About Dennis B. Ross

Ambassador Dennis Ross has been advisor to Presidents Barack Obama, Bill Clinton, George H.W. Bush, and Ronald Reagan, counseling each on US policy and negotiations in the Middle East for over 30 years.

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