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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ADVANCE PASSES NOW AVAILABLE FOR "IMPRESSIONIST TO EARLY MODERN PAINTING FROM THE U.S.S.R." OPENING MAY 1 AT THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

Computerized advance passes are now available for Impressionist to Early Modern Paintings from the U.S.S.R.: Works from the Hermitage Museum, Leningrad and the Pushkin Museum of Fine Arts, Moscow. The exhibition opens May 1 at the National Gallery of Art.

Advance reservations can be made at a special Ticketron Pass Desk on the Ground Floor of the East Building of the National Gallery. There will be no service charge for passes acquired in person at the National Gallery.

Passes may also be obtained at all Ticketron outlets nationwide, or ordered by calling Teletron at 1-800-233-4050. New York and New Jersey residents please call one of the following: 212-947-5850 or 201-343-4200. There will be a Ticketron service charge for passes ordered through outlets (\$1.25) or by telephone (\$1.75, credit card only). Reservations will be restricted to six passes per person.

Passes are not available by phone or by mail from the National Gallery.

Recorded tours may be rented for \$3.00 at the entrance to the exhibition or reserved in advance through Ticketron. There will be no public tours through the exhibition or special arrangements for groups.

Impressionist to Early Modern Paintings from the U.S.S.R. may be seen on the Concourse Level of the East Building located at 4th Street and Constitution Ave., N.W. from May 1 to June 15, 1986. Gallery hours are 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Mon. - Sat.; and Sun., noon to 9:00 p.m.

For a recorded message please call 202-842-3472.

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