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The President today announced his intention to nominate William E. Schaufele, Jr., of Avon Lake, Ohio, to be Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs. He will succeed Nathaniel Davis who was appointed Ambassador to Switzerland on November 20, 1975.

Since 1974, Mr. Schaufele has been Inspector General of the Foreign Service after having served as Deputy Representative of the United States in the Security Council of the United Nations during 1973-74. He was Senior Advisor to the U.S. Representative to the UN from 1971 to 1973. From 1969 to 1971, he served as Ambassador to Upper Volta after having been Country Director of West Central Africa from 1967 to 1969. He was Alternate Country Director for Central Africa, Malagasy and Mauritius during 1966-67 and was Deputy Director of the Office of Central African Affairs during 1965-66.

During 1964-65 Mr. Schaufele was Officer in Charge in Leopoldville for Congo Affairs. He served from 1957 until 1964 as a Foreign Service Officer in Casablanca, Bukavu and at the Foreign Service Institute. He served in the Foreign Service as an International Economist during 1956-57; Visa Officer from 1953-56; and Labor Officer during 1952-53.

Mr. Schaufele was born on December 7, 1923, in Lakewood, Ohio and received his B.A. degree from Yale University in 1942. He attended Columbia University and received his M.I.A. in 1950. He served in the United States Army from 1942 to 1946.

Mr. Schaufele is married to the former Heather Moon and they have two children.

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