

MARCEL DANIS

Minister of Labour

Marcel Danis was appointed Minister of Labour on April 21, 1991. He graduated from Loyola College in 1965, holds a Masters degree in Political Science from Fordham University in New York State and a diploma in Constitutional Law and Political Science from the Université de Paris in France. In 1971, he obtained a law degree from the University of Montreal. Since 1968, Mr. Danis has taught Law and Political Science at Concordia University in Montreal. From 1967 to 1968, he worked as an adviser to the Premier of Quebec as well as to the Quebec Minister of Industry and Commerce. Mr. Danis was first elected to the House of Commons in 1984 to represent the riding of Verchères. From 1984, until his appointment to Cabinet in February 1990, he was Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons and Chairman of the Committees of the Whole House. Mr. Danis and his wife, Sandra Jeffrey, have two children: Caroline and Christian. His hobbies include golf and skiing.