

Ms. Margaret J. Mason born in Windsor (Nova Scotia), as Ambassador for Disarmament.

Ms. Mason [B.A. University of Ottawa, 1972; L.L.B., University of Ottawa, 1975; admitted to the practice of law in Ontario, 1977] has an extensive experience in labour relations and family law. She was Legal Advisor and Policy Analyst for the Canadian Advisory Council on the Status of Women in 1980 and 1981; Policy Advisor to the Right Honourable Joe Clark and to the Honourable Erik Nielsen with responsibilities in the areas of status of women, arms control policy, social policy, constitutional and legal issues from 1981 to 1984. Since 1984, she has been Policy Advisor to the Right Honourable Joe Clark with responsibilities for providing policy analysis and advice in the following areas: security issues, East/West relations, export controls policy; East/West human rights issues, military and non-military uses of nuclear energy and selected trade issues. Ms. Mason is married and has one son. Ms. Mason replaces Mr. D. Roche.

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Mr. François A. Mathys, born in Timmins (Ontario), as Ambassador responsible for the conduct of the Canada-France Maritime Boundary Case.

Mr. Mathys [B.A., Collège Jean-de-Brébeuf, Montréal; licence en droit, University of Montreal; member of the Québec bar; University Institute of Higher International Studies, Geneva] joined the Department of External Affairs in 1967 and has served with the Canadian Permanent Mission to the United Nations, the Embassy in Moscow and was Deputy Permanent Representative with the Canadian Delegation to NATO from 1983-86. From 1986-87, he was senior Departmental Assistant to the Secretary of State for External Affairs and Director General, Bureau of Legal Affairs from 1987 to 1989. Since then, he has been Canadian Agent in the Canada-France Maritime Boundary Case. Mr. Mathys is married to Elaine de Lorimier and has three children.

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The Honourable Thomas M. McMillan, born in Charlottetown (P.E.I.), as Consul General in Boston.

Mr. McMillan [B.A. St. Dunstan's University, P.E.I., 1967; M.A. Political Science, Queen's University, 1970] was first elected to the House of Commons in 1979 following a career as a political scientist. From 1979 to 1984, he represented the constituency of Hillsborough, P.E.I. in the House of Commons. He was Minister of State (Tourism) from 1984 to 1985 and Minister of the Environment from 1985 to 1988. He is married to Katherine Hambly and they have two children. Mr. McMillan replaces Ms. P. Lucas.

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