

Nomination of Eric J. Boswell To Be Director of the Office of Foreign Missions at the Department of State

September 25, 1992

The President today announced his intention to nominate Eric J. Boswell, of California, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Director of the Office of Foreign Missions, Department of State, with the rank of Ambassador. He would succeed David C. Fields.

Since 1990, Mr. Boswell has served as Executive Director of the Bureau of Near East and South Asian Affairs at the U.S. Department of State. He has also served with the Department of State as administrative minister-counselor at the American

Embassy in Ottawa, Canada, 1987–90; administrative counselor at the American Embassy in Amman, Jordan, 1985–87; Deputy Executive Director of the Bureau of European and Canadian Affairs, 1983–85; personnel officer for Near East assignments with the Bureau of Personnel, 1980–83; and consular officer at the American consulate general in Quebec, Canada, 1977–80.

Mr. Boswell graduated from Stanford University (B.A., 1970). He served in the U.S. Army, 1968–69. He was born May 31, 1945, in Naples, Italy. Mr. Boswell currently resides in Washington, DC.

Nomination of William Lucas To Be Director of Community Relations Service at the Department of Justice

September 25, 1992

The President today announced his intention to nominate William Lucas, of Michigan, to be Director of Community Relations Service at the U.S. Department of Justice, for a term of 4 years. He would succeed Grace Flores-Hughes.

Since 1989, Mr. Lucas has served as Director of the Office of Liaison Services at the Department of Justice. From 1988 to 1989, Mr. Lucas served as an attorney with the firm of Evans and Luptak in Detroit, MI. In 1987, he was a Harvard fellow at the John F. Kennedy School of Govern-

ment. He has also served as Commissioner of the Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution, 1986–89; county executive for Wayne County, MI, 1983–86; and sheriff of Wayne County, MI, 1970–83.

Mr. Lucas graduated from Manhattan College (B.S., 1948) and Fordham Law School (LL.B., 1962). He was born January 15, 1928, in New York City. Mr. Lucas is married, has five children, and resides in Arlington, VA.

Remarks on Beginning a Whistlestop Tour in Columbus, Ohio

September 26, 1992

What a great day in Ohio. Barbara and I are delighted to be here. May I salute our longstanding friends, George and Janet Voinovich, and say you are very lucky in this State to have this man as your Governor. Also I want to single out another one,

and that's Chalmers Wylie. He and I went to Congress on the same day, and he served Columbus with great distinction. If we had more like him they wouldn't be yelling all the time, "Clean House!" to get rid of all those Democrats that have been there in