

JOSEPH EVREMOND GHISLAIN HARDY

Mr. Hardy was born in Montreal on May 10, 1921. After graduating from the University of Paris in 1947, he then attended both McGill University and the University of Ottawa. From 1940-41 Mr. Hardy was a teacher at St. Vincent-de-Paul, Laval County, Quebec. After enlisting in the RCAF in 1942, he served in the United Kingdom, Northwest Europe and the Mediterranean and was discharged in 1946 (LAC).

Mr. Hardy joined the Department of External Affairs in 1948 and was on loan to the Department of Finance until 1951. He has served abroad in Rome and in London, where he became Counsellor in 1958. In 1962, he acted as Adviser to the Canadian Delegation to the Disarmament Conference in Geneva, and in 1963 became Assistant Secretary to the Cabinet and Assistant Clerk of the Privy Council. In 1966, he was appointed Minister to the North Atlantic Council and in 1967 became Deputy High Commissioner in London.

Mr. Hardy is married to the former Thérèse Monsallier and has three children.