Carlos Westendorp High Representative from June 1997 - July 1999

Curriculum Vitae

Born in Madrid on 7 January 1937

- Joined the Foreign Service in 1965
- Posts in Spanish Embassies in Brazil and the Netherlands
- Director General for E.C. Affairs 1980-1985
- Senior member of the team which negotiated Spanish membership of the E.C.
- Ambassador to the E.C. Brussels 1985-1991
- Secretary of State for European Affairs 1991-1995
- Minister for Foreign Affairs 1996
- Ambassador to the United Nations 1996-1997
- High Representative in Bosnia and Herzegovina June 1997 to July 1999