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PRIME MINISTER

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THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

Dr Denis White has been appointed Director of the Prime Minister's office, replacing Prof. David Kemp whose resignation takes effect at the end of the year.

Dr White, a Senior Lecturer in Politics at Monash University, joined the Prime Minister's staff at the beginning of 1981.

Prof. Kemp is returning to Monash University to resume his position in the Department of Politics.

The Prime Minister said: "I would like to pay tribute to the work which Prof. Kemp has performed during his second period of service in my office. I greatly regret the circumstances which impelled him to relinquish the position. His work was valuable and greatly appreciated."

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