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JON A. BAUMGARTEN APPOINTED GENERAL COUNSEL

Jon A. Baumgarten has been appointed General Counsel of the Copyright Office and will assume the position on January 5, 1976, succeeding Dorothy M. Schrader, who has resigned from that position.

A native of the New York City area, Mr. Baumgarten received a B. A. degree from the City College of New York. He also holds an LL. B. degree from New York University, where he received individual awards for academic excellence and served as research editor of the "New York University Law Review."

Since his admission to the Bar in 1968, Mr. Baumgarten has been engaged in the practice of law in New York City, where he dealt with both domestic and international copyright matters, including activities relating to the pending bill for the general revision of the copyright law. He has served as chairman of the Subcommittee on International Copyright of the American Bar Association and as associate editor of the "Bulletin of the Copyright Society of the U. S. A." He is the author of the book entitled US - USSR COPYRIGHT RELATIONS UNDER THE UNIVERSAL COPYRIGHT CONVENTION (New York: Practising Law Institute, 1973), and has spoken on copyright at several professional conferences and seminars.