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HEREWITH BIOGRAPHICAL MATERIAL ON MR. WILLIAMS AND MR ERNST.

FONARD WILLIANS, C B, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF ENERGY, COMMISSION F THE EC, SINCE JANUARY 1976

BORN 1919 IN LONDON, EDUCATED ST. OLAVE'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL AND LONDON UNIVERSITY (LAW). WAR SERVICE 1940-1946. NATO INTERNATIONAL STAFF 1951 TO 1954. SERVICE IN VARIOUS UK GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING DEFENSE, TECHNOLOGY AND (FROM 1971 TO 1975) DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY. DEPUTY SECRETARY IN THAT DEPARTMENT FROM OCTORER 1973 MENT FROM OCTOBER 1973.

WOLFGANG ERNST. BORN ON 9.10.1913. IN KOELN. MARRIED, 3 CHILDREN. LIVES IN MUNICH (GERMANY) AND FLORENCE (ITALY).

- 1930-1939 STUDIED LAW AND ECONOMICS AT BERLIN UNIVERSITY AND TOOK REFERENDAR AND ASSESSOR EXAMINATION (LAW.
- 1948-1952 DIFFERENT POSTS IN GERMAN MINISTRIES (FINANCE, MARSHALL PLAN, ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, BONN).
- 1952-1958 DEPUTY SECRETARY AND DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR EXTERNAL RELATIONS FOR HIGH AUTHORITY IN LUXEMBOURG.
- 1958-1974 DIRECTOR AND DIRECTOR GENERAL IN DIRECTORATE GENERAL ''FOREIGN TRADE'' AND ''EXTERNAL RELATIONS'' OF THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES, BRUSSELS.
- 1974-1978 HEAD OF DELEGATION OF THE COMMISSION OF EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES TO JAPAN. TOKYO.

FROM 1978 RETIRED FROM ACTIVE SERVICE.

NOW HONORARY DIRECTOR GENERAL AND SPECIAL ADVISER TO THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

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War Service:

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Civil Service:

Short periods in Inland Revenue and Ministry of Defense (including 3 years on attachment to NATO International Staff, 1951 to 1954); main service in Ministries of Supply, Technology and Energy 1954 to 1975. One year at Imperial Defense College in 1966.

Promoted to Under Secretary January 1967. Posted to Department of Energy December 1971. Promoted to Deputy Secretary October 1973. Order of the Bath (Companion) 1975