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Office of the White House Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate James P. Castberg, of Powell, Wyoming, to be United States Attorney for the District of Wyoming for a term of four years. He will succeed Richard Van Thomas who resigned effective December 27, 1974.

Since 1962, Mr. Castberg has been in the private practice of law and from 1967 to 1972, he served as County Attorney for Park County, Wyoming.

A biographical sketch is attached.

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JAMES P. CASTBERG

Born:	July 12, 1933	Powell, Wyoming
Legal Residence:	Wyoming	
Marital Status:	Married	Wife—Jeanne Eleanor Northrup 2 children
Education:	1951-1955 1959-1962	University of Wyoming B.S. degree J.D. degree
Bar:	1962	Wyoming
Military Service:	1955-1959	United States Air Force First Lieutenant
Experience:	1962-1975 1967-1972 1975 to present	Copenhaver & Castberg County Attorney for Park County Law practice
Office:	126 North Bent Powell, Wyoming	