

GEORGES HENRI BLOUIN

Mr. Blouin was born in Montreal, Quebec, on June 4, 1921. He is a graduate of the College Ste-Marie and the University of Montreal (B.A. and L.L.B.). While at the University of Montreal he became the editor-in-chief of "Le Quartier Latin" in 1948.

Mr. Blouin began his career with the Public Service in 1948 in the Income Tax Division of the Department of National Revenue. In 1949, he joined the Department of External Affairs and served at Canadian diplomatic missions in New Delhi from 1951 to 1954, San Francisco from 1955 to 1958, Athens from 1961 to 1963 and Brussels from 1963 to 1965.

In 1965, Mr. Blouin was appointed Canadian Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroun with concurrent non-resident accreditation to the Republic of Chad, the Republic of Gabon and the Central African Republic. He served as Minister at the Canadian Embassy in Washington from 1967 until 1970 when he assumed his present position as Director-General of the Bureau of Personnel. Since September 1972, Mr. Blouin has held the additional appointment of Special Adviser to the Under-Secretary on foreign service appointments and related policies.

Mr. Blouin is married and has two children.