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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President has announced the designation of Charles A. Schmitz, as the U. S. Deputy Representative for Micronesian Status Negotiations, effective May 23, 1975. Mr. Schmitz will serve as the deputy of Ambassador Haydn Williams, the President's Personal Representative for Micronesian Status Negotiations, and also as Chairman of an Inter-Agency Working Group on Micronesia's future political status under the aegis of the Under Secretaries Committee.

Mr. Schmitz until recently was Assistant Legal Adviser for African Affairs, Department of State. His last post was Tokyo, where he served as Legal Adviser and political-military counselor. Mr. Schmitz was graduated from Yale College in 1950 and has an LL. B. from Yale Law School.

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