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Elmer F. Andrews, Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, today announced that at the request of General Counsel Calvert Magruder he has made the following appointments:

George A. McNulty, now Assistant General Counsel of the Securities and Exchange Commission, to be Associate General Counsel of the Wage and Hour Division; and Rufus G. Poole, now Associate Solicitor of the U.S. Department of Labor, to be Assistant General Counsel of the Division.

Mr. McNulty has been a member of the legal staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission since 1935, and has participated in many of the Commission's major anti-manipulative cases. With the consent of the Securities and Exchange Commission, Mr. McNulty served from May through August of this year as Counsel to the Senate Civil Liberties Committee in the "Little Steel" hearings.

Mr. McNulty was born in St. Louis, Mo., in 1900, and was graduated from St. Louis University and, in 1925, from the Harvard Law School. From 1925 to 1933, he engaged in the general practice of law in St. Louis. He then served on the legal staff of the N.R.A. for two years, holding important positions involving code formulation and administration. He was later Assistant Director of Litigation of N.R.A.

Mr. Poole was Assistant Solicitor of the Interior Department from 1933 until March 1938, when he assumed his present position as Associate Solicitor in the U.S. Department of Labor. In the latter post, he acted as representative of the Department in the preparation of Wage and Hour legislation.

Mr. Poole was born in Aberdeen, S. Dak., in 1902, and took his law degree at the University of Chicago in 1927. He did post-graduate work under Dr. Ernest Freund on Legislation, and, in 1928, was admitted to the Illinois Bar. From 1928 to 1933, he practiced law in Chicago, and also served as Legislative Counsel for the Illinois General Assembly.