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Mr. Eccles is the retired Regional Director of the United States Department of Commerce – Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA). In that position, he was responsible for the administration and direction of all the programs of the MBDA within the eight Southeastern states. These programs included the establishment, preservation, and strengthening of minority owned business firms.

Prior to his position as Regional Director, he was the Deputy Regional Director and also served as a Procurement Specialist providing technical support to MBDA funded organizations and minority business persons.

He has worked for the General Services Administration (GSA) at both the regional level in Atlanta and the national level in Washington, D.C., where he was responsible for the development and continuous review of GSA's minority business policies, procedures and program analysis.

He is a graduate of North Carolina A&T State University, with further studies at Georgia State University in Business and Political Science.

He and his wife of almost 5 decades, Mae, are the proud parents of 3 daughters, 3 granddaughters and 1 grandson.