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The Department of State announced today the appointment of William H. Brubeck as Special Assistant to the Secretary of State and Executive Secretary of the Department of State. He succeeds Lucius D. Battle who was recently nominated by President John F. Kennedy for the post of Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs. In his new post Mr. Brubeck will assure coordination of work presented to the officers of the Secretary and the Under Secretaries and the implementation of decisions made by them. He is expected to take his oath of office later this week.

Born at Hannibal, Missouri on August 19, 1920, Mr. Brubeck attended the public schools of Springfield, Illinois and Los Angeles, California. He attended the University of California at Los Angeles and St. Johns College, Annapolis, Maryland, leaving in 1942 to enter military service. From 1942 to 1945 Mr. Brubeck served with the 11th Air Force in the Aleutian Islands. He was discharged in 1945 with the rank of Captain. Following his return to civilian life Mr. Brubeck received his bachelor's degree from St. Johns College in 1948. He subsequently attended Harvard University where he was awarded his M.A. in History in 1950 and his Ph.D. in Political Science two years later.

Following the completion of his formal education Mr. Brubeck accepted a position on the faculty of Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts. He spent four years at the College, where he taught Political Science. During 1955 he was also a visiting lecturer at the Salsburg (Austria) Seminar on American Studies, and two years later he served in the same capacity at Columbia University.

In 1956, Mr. Brubeck left Williamstown to become a member of the congressional staff of Congresswoman Edith Green. In the following year he became a consultant on foreign economic policy with Newmyer Associates of Washington, D. C. During the 1960 presidential campaign Mr. Brubeck was a member of the staff of candidate John F. Kennedy.

Mr. Brubeck entered the Department of State in January of 1961 as a Special Assistant to Under Secretary of State Chester Bowles. During the next month he was named Deputy Executive Secretary of the Department of State, the post he held until his present appointment.

Mr. Brubeck is married to the former Lois Gresham Sidenberg and they have two daughters. The family makes its home in McLean, Virginia.

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