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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate James A. Andersen, of Auburn, Washington, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern and Western Districts of Washington. Mr. Andersen succeeds William N. Goodwin.

Judge Andersen was in the private practice of law from 1957 to 1975. He has served as a Judge of the State of Washington Court of Appeals since 1975.

A biographical sketch is attached.

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JAMES A. ANDERSEN

Born:	September 21, 1924	Auburn, Washington
Legal Residence:	Washington	
Marital Status:	Married	Wife--Billiette Bernice Smith two children
Education:	1942 1946-1951	University of Washington B.A.--1949; J.D.--1951
Bar:	1952	Washington
Military Service:	1943-1945	United States Army
Experience:	1951-1953	Claims Adjuster Safeco Insurance Companies
	1953-1957	Deputy Prosecuting Attorney King County, Washington
	1957-1961	Lycette, Diamond & Sylvester
	1961-1975	Clinton, Andersen, Fleck & Glein
	1975 to present	Judge, State of Washington Court of Appeals, Division I
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