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Office of the White House Press Secretary

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Charles A. Cooper, of McLean, Virginia, to be United States Executive Director of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development for a term of two years. He will succeed Charles O. Sethness who resigned effective March 1, 1975.

Since July 31, 1974, Mr. Cooper has been serving as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for International Affairs. He was Deputy Assistant to the President for International Economic Affairs, National Security Council from May, 1973, until July, 1974.

Mr. Cooper was born on December 23, 1933, in Chicago, Illinois. He received his B.A. degree in 1955 from Swarthmore College and his Ph.D. degree from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1960.

Mr. Cooper is married to the former Janis Stone and they have three children. They reside in McLean, Virginia.

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