

CALMES, Christian: Secretary-General, Council of Ministers

Luxembourg national, born 1913.

Studied at Universities of Strasbourg and Paris. Graduated in law 1938. Called to the Bar in Luxembourg.

Upon return from concentration camp, worked after the Liberation in Ministry of Foreign Affairs, where he was in turn Attache, Secretary and Counsellor.

Member of Luxembourg delegation negotiating the Treaty in connection with the Schuman Plan.

The Special Council of Ministers of the European Coal and Steel Community at its eighteenth session, on July 27 and 28, 1954, in Luxembourg, conferred on M. Calmes the title of Secretary-General to the Council. (He had already been appointed Secretary to the Council on September 8, 1952.)



CHRISTIAN CALMES
Secretary General of the Council

Born July 11, 1913, in Luxembourg. Doctor of Laws, Universities of Strasbourg and Paris. Attorney, judge-delegate, successively Secretary-Attaché, then Counselor for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 1952, Secretary General of the Special Council of Ministers of the European Coal and Steel Community. From 1955 to 1958, Secretary General successively of the Intergovernmental Committee, the Intergovernmental Conference, and the Interim Committee for the Common Market and Euratom.

At present, Minister Plenipotentiary, General Secretary of the Councils of the European Communities (European Coal and Steel Community, European Economic Community, European Atomic Energy Community), and Secretary General of the Conference between the Member States of the European Communities and Third Party States requesting admission to these Communities.

Order of Nassau, Order of the Oak Wreath, Legion of Honor, Order of Leopold, Order of the Crown, Order of the Phoenix, Medal of Freedom.