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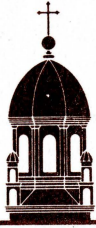
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ABSCAM INVESTIGATOR VISITS UD LAW SCHOOL

DAYTON, Ohio, April 14, 1982 -- The University of Dayton School of Law will host E. Barrett Prettyman, Jr., former aid to Presidents Kennedy and Johnson and special counsel to the House Ethics Committee's investigation into U.S. interests in the Arab bribery dispute (ABSCAM). Prettyman will discuss the political and legal aspects of investigations into the bribing of congressmen and senators at 3 p.m. on April 19, in Albert Emanuel Hall.

A Washington attorney, Prettyman was hired by the House Committee in February of 1980 to oversee the investigation of the ABSCAM activities. Additionally, he is known for his negotiations in 1962 with Fidel Castro which secured the release of prisoners captured in the Bay of Pigs operation.

The author of a number of books, including Death and the Supreme Court, Prettyman has appeared frequently before the United States Supreme Court. During the 1950s as a young graduate, Prettyman served as clerk for Supreme Court Justices Jackson, Frankfurter, and Harlan.

Prettyman's visit is being sponsored by the Student Bar Association of the University of Dayton School of Law under a grant received from the American Bar Association's Law Student Division. He is available for press interviews. For further information, contact Ro Nita Hawes at 229-3241.