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MR. GEORGES HEISBOURG,

REPRESENTATIVE AT OECD OF THE GRAND DUCHY OF LUXEMBOURG

Ambassador Georges Heisbourg has taken up his post as head of the permanent Luxembourg delegation to the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development.

After completing his studies at the Universities of Grenoble, Innsbruck and Paris, Mr. Heisbourg, who was born on 19th April, 1918, at Hespérange (Luxembourg), entered the diplomatic service and was appointed in 1945 Secretary of Legation in London.

From 1951-58, he was Director of Political Affairs in the Department of Foreign Affairs at Luxembourg. After this he was appointed Ambassador to the United States, being at the same time accredited to both the Canadian and Mexican governments.

In 1964, Mr. Heisbourg became Ambassador to the Netherlands, where he remained until his appointment as Ambassador to France in November 1967 and his nomination as Head of the permanent Luxembourg delegation to OECD.

Mr. Heisbourg is married, with three children.

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