Outline of the PRC 12th Five-Year Plan (FYP, 2011–15) on National Economic and Social Development

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I. Shifting the Approach: Initiating a New Phase of Scientific Development

(1) Development environment
(2) Guiding ideology
(3) Major goals
(4) Policy guidance

II. Strengthening and Benefiting Agriculture: Accelerating the Construction of a New Socialist Countryside

(5) Accelerate the development of a modern agriculture industry
(6) Expand channels for farmers to increase their income
(7) Improve rural living conditions
(8) Improve rural development mechanisms

III. Transforming and Upgrading: Improving Core Industrial Competitiveness

(9) Reform and upgrade manufacturing industries
(10) Foster and develop strategic emerging industries
(11) Promote the reform of energy production and use
(12) Construct a comprehensive transportation system
(13) Comprehensively increase the level of informatization
(14) Promote marine economy development

IV. Building the Environment: Promoting Services Industry Development

(15) Accelerate manufacturing services industry development
(16) Develop the household services industry
(17) Create a beneficial environment for services industry development

V. Optimizing the Structure: Promoting Balanced Regional Development and Healthy Urbanization

(18) Implement an overall strategy for regional development
(19) Implement strategies for key functional districts
(20) Actively and steadily promote urbanization
VI. Green Development: Constructing a Resource-Conservation Model and an Environmentally Friendly Society

(21) Actively deal with global climate change
(22) Strengthen resource conservation and management
(23) Develop a circular economy
(24) Strengthen environmental protection
(25) Promote ecological protection and restoration
(26) Strengthen the construction of water conservation and disaster prevention and mitigation systems

VII. Driving Innovation: Implementing National Science and Human Resources Strategies

(27) Enhance scientific and technological innovation abilities
(28) Accelerate education reform and development
(29) Build a pool of high-quality talent

VIII. Improving People's Livelihood: Strengthening Social Infrastructure and Establishing a Sound Public Services System

(30) Improve basic public services
(31) Implement an employment strategy
(32) Reasonably adjust income distribution
(33) Improve social security system coverage for urban and rural residents
(34) Improve basic medical and health systems
(35) Enhance housing security
(36) Comprehensively carry out population work

IX. Treating Symptoms and Root Causes: Strengthening and Innovating in Social Management

(37) Promote innovation in the social management system
(38) Strengthen urban and rural communities’ autonomy and services capabilities
(39) Strengthen the construction of social organizations
(40) Improve the public interest protection system
(41) Strengthen public safety system construction

X. Inheriting and Innovating: Promoting the Development of National Culture

(42) Raise the general population’s cultural quality
(43) Promote cultural innovation
(44) Develop cultural businesses and industries

XI. Assertive Reforms: Improving the Socialist Market Economy

(45) Support and improve the basic economic system
(46) Promote administrative system reform
(47) Accelerate tax system reform
(48) Deepen financial system reform
(49) Deepen reforms of resource product pricing and environmental protection fees
XII. Mutual Benefits: Increasing the Level of Openness

(50) Improve the framework for regional opening
(51) Optimize the structure for foreign trade
(52) Coordinate implementation of the “Chinese enterprises going abroad” and “foreign enterprises coming in” strategies
(53) Actively participate in global economic governance and regional cooperation

XIII. Developing Democracy: Promoting the Construction of Socialist Political Culture

(54) Strengthen the construction of a Socialist democracy
(55) Comprehensively promote rule of law
(56) Strengthen anticorruption prevention

XIV. Deepening Cooperation: Building a Harmonious Country for China’s People

(57) Maintain Hong Kong and Macao’s long-term prosperity and stability
(58) Promote peaceful development of cross-strait relations and national reunification

XV. Integrating the Military and Civilians: Strengthening National Defense and Military Modernization

(59) Strengthen national defense and military modernization
(60) Promote the development of military and civilian integration

XVI. Strengthening Implementation: Implementing Macro-Development Blueprints

(61) Improve the implementation of plans and evaluation mechanisms
(62) Strengthen the coordinated management of plans