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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced the names of individuals who have been selected to receive the twelve 1974 Presidential Management Improvement Awards. The Award was established in 1970 as the highest recognition for outstanding contributions in improving the effectiveness and economy of Government operations. They are:

Donald R. Brayton of Marguerita, Canal Zone, Deputy Director, Transportation and Terminals Bureau, Panama Canal Company.

Lyle D. Copmann of McLean, Virginia, Assistant Director, Press and Publications Service, United States Information Agency.

Xavier F. Corlis of Hartford, Connecticut, Senior Master Sergeant, Laser Division, Air Force Weapons Laboratory, Department of the Air Force.

Meyer Lepor of San Diego, California, Physicist, Naval Undersea Center, Department of the Navy.

Hugh F. McKenna of Lutherville, Maryland, Director, Bureau of Retirement and Survivors Insurance, Social Security Administration, Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Clifford A. Myers, Jr., of Fort Collins, Colorado, Research Forester, Rocky Mountain Forest and Range Experiment Station, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Gerald E. Neumann of Falls Church, Virginia, Director, Program Control and Analysis Staff, Office of Construction, Veterans Administration.

Captain John M. Wolff of Danville, California, Commanding Officer, Naval Air Rework Facility, Alameda, California.

Administrative Management Team of Cincinnati, Ohio, National Environmental Research Center, Environmental Protection Agency.

Fourteenth Aerospace Force, Aerospace Defense Command, Department of the Air Force.

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Members of a Team to Study Handling and Shipping of Coins,  
Bureau of the Mint, Department of the Treasury.

Mariner Venus-Mercury 1973 Management Team, NASA Head-  
quarters and the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, National Aeronautics  
and Space Administration.

A committee composed of representatives from the Office of Management  
and Budget, the General Services Administration, and the Civil Service  
Commission advised the President on final selection. The twelve most  
exceptional contributions toward reducing costs and improving operating  
practices in the Federal Government were selected.

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