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## THE WHITE HOUSE

The President today announced his intention to nominate David A. Lucht, of Columbus, Ohio, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Fire Prevention and Control Administration. This is a new postition created by Public Law 93-498 of October 29, 1974.

Mr. Lucht is currently Chief Deputy State Fire Marshal in Columbus, Ohio. He was First Assistant State Marshal from April 1973 until April 1974. He has held various fire prevention positions since 1960, including being a member of the Volunteer Fire Department of Middlefield, Ohio; Inspector of the Ohio Inspection Bureau; Research Associate, Building Research Laboratory, Engineering Experiment Station of Ohio State University, and Chief, Bureau of Inspection, Ohio Division of State Fire Marshal.

Mr. Lucht was born on February 18, 1943 in Warren, Ohio. He received his B.S. degree from the Illinois Institute of Technology of Chicago, Illinois in 1965.

Mr. Lucht is married to the former Flora Wright and they have three children.

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