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The President today announced his intention to nominate John Arthur Shaw, of St. Michaels, Maryland, to be Inspector General, Foreign Assistance. He will succeed Webster B. Todd, Jr., who was nominated to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board. Mr. Shaw has been Associate Director of the Presidential Personnel Office since 1974.

Born on July 1, 1939, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Mr. Shaw received his A. B. in 1962 from Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts. He received his B. A. (Cantab.) in 1964 and his M. A. in 1967 from Cambridge University. Pending publication, he will also be awarded his Ph. D. from Cambridge.

In 1967, Mr. Shaw became an Instructor in History at Williams College. From 1970 to 1973, he did research and writing in France and served as Special Assistant to the Chairman of the European Republican Committee during the 1972 Republican Presidential campaign. During 1973-74, he was a political and management consultant in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Shaw is married to the former Deborah Rossiter and they have two children.

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