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The President today announced the appointment of Garland P. Castleberry of Reston, Virginia to be Alternate United States Representative on the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization. He is presently serving as Director, Executive Secretariat, Office of the Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration. He succeeds George M. Wolfe, who has resigned.

Born on March 22, 1936, in Morehouse, Missouri, Mr. Castleberry received his B.B.A. cum laude from Memphis State University in 1963. He has done graduate work at George Washington University and Princeton University.

He began government service in 1956 as a Control Tower Supervisor at the Naval Air Station in Memphis, Tennessee. From 1958 to 1964, he was Air Traffic Control Specialist for the Federal Aviation Administration in Memphis. In 1964 and 1965, he was a Management Analyst, Management Analysis Division of the Office of Economic Opportunity in Washington.

He participated in the Congressional Fellowship Program in 1965 and 1966, at which time he became Legislative Assistant and Special Assistant to Representative Sam Gibbons. He served in that post until 1969, when be became Senior Policy Analyst, Aviation Policy Division, Office of Aviation Policy and Plans, Federal Aviation Administration in Washington. From 1970 to 1972, he served as Assistant Executive Secretary in the Office of the Administrator of the FAA. He assumed his present post in 1972.

Mr. Castleberry is married to the former Phyllis Diane Alexander and they have five children.

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