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The President today announced his intention to nominate Charles J. Orlebeke, of Winnetka, Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development (Policy Development and Research). He will succeed Michael Moskow who has resigned.

Since 1973, Mr. Orlebeke has been Dean of College Urban Sciences at the University of Illinois in Chicago, Illinois. From 1970 to 1973, he was Deputy Under Secretary for Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation for HUD, after serving as Executive Assistant to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development during 1969 to 1970. He was Executive Assistant to the Governor of Michigan for Planning and Program Development during 1967 to 1968. He joined the staff of the Governor in 1963, serving as his Administrative Assistant for Program Development until 1966.

Mr. Orlebeke was born on October 27, 1934, in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and received his M. A. in 1959. He was awarded a Ph. D. degree from Michigan State University in 1965. During this time he served as a research assistant at the University of Sydney in 1961.

Mr. Orlebeke is married to the former Faith Holtrop and they have three children.

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