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REMARKS OF WILLIAM P. BARR AFTER NOMINATION ANNOUNCEMENT

"It's been a privilege to serve you, Mr. President, these past three years at the Department of Justice. And I'm honored that you have selected me for the position of Attorney General.

"This is a particular honor to serve a President who is such a strong supporter of law enforcement.

"It is also a privilege to be nominated to succeed a great Attorney General -- Dick Thornburgh.

"As this VANPAC ceremony clearly shows, we have thousands of dedicated and able men and women at the Department of Justice, who do an exceptional job -- day in and day out -- upholding justice and enforcing our laws even-handedly and with integrity. I'm proud to be associated with them and, if confirmed, proud to lead them."

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