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THE WHITE HOUSE

The President today announced his intention to nominate Stanley S. Scott, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development. His area of responsibility will be the Bureau for Africa. He will succeed Samuel C. Adams, Jr., who resigned effective September 27, 1975.

Since February 1973, Mr. Scott has been Special Assistant to the President and was reappointed by the President on December 18, 1974. He served as an Assistant to the Director of Communications for the Executive Branch from June 1971 until his appointment.

Before joining the White House staff, Mr. Scott served for four years as a Radio Newsmen at Westinghouse Broadcasting Corporation in New York City. He was an Assistant Director of Public Relations for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in New York (1966-1967); General Assignment News Reporter, United Press International, New York City (1964-1966); General Assignment News Reporter, Copy Editor and Editorial Writer, Atlanta Daily World, Atlanta, Georgia (1961-1964); and Editor-General Manager, The Memphis World, Memphis, Tennessee (1960-1961).

Mr. Scott was born in Bolivar, Tennessee on July 2, 1933. He attended Kansas University from 1951-1953 and Lincoln University from 1957-1959 where he received his B.S. degree. He served in the United States Army from 1954-1956.

Mr. Scott is married to the former Bettye Lovejoy. They have three children and reside in Washington, D.C.

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