

## WALTER D. (BUDDY) SAMPSON APPOINTED CHIEF OF LICENSING DIVISION

Effective November 19, 1979, Walter D. (Buddy) Sampson, Jr., was appointed to the position of Chief of the Licensing Division.

Mr. Sampson has a Bachelor's degree from George Mason University and a Master's degree from Central Michigan University.

Mr. Sampson has served in a variety of progressively responsible positions in the Library of Congress since 1961. Beginning as a deck attendant in Stack and Reader Division, his experience has included searching positions in the General Reference and Bibliography Division, and the Photoduplication Service, as well as having served as Subject Orders Librarian in the Card Division. Since 1970 he progressed in the Order Division from Senior Order Librarian to Assistant Evaluations Officer and in 1971 was appointed to head the Order Preparation Section. In 1973 this Section was split because of an Order Division reorganization, and Mr. Sampson served as Head of the Special Order Section. In November 1977, he was transferred to the Copyright Office as Assistant Chief of the newly established Licensing Division. In this capacity, Mr. Sampson was instrumental in developing operating procedures for the division and handling a variety of administrative problems.