

Bio

Brussels, 15th October 1963.

Monsieur Henri Rochereau has taken up his functions with the Commission of the European Economic Community as successor to Monsieur Robert Lemaigen.

Curriculum Vitae

Born March 25, 1908 at Chantonnay (Vendée)

University degree: Doctor of Law

Career: Senator for the Vendée 1946 (re-elected in 1948, 1952, 1958 and 1959);

Member of the Independent Republicans Group;

Chairman of the Economic Affairs Committee of the Council of the Republic (1955-1958),

Member of the Commission on National Accounts and Estimates,

Member of the Committee for the Co-Ordination of Statistical Surveys and of the Council for Scientific Research and Technical Progress,

Delegate to the European Parliament (1956)

He led several French Government Economic Missions, particularly in Latin America and in Communist China.

Chairman of the Senate Committee for Economic Affairs and Planning (January-May, 1959);

Minister of Agriculture (M. Debré's Cabinet, May 28, 1959 to August 24, 1961),

In 1962 he was appointed Member of the Commission of the European Economic Community, within which he is Chairman of the Group responsible for overseas development.

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