al was reviewed by five NSF officials (including one former colleague of Johnson's) and an official of the Treasury Department who had worked with Johnson there. Even NSF officials agree that the review process might be considered incestuous. But they note that the policy papers prepared for the science adviser were not subjected to the usual review mechanisms applied to research grants; the review mechanism for policy papers at NSF has since been tightened. They also suggest that Johnson is a competent individual who would probably pass a stiffer review process. The 40-year-old research professor graduated summa cum laude from Syracuse University, earned a doctorate in economics from Harvard, and served successively as a senior economist for the RAND Corporation, a senior economist for the Council of Economic Advisers, an energy adviser to Treasury Secretary William E. Simon, and assistant administrator of the Federal Energy Office, before becoming a research professor at George Washing-

As this issue went to press, Kennedy's staffers were scheduled to meet with investigators from the General Accounting Office to discuss what the GAO might be able to do to determine what, if anything, NSF has done wrong and what, if anything, should be done about it.

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RECENT DEATHS

Lyle R. Dawson, 71; former head, chemistry department, University of Kentucky; 16 April.

David M. Dennison, 75; professor emeritus of physics, University of Michigan; 3 April.

Carl R. Doering, 86; former professor of preventive medicine and public health, University of Oklahoma; 27 March

Austin S. Edwards, 91; former head, psychology department, University of Georgia; 2 March.

Thomas J. Edwards, 52; professor of education, State University of New York, Buffalo; 24 March.

Frank G. Everett, 69; professor emeritus of dentistry, University of Oregon Health Sciences Center; 14 April.

Francis D. Farrell, 92; former president, Kansas State University; 13 February

Morris Fishbein, 59; research microbiologist, Food and Drug Administration; 26 March.

Frederick L. Fitzpatrick, 76; professor emeritus of natural sciences, Teachers College, Columbia University; 20 April.

Burns N. Gafford, 75; professor emeritus of electrical engineering, University of Texas, Austin; 2 April.

Howard R. Garris, 66; former professor of plant pathology, North Carolina State University; 30 April.

John G. Geisler, 90; professor emeritus of chemistry, University of Dayton; 3 February.

Donald H. Glew, 51; professor of medicine, George Washington University; 19 March

Isidor Greenwald, 88; professor emeritus of biochemistry, New York University School of Medicine; 7 February.

Walter S. Guthmann, 68; former chairman of chemistry, Roosevelt University; 2 March.

Paul Gyorgy, 82; professor emeritus of pediatrics, University of Pennsylvania; 1 March.

Leo A. Haak, 72; professor emeritus of social science, Michigan State University; 3 April.

Charles W. M. Hart, 70; former professor of anthropology, University of Wisconsin, Madison; 25 February.

Charles C. Hatley, 91; professor emeritus of physics, Duke University; 16 April.

Werner Heisenberg, 74; former director, Max Planck Institute for Physics and Astrophysics; 1 February.

Thorfin R. Hogness, 81; former professor of chemistry, University of Chicago; 14 February.

Harry Hoijer, 71; professor emeritus of anthropology, University of California, Los Angeles; 4 March.

Henry H. Hymes, 55; associate professor of geography, Tennessee State University; 25 February.

Simon T. Kao, 54; associate professor of mathematics, University of New Mexico; 25 February.

Max Kleiber, 83; professor emeritus, University of California, Davis; 5 January

Herschel T. Manuel, 88; professor emeritus of educational psychology, University of Texas, Austin; 21 March.

Luther L. Mays, 71; former professor of psychology, Northern Virginia Community College; 18 February.

George V. McCauley, 93; former professor of physics, Northwestern University; 19 April.

George C. McGregor, 70; former professor of physics, Providence College; 8 February.

Paul A. Menegat, 74; former associate professor of education, Pacific University; 11 February.

John A. P. Millet, 87; professor emeritus of psychiatry, New York School of Psychiatry; 18 February.

Clifford T. Morgan, 60; visiting professor of psychology, University of Texas; 11 February.

Wilder G. Penfield, 85; neurologist and founder, Montreal Neurological Institute; 5 April.

Sumner T. Pike, 84; former chairman, Atomic Energy Commission; 21 February.

Michael Polanyi, 84; former professor of physical chemistry, University of Manchester; 22 February.

Ralph W. Powell, 86; professor emeritus of mechanical engineering, Ohio State University; 30 January.

Fraser P. Price, 58; professor of polymer science and engineering, University of Massachusetts, Amherst; 25 February.

Harry H. Ransom, 67; chancellor emeritus, University of Texas; 19 April.

Robert B. Rice, 75; former chairman of mechanical engineering, North Carolina State University; 3 March.

Mary J. Rouse, 51; professor of education, Indiana University, Bloomington; 15 February.

Albert O. Seeler, 60; professor of medicine, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; 12 February.

Curtis Singleterry, 76; former professor of chemistry, Aurora College; 8 February.

George L. Slate, 77; professor emeritus of pomology, Cornell University New York State Agricultural Experiment Station, Geneva; 16 April.

Leslie M. Smith, 72; professor emeritus of entomology, University of California, Davis; 10 February.

Ivan S. Sokolnikoff, 75; former professor of mathematics, University of California, Los Angeles; 23 April.

Benjamin Spector, 82; professor emeritus of anatomy and the history of medicine, Tufts University; 17 February.

Samuel Van Valkenburg, 84; former director, Graduate School of Geography, Clark University; 18 April.

Mark H. Watkins, 72; professor emeritus of anthropology, Howard University; 24 February.

Harry K. Wells, 64; former associate professor of psychology and philosophy, Hartwick and Bloomfield College; 8 February.

Erratum: In the report "Aflatoxin production by a variant of Apergillus oryzae (NRRL strain 1988) on cowpeas (Vigna sinensis)" by N. El-Hag and R. E. Morse [192, 1345 (1976)], the third sentence in the legend to Table 1 should read "This strain produced aflatoxin on rice (expressed as micrograms per kilogram . . .)." Also, the heading for columns 2 and 3 of Table 1 should read "Aflatoxin (μ g/kg) from A. oryzae."