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John Connally re-entered public life yesterday as a member of President Ford's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board.

The 16-member board was sworn in at a White House Rose Garden ceremony. Mr. Ford had announced formation of the board after a year of hearings by House and Senate committees into illegal U.S. intelligence activities.

The former Texas governor and treasury secretary was acquitted last April 17 on charges of accepting \$10,000

from the Associated Milk Producers, Inc., the nation's largest dairy cooperative, allegedly for getting the Nixon administration to raise federal milk price supports.

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Connally influences votes in Texas, where Mr. Ford and Ronald Reagan vie in the May 1 primary.

Reagan is believed to have a good chance of inflicting a second primary defeat - North Carolina was the first in six contests with the President - upon Mr. Ford. Despite wooing from both sides, Connally has remained neutral. United Press