



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY
Washington, D.C. 20503

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ONDCP Order of Succession

Section 1703(a)(3) of the ONDCP Authorization statute provides: "If the Director dies, resigns, or is otherwise unable to perform the functions and duties of the office, the Deputy Director shall perform the functions and duties of the Director temporarily in an acting capacity pursuant to subchapter III of chapter 33 of title 5, United States Code [5 USCS §§ 3341 et seq.]."

In the absence of the Deputy Director, or if the office of Deputy Director is vacant, the Director may designate such other permanent employee of the Office to act for the Director, in the Director's absence. In case of such situation, the Director hereby designates the following ONDCP persons, in order of availability:

Chief of Staff
Deputy Director with most ONDCP seniority
Deputy Director with second most ONDCP seniority
Deputy Director with third most ONDCP seniority
Deputy Chief of Staff