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Office of the White House Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Frank S. Spies, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Michigan for a term of four years. He will succeed John P. Milanowski who resigned effective June 1, 1974. Mr. Spies has been serving as the Court appointed U.S. Attorney since 1974.

A biographical sketch is attached.

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FRANK S. SPIES

Born:

August 7, 1939

Adrian, Michigan

Legal Residence:

Michigan

Marital Status:

Married

Wife--Lynette Kay Wells

2 children

Education:

1957-1961

University of Michigan

B.B.A. degree

1961-1964

University of Michigan Law School

LL.B. degree

Bar:

1964

Michigan

Experience:

1964-1966

Schmidt, Smith & Howlett

1966-1969

Assistant City Attorney

Grand Papids, Michigan

1969-1974

Assistant United States Attorney

Western District of Michigan

1974 to present

United States Attorney

(Court Appointed)

Western District of Michigan

Office:

544 Federal Building & U.S. Courthouse

110 Michigan Avenue, N.W.

Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502