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The appointment by the President of General *Creighton W. Abrams*, United States Army, as Chief of Staff, United States Army, effective 12 October 1972, is announced.

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