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TO: PRIMARY REPRESENTATIVES OF PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS
cc: Members of The Committee

SUBJECT: Summary of Federal Register Items: November 15, 1977 to December 6, 1977

RULES AND REGULATIONS

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS - Copyright Office - Warning of Copyright
(November 16, 1977; 42 FR 59264)

The Library of Congress, Copyright Office publishes final regulations pertaining to the use by libraries and archives of copyrighting in connection with their photo-copying and duplication. The effect of these regulations is to prescribe the content, form and manner of use of the warnings of copyright. The library or archive must display in a prominent place a warning of copyright in accordance with requirements prescribed by Paragraph (C) of these regulations.

The warning is as follows:

> The copyright law of the United States (Title 17, United States Code) governs the making of photocopies or other reproductions of copyrighted material.
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> Under certain conditions specified in the law, libraries and archives are authorized to furnish a photocopy or other reproduction One of these specified conditions is that the photocopy or reproduction is not to be "used for any purpose other than private study, scholarship, or research." If a user makes a request for, or later uses, a photocopy or reproduction for purposes in excess of "fair use", that user may be liable for copyright infringement.
>
> This institution reserves the right to refuse to accept a copying order if, in its judgement, fulfillment of the order would involve violation of copyright law.

Paragraph (C) specifies the size and manner of display of the copyright warning. Paragraph (C)(2) specifies the size, manner and location of an "Order of Warning of Copyright" to be included on printed order forms for copies.

This regulation became effective November 10, 1977.