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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Robert M. Takasugi, of Montebello, California, to be a United States District Judge for the Central District of California. He will succeed E. Avery Crary who retired effective December 31, 1975.

Since August, 1975, Mr. Takasugi has been a Judge of the Los Angeles County Superior Court.

A biographical sketch is attached.

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ROBERT M. TAKASUGI

Born: September 12, 1930 Tacoma, Washington

Legal Residence: California

Marital Status: Married Wife--Dorothy Kinuyo Okamoto  
2 children

Education: 1948-1953 University of California  
B.S. degree

1956-1959 University of Southern California  
J.D. degree

Bar: 1960 California

Military Service: 1953-1955 United States Army

Experience: 1960-1970 Velarde and Takasugi  
Los Angeles, California

1970-1973 Takasugi, Kataoka and Moret

1973-1975 Judge, Los Angeles Municipal Court

1975 to present Judge, Los Angeles County  
Superior Court

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