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NEW TRUSTEES ELECTED

William S. Paley, Chairman of the Board of The Museum of Modern Art, announced today the election of two new trustees, Dolores Wharton and Shirley C. Burden.

Mrs. Wharton, a member of The Junior Council of The Museum of Modern Art since 1966, was actively involved both in the Art Lending Service and in community projects sponsored by the Council. She is the author of The Contemporary Artist of Malaysia, published by The Asia Society in 1971. She serves on the Michigan Council for the Arts and the Michigan Bicentennial Commission, and was recently appointed by President Ford as one of eight new members of the National Council on the Arts. She is married to the Museum's former trustee, Dr. Clifton R. Wharton, Jr., President of Michigan State University, East Lansing, where they live.

Mr. Burden, a distinguished photographer, has served on the Museum's Trustee Committee on Photography since 1964. His own work is represented in the Museum's collection and has been included in a number of exhibitions at the Museum, as well as at many other museums and galleries throughout the country. Three books of his photographs have been published. Mr. Burden also collects the work of other photographers and is a trustee of the Santa Barbara Museum of Art and is a director of Aperture, Inc.

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