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## **ROBERT G. ANDARY BECOMES INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE**

Robert G. Andary has been named Inspector General for the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO). His appointment to one of the Office's key positions was made by Public Printer Michael F. DiMario and is effective November 9, 1997. Andary comes to the GPO from the Federal Communications Commission where he was Assistant Inspector General for Investigations and Counsel to the Inspector General. Before that he was at the Federal Labor Relations Authority (FLRA) where he had served as Inspector General since 1995.

An active member of the District of Columbia Bar and the Virginia State Bar, the 50-year old Andary holds a law degree from the University of Virginia and a bachelor's degree in American government from Georgetown University. A Washington native, Andary graduated from Gonzaga High School and resides in the District of Columbia.

From 1992 to 1995 he served as Counsel to the Inspector General and Director of Investigations, Office of Inspector General, Federal Communications Commission. In the previous year Andary was an Attorney-Advisor, Office of General Counsel, Ethics Unit, U.S. Department of Commerce. Between 1983 and 1991, the new GPO appointee served as Assistant U.S. Attorney, Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia. Andary was a trial attorney for the Criminal Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, serving in the Public Integrity Section from 1976 to 1983 and in the General Crimes Section from 1974 to 1976.

In announcing his selection, DiMario said, "We feel very fortunate to have found an individual of Robert Andary's caliber to serve as Inspector General for the GPO. He brings broad experience in both the audits and investigations areas and has shown his management abilities throughout his career. Through his accomplishments to date and as a member of the Executive Council on Integrity and Efficiency, we believe we have found an individual who will bring the highest level of commitment to this very important position."