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### 25 Appointees Named To Ontario's Highest Honour

#### NEWS

World renowned film director, Deepa Mehta, lung transplant innovator, Dr. Shafique Keshavjee and celebrated actor and tenor, Michael Burgess are among 25 extraordinary Ontarians appointed to the Order of Ontario.

The appointees to Ontario's highest honour were chosen for their contributions to the arts, law, science, medicine, history, politics, philanthropy and the environment.

The Honourable David C. Onley, Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, will invest the appointees at a ceremony on Wednesday, February 6 at Queen's Park.

Named to the Order of Ontario:

- **Phyllis Creighton** of Toronto, a passionate advocate for mental and reproductive health care, social justice, peace, and the environment. Creighton chaired the Ontario Mental Health Foundation and the Addiction Research Foundation's clinical institute, and held leadership positions in numerous organizations that benefit both current and future Ontarians.