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The White House today announced the appointment of Nicholas Panuzio, of Bridgeport, Connecticut, as Commissioner, Public Buildings Service of the General Services Administration. He succeeds Larry F. Roush who resigned effective February 28, 1975.

Since 1971, Mr. Panuzio has been Mayor of Bridgeport, Connecticut, after having served in the Connecticut General Assembly during 1970. He joined the staff of the University of Bridgeport and served successively as Assistant Director of Admissions (1957-58); Assistant to the Business Manager (1958-62); Director of Purchases (1962-68); Director of the University's Student Center (1968-71); and Development Administrator in 1971.

Mr. Panuzio was born on October 28, 1935, in Bridgeport, Connecticut and received his B.S. degree in 1957 from the University of Bridgeport.

Mr. Panuzio is married and has three children. He and his family reside in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

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