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Office of the White House Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Bruce R. Montgomery, of Gatlinburg, Tennessee, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Tennessee for a term of four years. He will succeed Leon B. Sutton, Jr., who resigned effective January 17, 1976.

Since January, 1976, Mr. Montgomery has served as the court appointed United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Tennessee.

A biographical sketch is attached.

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BRUCE R. MONTGOMERY

Born: December 15, 1933 Gatlinburg, Tennessee

Legal Residence: Tennessee

Marital Status: Married . Wife--Bettye Jo Loveday
2 children

Education: Sevier County High School

Experience: 1952-1953 Policeman, Gatlinburg, Tennessee

1954-1956 John Sevier Motor Company

1956-1960 Atchley Funeral Home

1960-1962 Assistant Manager, Gatlinburg Ski Resor

1962-1970 Owner-Operator; Service Station &
Market

1960-1966 Justice of the Peace (intermittent)

1966-1968 Deputy Sheriff (intermittent)

1970-1976 Deputy United States Marshal
Western District of Tennessee
Eastern District of Tennessee

January 1976 United States Marshal
to present (Court Appointed)
Eastern District of Tennessee

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