

Basic Detail Report

Giuseppe Petrilli and Emilio Colombo

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Emilio Colombo was an Italian politician and the Prime Minister of Italy from 1970 to 1972. In addition to having held top positions in Italian governments, he was also active in European politics. In November 2003, he admitted to have used cocaine (for "therapeutic purposes") over a 12- to 18-month period. Giuseppe Petrilli was an Italian professor and European Commissioner. He was a non-politician appointed as the first Italian European Commissioner on the Hallstein Commission from January 1958 with responsibility for the Social Affairs portfolio. In September 1960 (or December 1960, or 8 February 1961) he resigned and was succeeded by Lionello Levi Sandri. A professor, Giuseppe Petrilli became president of IRI (the Italian Institute for Industrial Reconstruction – a powerful state-owned holding company) in 1960 and served for almost twenty years, until 1979.

Dimensions

Overall: 20.9 x 30.3 cm (8 2/8 x 11 7/8 in.)