



ROBERT A. HOOD

Robert Hood began his thirty-year career in the criminal justice field as an intern instructor at Bayside State Prison, Leesburg, New Jersey, in 1974. He then held positions with the New Jersey Department of Corrections and the Texas Department of Corrections before joining the Federal Bureau of Prisons. Mr. Hood began his Bureau of Prisons career as an Education Specialist at the Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) in Petersburg, Virginia in 1981. He went on to hold positions of increasing responsibility including: Assistant Supervisor of Education, FCI Raybrook, New York; Supervisor of Education, FCI Englewood, Colorado; Assistant Director, Staff Training Academy, Glynco, Georgia; Executive Assistant, North East Regional Office, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Associate Warden, FCI Fort Worth, Texas; Deputy Chief and Chief, Office of Internal Affairs, Washington, D.C.; Warden, FCI Tucson, Arizona; and Warden, FCI Sheridan, Oregon. In July 2002, he was named Warden of the United States Penitentiary, Administrative Maximum, Florence, Colorado. As Warden of the Administrative Maximum, he oversees the operations of the facility that houses the Federal Bureau of Prisons' most violent, disruptive and escape-prone inmates.

Mr. Hood graduated from Point Pleasant Boro High School in 1969; received an A.A. degree in General Education from Ocean County College, Toms River, New Jersey; attended International Studies in

Criminology at the University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark; received a B.A. degree in Criminology and Education, from Glassboro State College (now known as Rowan University), Glassboro, New Jersey; received a Masters of Education from Trenton State College; and received a Post Graduate Certificate from Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas. Mr. Hood taught criminology classes at North Country Community College, Saranac Lake, New York; Armstrong State College, Savannah, Georgia; Texas Christian College, Ft. Worth, Texas; and Western Oregon University, Monmouth, Oregon.

Mr. Hood was appointed to the Senior Executive Service (SES) in June 2000. SES members are the major link between the top Presidential appointees and the rest of the federal work force.

Mr. Hood participated in and coordinated International Treaty Transfers of inmates in London, England and Bangkok, Thailand. He received special deputation with the United States Marshals Service while on special assignment with the Bureau of Prisons.

Mr. Hood enjoys skiing, hiking, and running. During his travels throughout the United States, he completed several marathon races including: New York City, Washington Marine Corps, Dallas White Rock, and Tucson Marathons. Mr. Hood and his wife, Charlotte, have been married for twenty-eight years. Charlotte has been an elementary school teacher during much of that time.