

PRESENTATION OF SOLICITOR GENERAL

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1977

Present: MR. CHIEF JUSTICE BURGER, MR. JUSTICE BRENNAN, MR. JUSTICE STEWART, MR. JUSTICE WHITE, MR. JUSTICE MARSHALL, MR. JUSTICE BLACKMUN, MR. JUSTICE POWELL, MR. JUSTICE REHNQUIST, and MR. JUSTICE STEVENS.

Mr. Deputy Solicitor General Friedman presented the Honorable Wade H. McCree, Jr., of Michigan, Solicitor General of the United States.

THE CHIEF JUSTICE said:

Mr. Solicitor General, the Court welcomes you to the performance of the important office that you have assumed, to represent the Government before this Court. Your commission will be duly recorded by the Clerk.

THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

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BY JAMES M. SMITH

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