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## THE WHITE HOUSE

The President today announced his intention to nominate three persons to be members of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation. They are:

William S. Mailliard, of San Francisco, California, United States Permanent Representative to the Organization of American States, Washington, D.C. He succeeds John Hennessy who has resigned. This is for the remainder of a term expiring September 30, 1978.

John Richardson, Jr., of McLean, Virginia, Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Washington, D.C. This is a reappointment.

William D. Rogers, of Great Falls, Virginia, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, Washington, D.C. He succeeds Jack Kubisch who has resigned to become Ambassador to Greece. This is for the remainder of a term expiring September 20, 1976.

The Board consists of seven members, four from private life and three from among officers or employees of agencies of the U.S. concerned with Inter-American Affairs. The President designates the Chairman and Vice Chairman.

The Inter-American Foundation was established by Public Law 91-175 of December 30, 1969. At that time it was called the "Inter-American Social Development Institute" but an amendment to the law in 1972 changed its name to the Inter-American Foundation.

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