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The President today announced his intention to nominate J. Calvitt Clarke, Jr., of Richmond, Virginia, to be a United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia. He succeeds Walter E. Hoffman whose retirement was effective on September 3, 1974.

Since 1961, Mr. Clarke has been associated with the law firm of Sands, Anderson, Marks, and Clarke, of Richmond, Virginia. Prior to that he was with the firm of Bowles, Anderson, and Boyd, also of Richmond.

Mr. Clarke received his B. A. degree from the University of Virginia in 1942 and his LL. B. degree from the University of Virginia Law School in 1944.

He is married and has two children. They reside in Richmond, Virginia.

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