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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced the appointment of James T. Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget, to be a member of the National Commission on Productivity and Work Qualtiy. He succeeds Roy L. Ash who resigned effective February 3, 1975.

The Chairman of the Commission is Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller, and Co-Chairmen are I.W. Abel, President of the United Steelworkers of America, and Donald C. Burnham of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation.

The Commission actively encourages and assists both private industry and government agencies in productivity improvement through their own efforts. It also reports to the President and Congress with respect to government policies affecting productivity and work quality.

Originally established in 1970 to foster productivity growth in the private and public sectors of the economy, the National Commission on Productivity and Work Quality acquired its present name and charter under Public Law 93-311 of June 8, 1974.