

Gelb has also served with Clairol, Inc., in New York, NY, in several capacities including: president, 1965–1976; executive vice president, 1961–1964; marketing vice president, 1958–1961; and advertising manager, 1957–1958. He has served with the Procter & Gamble Co. in Cincinnati, OH, as brand manager, 1955–1957, and assistant brand

manager, 1953–1955.

Mr. Gelb graduated from Yale University (B.A., 1950) and Harvard University Graduate School of Business Administration (M.B.A., 1953). He has served with the U.S. Naval Reserve, 1945–1946. Mr. Gelb is married, has four children, and resides in New York, NY.

Nomination of Henry E. Catto To Be Director of the United States Information Agency

March 13, 1991

The President today announced his intention to nominate Henry E. Catto, of Texas, to be Director of the United States Information Agency. He would succeed Bruce S. Gelb.

Currently Ambassador Catto serves as Ambassador of the United States to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Prior to this, Ambassador Catto served as a partner with Catto & Catto in San Antonio, TX, 1959–1989; and as vice chairman with H & C Communications, Inc., in Houston, TX, 1983–1989. Ambassador Catto has also served as Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs at the Department of Defense, 1981–1983. From 1977

to 1981, he was self-employed with the DBS IBIS Corp. in Washington, DC. He served as a Representative of the U.S. of America to the European Office of the United Nations in Geneva, Switzerland, 1976–1977, and as Chief of Protocol for the White House and the Department of State, 1974–1976. Ambassador Catto served as the U.S. Ambassador to El Salvador 1971–1973, and as Deputy Representative to the Organization of American States, 1969–1971.

Ambassador Catto graduated from Williams College (B.A., 1952). He was born December 6, 1930, in Dallas, TX. Ambassador Catto is married, has four children, and currently resides in London, England.

Nomination of Raymond G.H. Seitz To Be United States Ambassador to the United Kingdom

March 13, 1991

The President today announced his intention to nominate Raymond G.H. Seitz, of Texas, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. He would succeed Henry E. Catto.

Since 1989, Mr. Seitz has served as Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs at the Department of State in Washington, DC. From 1984 to 1989, Mr. Seitz served as Minister at the U.S. Embassy in London, England. Prior to this, he served

at the Department of State as: Executive Assistant to the Secretary of State, 1982–1984; Senior Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, 1981–1982; and Deputy Executive Secretary, 1979–1981. In addition, Mr. Seitz has served as a political officer at the U.S. Embassy in London. From 1972 to 1975, Mr. Seitz served with the State Department in Washington, DC, as staff officer and director of the secretariat staff, and special assistant to the Director General of the Foreign Service. Mr. Seitz has also

served as principal officer at the U.S. Embassy in Bukavu, Zaire, 1970–1972; political officer in Nairobi, Kenya, and vice consul to the Seychelles, 1968–1970; and as consular officer in Montreal, Canada, 1966–1968. Mr. Seitz joined the Foreign Service

in 1966.

Mr. Seitz graduated from Yale University (B.A., 1963). He was born December 8, 1940, in Honolulu, HI. Mr. Seitz is married, has three children, and resides in Washington, DC.

Nomination of Raoul L. Carroll To Be President of the Government National Mortgage Association

March 13, 1991

The President today announced his intention to nominate Raoul Lord Carroll, of the District of Columbia, to be President of the Government National Mortgage Association at the Department of Housing and Urban Development in Washington, DC. He would succeed Arthur J. Hill.

Since 1989, Mr. Carroll has served as General Counsel for the Department of Veterans Affairs in Washington, DC. Prior

to this Mr. Carroll served as a partner with Bishop, Cook, Purcell & Reynolds in Washington, DC, 1986–1989.

Mr. Carroll graduated from Morgan State College (B.S., 1972) and St. John's University School of Law (J.D., 1975). He was born March 16, 1950, in Washington, DC. Mr. Carroll served in the U.S. Army, 1975–1979. He is married, has two children, and resides in Washington, DC.

Remarks by the President and Prime Minister Brian Mulroney of Canada at the Air Quality Agreement Signing Ceremony in Ottawa

March 13, 1991

The Prime Minister. Mr. President, distinguished guests: I'm very pleased to welcome President Bush to Canada on his first foreign trip since the end of the Gulf war. He comes to Canada today as a President who is greatly admired at home and widely respected abroad, and one whose skill and resolve provided the international community with a stunning success in a war over Iraq.

In my many meetings and conversations with President Bush since August 2d I have been struck both by his grasp of the issues and by the breadth of his vision in regard to this remarkable problem. He instinctively chose to work within the United Nations. He painstakingly constructed and nurtured a great and disparate coalition of sovereign nations. He provided the perspective and the patience required for successful statecraft. And when, at the 11th hour, a

diplomatic solution was again rejected, President Bush provided the strength and the decisiveness required for the successful prosecution of war.

I'm not entirely certain how history will interpret the expression "defining moment," which appears to be pretty much en vogue in certain quarters these days. But I assume it means the crystallization of great need and wise, confident leadership in a manner that indelibly affects succeeding generations. In that regard, the conduct of the Gulf crisis and the war, from its uncertain beginnings to its triumphant end, was in fact, a defining moment for the United Nations, the United States, and the world. And for this extraordinary achievement the name George Bush will live proudly in the history of free men and women.