

## **FOREWORD**

This volume contains the Educational Policy Review of Greece undertaken in 1995-96 at the request of the Greek authorities. The Review programme was completed in April 1996, with the usual discussion by the OECD Education Committee, at its meeting of 2nd April 1996, in the presence of a special Greek Delegation headed by Mr. George Papandreou, Greek Minister of National Education and Religious Affairs.

Part One provides the full text of the Background Report, prepared by the Greek authorities for the purpose of the OECD Review.

Part Two is the Examiners' Report on which the Committee discussion was based. The Examiners for the review were Denis Kallen (Netherlands), Professor Maurice Kogan (United Kingdom) and George Papadopoulos, rapporteur (former OECD Deputy Director for Education). The report is published on the responsibility of the Secretary-General of the OECD.