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THE WHITE HOUSE

The President today announced his intention to nominate Frank R. Barnako, of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring April 27, 1981. He will succeed James F. Van Namee whose term expired April 27, 1975.

Since January 1951, Mr. Barnako has been Manager of Safety and Workmen's Compensation Division, Industrial Relations Department, Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. He joined the Corporation in 1942 in the Compensation and Safety Division of the Industrial and Public Relations Department. He became Assistant Manager of the Division in 1947.

Mr. Barnako was born on August 2, 1912, in Easton, Pennsylvania. He received his A.B. degree from Lafayette College in 1933 and his J.D. degree from the University of Michigan in 1936. From 1937 until 1942 he practiced law in Easton, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Barnako is married to the former Madeline Stoddard and they have two children.

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