JUDGE ON EICHMANN

New York (JTA): Nearly 2,000 people were present at Hunter College here at the opening session of the 36th annual conference of the YIVO Institute for Jewish Research.

They heard Justice Michael Musamanno, of Pennsylvania Supreme Court, hail the Eichmann sentence as "The most significant advance made since the Nuremberg trials to restore dignity to every human being, and to insure the sanctity of Godgiven life."

Judge Musmanno said the execution of Eichmann "would be in the nature of a surgical operation: it would be the removal of a cancer which has eaten into the vitals of the human race for centuries. No one more completely represents the scourage of antisemitism than Aloif Eichmann."