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The President today announced the appointment of Clyde S. DuPont of Virginia to be a Commissioner of the Postal Rate Commission. He will succeed Rod Kreger, who resigned effective January 7, 1974.

Since 1969, Mr. DuPont has been Minority Counsel for the Post Office and Civil Service Committee after having served as a Professional Staff Member of the Judiciary Committee from 1967 to 1968. From 1964 to 1967, he was Legislative Assistant to Senator Hiram L. Fong, after having served as his Research Assistant and File Clerk since 1960.

He was born on December 28, 1933, in Waiialua, Hawaii. He received his B. S. degree from Brigham Young University in 1959 and his J. D. degree from George Washington University Law School in February, 1963. He served as a Staff Sergeant in the United States Air Force from 1952 to 1956. He is a member of the District of Columbia Bar Association.

He is married to the former Joan Kimball and they have three children. They reside in Alexandria, Virginia.

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