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GOVERNMENT FILES DECLARATION OF TAKING PARKING AREA NASSIF BUILDING

On October 20, 1970, the Department of Justice (at the request of the Department of Transportation) filed a declaration of taking with the U. S. District Court for the District of Columbia, with a motion that possession be effective November 1, 1970. The Judge of the District Court has determined in favor of the Government and the Department of Transportation will assume management of the Nassif Building garage area on November 1. This action was taken by DOT because all efforts to reach an agreement on a lease of the parking facilities in the Headquarters Building had failed.

Parking permits are now being distributed to employees meeting the published criteria. The effective date for their use is November 1. Until the Department is able to negotiate a contract for parking services, no charge will be made for employee parking. The Department is proud of this achievement on behalf of its employees.

This bulletin will be issued periodically during the consolidation of the Department of Transportation headquarters into two buildings -- 400 Seventh Street, S.W., and 800 Independence Avenue, S.W.