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The President today announced his intention to nominate David Macdonald, of Winnetka, Illinois, to be Under Secretary of the Navy. He will succeed David S. Potter who has resigned effective April 1, 1976. Since May, 1974, Mr. Macdonald has been Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Enforcement, Operations, and Tariff Affairs.

Born on November 1, 1930, in Chicago, Illinois, Mr. Macdonald received his B.S. degree from Cornell University Law School in 1952. He attended the University of Michigan Law School and was awarded his J.D. in 1955. He was a member of the Order of Coif. He served in the United States Army from 1955 to 1957.

Mr. Macdonald joined the Chicago law firm of Baker and McKenzie in December, 1962, and has specialized in corporate and international financial law.

Married to the former Joy Odell of Evanston, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald have five children.

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