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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Donald E. Walter, of Jennings, Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Louisiana. He will succeed Edwin F. Hunter, Jr., who retired.

Mr. Walter has been the United States Attorney for the Western District of Louisiana since 1969.

A biographical sketch is attached.

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DONALD E. WALTER

Born: March 15, 1936 Jennings, Louisiana

Legal Residence: Louisiana

Marital Status: Married Wife--Charlotte Sevier Donald
3 children

Education: 1954-1956 Tulane University
1956-1957 Louisiana State University
1959-1964 B.A. (1961); J.D. (1964)

Bar: 1964 Louisiana

Military Service: 1957-1958 United States Army

Experience: 1964-1966 Cavanaugh, Brame, Holt & Woodley
Lake Charles, Louisiana
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