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THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE SCIENCE COMMITTEE

It will be recalled that at their meeting in December, 1957, the Heads of the Governments of the countries of the Atlantic Alliance recognised that in most of their countries more should be done to increase the supply of trained men in all branches of science and technology, and that a fuller development of science and technology was essential. In order to give effect to these aims, the Heads of Governments decided to create a Science Committee.

This Committee, the composition of which has now been completed, will hold its first meeting, under the chairmanship of Dr. Ramsey, Science Adviser to the Secretary General, at the Palais de Chaillot on March 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th, 1958. Its principal tasks will be to make recommendations to the North Atlantic Council on all problems of science and technology of concern to the Alliance, and on the steps which member countries might take to increase the supply of scientists and strengthen and co-ordinate the scientific and technical resources of NATO. It will meet periodically to review progress realised in carrying out its recommendations.

The following is the list of the names of the members of the Committee:

- BELGIUM M. PAUL BOURGEOIS, Doctor of Physics and Mathematics, and Professor at Brussels Université Libre; Director of the Royal Belgian Observatory.
- CANADA Dr. EDGARD WILLIAM RICHARD STEACIE, Doctor of Philosophy, Science and Law; President of the National Research Council at Ottawa.
- DENMARK Professor POUL BRANDT REHBERG, Doctor of Philosophy and Medicine, Professor of Animal Physiology; Member of the Council of the Danish Commission for Atomic Energy, and of the Danish Defence Research Council.

- FRANCE M. ANDRE LOUIS DANJON, Agrégé of Physics; Director of the Paris Observatory, Professor of Astronomy at the Faculty of Science of Paris; Member of the National Defence Committee of Scientific Action.
- FEDERAL
REPUBLIC
OF GERMANY Professor AUGUST RUCKER, Graduate of Munich Technical University; Professor of Town Planning; former Director of Munich Technical University; former Bavarian Minister of Education and Cultural Affairs (1954-1957).
- GREECE Dr. CAESAR ALEXOPOULOS, Professor of Physics at Athens University; Member of the Greek Atomic Energy Commission.
- ITALY Professor FRANCESCO GIORDANI, Professor of General and Inorganic Chemistry at Naples University; former Chairman of the National Committee of Nuclear Research in Italy, Chairman of the National Council of Research, Member of the commission of experts on EURATOM.
- NETHER-
LANDS Professor G.J. SIZOO, Doctor of Science at Leiden University, Professor of Physics and Director of the Physical Laboratory at the Free University of Amsterdam; Chairman of the National Defence Research Council and of the SHAPE Air Defence Technical Centre at The Hague; Member of the Central National Council for Applied Scientific Research.
- NORWAY Professor SVEIN ROSSELAND, Professor of Astro-Physics at Oslo University; Member of the Executive Committee of the Royal Norwegian Council of Technical and Scientific Research.
- PORTUGAL Professor RUI FERRO MAYER, former Vice-Rector of Lisbon Technical University; Professor at the Higher Institute of Agronomy; former Chairman of the Permanent Scientific Commission of the Institute of Advanced Studies, former Vice-Chairman of the National Education Board.
- TURKEY Dr. CAVIT ERGINSOY, Doctor of Physics at London University; Vice-Chairman of the Consultative Commission for Atomic Energy

in Turkey; Member of the Institute for Nuclear Research at the Technical University of Central Anatolia; Chief Engineer in charge of nuclear research at Etibank.

UNITED
KINGDOM

Sir SOLLY ZUCKERMAN, Professor of Anatomy; Deputy Chairman of the Advisory Council on Scientific Policy; Chairman of the Natural Resources (Technical) Committee; Member of the Agricultural Research Council.

UNITED
STATES

Dr. I.I. RABI, Doctor of Philosophy and Science, Professor of Physics at Columbia University, Nobel Laureate in Physics; former Chairman of the General Advisory Committee of the United States Atomic Energy Commission.