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Evan R. Gaddis is president and CEO of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA), the leading trade association in the United States representing the interests of electrical and medical imaging manufacturers. Founded in 1926, its approximately 430 member companies manufacture products used in the generation, transmission and distribution, control, and end-use of electricity and medical imaging. Domestic shipments of electrical products produced by NEMA members exceed \$100 billion.

Before joining NEMA, Mr. Gaddis served as president of the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association. Previously, General Gaddis built a successful career in the United States Army. He served in many domestic and international assignments. He retired from the United States Army as a Major General.

Mr. Gaddis holds a B.S. from Cameron University in Lawton, Oklahoma, and an M.B.A. from the National University in San Diego, California. Current professional affiliates include Board of Director, Electrical Safety Foundation International; Industry Data Exchange Association; U.S. Chamber Institute for 21st Century Energy, and Advisory Board, U.S. Army Recruiting. Evan and his wife, Bonnita, have two children, Brent and Renee.