Office of Justice Administration in Boston beginning in 1970.

Mr. Kuper is married to the former Dorothy Haase and they reside in the District of Columbia.