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The President today announced his intention to nominate William I. Greener, of Springfield, Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development (Public Affairs). This is a new position created by Public Law 93-383 of August 22, 1974.

Since 1973, Mr. Greener has been serving as Assistant to the Secretary for Public Affairs in the Department of Housing and Urban Development. From 1972 to 1973, he was Assistant Director of the Cost of Living Council for Congressional and Public Affairs. In November of 1971, he was Assistant to the Commissioner for Public Affairs of the Internal Revenue Service, serving until July of 1972. During that period he also served as Deputy Special Assistant to the Secretary for Public Affairs for the Department of Treasury from May of 1972 to July of 1972. From July of 1967 to September of 1970, he served in the United States Air Force in the Public Information Division, prior to joining the Internal Revenue Service, and then the Cost of Living Council in August of 1971.

Mr. Greener was born on February 18, 1925 in Memphis, Tennessee. He received his B.S. degree from the University of Missouri in 1947 and his M.S. degree from Boston University in 1967. He is married to the former Charlene McPheeters and they have five children. They reside in Springfield, Virginia.

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