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From the Editors Notebook

Jacob



Garber



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NEW BOARD LEADERSHIP

The trustees of Howard University have elected John E. Jacob and Harry D. Garber as chairman and vice chairman, respectively, of the Board of Trustees.

This important action was taken at a meeting on June 4, 1988. Also at that meeting, Geraldine P. Woods, who led the board since 1975, was named chairman emeritus.

The new chairman, a Howard trustee since 1971 and board vice chairman since 1975, is president and chief executive officer of the National Urban League, headquartered in New York City. He first joined the Urban League in 1965 as director of educational and youth incentives for the Washington, D.C. office. In subsequent years, he served the organization as executive director in San Diego, from 1970 to 1975; as president of the Washington office, from 1975 to 1979; and as executive vice president in New York from 1979 until he was elevated to his current position in January, 1982.

Jacob is a graduate of Howard University, earning a bachelor's degree in economics and a master's degree in social work, in 1957 and 1963, respectively.

He serves on the boards of New York Telephone, the National Conference of Christians and Jews, Local Initiatives Support Corp., The Eisenhower Foundation, The Churchill Trust Co., and the Continental Corp.

The new vice chairman is affiliated with The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, where he serves as board vice chairman and as a director. He joined Equitable in 1950 following his graduation from Yale University with a B.A. degree.

During his long professional career with Equitable, leading to his appointment as vice chairman in 1984, he has been responsible for actuarial services, corporate planning, and development and financial management.

He is also a director of the Equitable International Investment Corp., the Equitable Variable Life Insurance Co., and serves on the boards of the American Women's Economic Development Corp. and Genesco, Inc.

Garber is a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and serves on the Board of Governors of the Society of Actuaries. □

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