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## Pat's Traveling Hairdresser

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — At the last moment, Pat Nixon decided to take her hairdresser along on the trip to China today.

It was announced some time ago that the First Lady would not take any members of her personal staff with her on the premium-space trip.

"I'm a do - it - yourself person," she had said.

But only moments before President and Mrs. Nixon

started their journey, the White House announced that Mrs. Rita Desantis, employed by the Elizabeth Arden salon in Washington, was accompanying the First Lady.

The White House said Mrs. Nixon had asked for Mrs. Desantis because there is no U.S. embassy in Peking to provide a similar service. It said Mrs. Desantis would be on the "unofficial" list of staff in the party.

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