## FONTAINE, FRANCOIS

BORN IN 1917.

HE STUDIED AT THE FACULTY OF LAW AND AT THE POLITICAL SCIENCES SCHOOL AND WORKED FIRST AS A JOURNALIST AND AFTER AS AN ATTACHE TO THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

IN 1947, HE TOOK UP THE POSITION AS A HEAD OF THE CABINET OF MR. JEAN MONNET, THEN IN CHARGE OF THE MODERNISATION AND EQUIPMENT FRENCH PLAN.

IN 1952, WHEN MR. MONNET WAS NOMINATED PRESIDENT OF THE HIGH AUTHORITY OF THE S.C.E.: C. (STEEL AND COAL EUROPEAN COMMUNITY) IN LUXEMBOURG, MR. FRANCOIS FONTAINE STARTED A CAREER OF AN OFFICIAL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES. HIS PRESENT POSITION TODAY IS DIRECTOR OF THE INFORMATION BUREAU FOR THE COMMON MARKET, THE SCEC, AND THE EURATOM, IN FRANCE.

THE AUTHOR OF "LA NATION (FREIN) (ESSAI SUR LA FRANCE)" PUBLISHED IN 1956, AND "LA DEMOCRATIE EN VACANCES" PUBLISHED IN 1959, BY JULLIARD.

HE COLLABORATES AT "PREUVES" AND "REALITS" REVIEWS AND HAS PUBLISHED SOME ARTICLES IN "LE MONDE."

MARRIED, FATHER OF THREE CHILDREN AGES 4, 14 AND 18 YEARS.

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