

# National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC)

## 国家发展和改革委员会

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The NDRC, successor to the former State Development Planning Commission, directs industry policies, price reform, fixed-asset investment, and western development. It is also responsible for collecting, processing, and providing economic information to other government departments. In March 2003, NDRC absorbed many macroeconomic and approval operations performed by the former State Economic and Trade Commission and functions of the former State Council Office for Economic Restructuring.



Vice Ministers and Other Senior Officials		
<b>Mu Hong 穆虹</b> (Vice Chairman, Deputy Party Secretary) Assists the Chairman.	<b>Tang Dengjie 唐登杰</b> (Vice Chairman, Party Secretary) Responsible for the Fixed Income Investment, Rural Economy, Resource Conservation, Environmental Protection, Trade, and Staffing Departments, and the Retired Officials Bureau.	<b>Sun Huaixin 孙怀新</b> (Disciplinary Inspection and Supervision Team Head, Party Cell Member)
<b>Ning Jizhe 宁吉喆</b> (Vice Chairman, Party Cell Member) Oversees the Departments of Policy Research, National Economy, Foreign Capital and Overseas Investment, and International Cooperation; manages work on US-China economic and trade negotiations; and liaises with the Academy of Macroeconomic Research, the State Information Center, the China Overseas Development Association, the Center of International Cooperation, and the China Center for International Economic Exchanges.	<b>Lian Weiliang 连维良</b> (Vice Chairman, Party Cell Member) Responsible for the Bureau of Economic Operations Adjustment, and the Departments of Fiscal and Financial Affairs, Economic and Defense Coordination, and Economic System Reform; shares responsibility for the Social Development Department; and liaises with the Defense Mobilization Research and Development Center, China Reform Daily, and China Market Press.	<b>Lin Nianxiu 林念修</b> (Vice Chairman, Party Cell Member) Responsible for the Departments of Industrial Coordination, High-Tech Industry, and Laws and Regulations; shares responsibility for the Departments of Regional Economy, Western Development, and Northeastern Region Revitalization; and liaises with the Staff Services Center, the Infrastructure Property Management Center, the China Tendering and Bidding Association, the China Association of Plant Engineering, the China Industry Development Association, and the China Association of SMEs.

<b>Hu Zucai 胡祖才</b> (Vice Chairman, Party Cell Member) Responsible for the Departments of Development Planning, Industry, and Price, as well as work related to construction in the Yangtze River Economic Belt region; jointly oversees the Department of Employment and Income Distribution; and liaises with the Price Certification Center, the Price Monitoring Center, the Center for Reform and Development of Cities and Small Towns, the Drug Price Evaluation Center, the China Communications and Transport Association, and the China Association of Urban Rail Transit.	<b>Zhang Wufeng 张务锋</b> (Director, Party Secretary of the National Food and Strategic Reserves Administration) Oversees the National Food and Strategic Reserves Administration.	<b>Cong Liang 丛亮</b> (Vice Chairman, Party Cell Member) Coordinates work on policy research, economic system reform, propaganda, major projects, material storage, party building, retired cadres, and logistics; and previously served as the spokesman for the NDRC.
<b>Zhang Jianhua 章建华</b> (Director, Party Secretary of the National Energy Administration) Responsible for the National Energy Administration.	<b>Su Wei 苏伟</b> (Deputy Secretary General) Coordinates work on utilization of foreign capital and foreign investment, trade and economic issues, and international cooperation (including Belt and Road related cooperation).	<b>Gao Gao 高杲</b> (Deputy Secretary General) Coordinates work on investment, trade, personnel and budgetary allocations, the Yangtze River Economic Belt, infrastructure development, employment, and pricing.
<b>Zhao Chenxin 赵辰昕</b> (Secretary General) Coordinates works on economic operations, system reform, fiscal and financial issues, and appraisal.	<b>Guo Lanfeng 郭兰峰</b> (Deputy Secretary General) Coordinates work on regional economic integration, regional revitalization, and defense; and liaises with macroeconomic research institutes, the Center for International Cooperation, the China Economic Herald, the China Transportation Association, the China Tendering and Bidding Association, the China Association for the Promotion of Industrial Development, and the China Center for International Economic Exchanges.	<b>Wu Hao 伍浩</b> (Deputy Secretary General) Coordinates works on industrial development, high-tech issues, laws and regulations, and party building.

#### Department Responsibilities

<b>General Office (办公厅)</b> Overseas day-to-day operations of the Commission, including processing documents, organizing meetings, and managing the communication of confidential information. Responsible for information acquisition, handling of complaint letters and visits, government information disclosure, and the Commission's budget.	<b>Department of Policy Studies (政策研究室)</b> Responsible for drafting important policy documents; organizing studies on key issues concerning economic and social development, reform and opening-up, and international economy; and publishing news releases and information guidance.	<b>Department of Development Strategy and Planning (发展战略和规划司)</b> Responsible for formulating strategies for national economic and social development, as well as proposing development strategies and policies for urbanization and urban-rural integration.
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<p><b>Department of National Economy</b> (国民经济综合司)</p> <p>Responsible for monitoring and analyzing domestic and international macro-economic dynamics; conducting macro-economic forecasting; issuing recommendations for macro-economic regulations; drafting annual plans for national economic and social development; and releasing annual targets for key commodities and national strategic material reserves.</p>	<p><b>Bureau of Economic Operations Adjustment</b> (经济运行调节局)</p> <p>Responsible for monitoring and analyzing national economic performance and issuing policy recommendations; coordinating the transport of coal, electricity, oil, gas, and other important materials; and managing key emergency material reserves.</p>	<p><b>Department of System Reform (体制改革综合司)</b></p> <p>Responsible for coordinating work related to economic reform and opening up; guiding, promoting and coordinating economic system reform; promoting mixed ownership reform of SOEs; formulating policy recommendations for the private economy; and implementing the negative list for market entry.</p>
<p><b>Department of Fixed-Asset Investment</b> (固定资产投资司)</p> <p>Responsible for monitoring and analyzing all fixed asset investment activities; drafting laws and regulations on fixed asset investment management; developing strategies to deepen structural reform in investment; revising the catalogue of fixed asset investment projects subject to verification; managing the central budgetary construction fund; and examining and approving major construction projects.</p>	<p><b>Department of Foreign Capital and Overseas Investment (利用外资和境外投资司)</b></p> <p>Responsible for analyzing the dynamics of international capital, foreign capital utilization, and overseas investment; issuing new policies to optimize foreign capital utilization and overseas investment; monitoring and controlling the size of foreign liabilities; drafting the Catalogue for the Guidance of Foreign Investment Industries in cooperation with relevant agencies; and examining and approving key foreign-invested projects, major resource-related overseas investment projects, and projects that consume a substantial amount of foreign currency.</p>	<p><b>Department of Regional Economy (地区经济司)</b></p> <p>Responsible for drafting regional economic development plans and recommending major regional economic development policies; coordinating policies on land improvement, development, use, and protection; maintaining water resource balance and conservation; developing plans on ecological improvement and environmental protection; guiding regional economic cooperation; formulating economic development programs for old revolutionary base areas, border areas, poverty-stricken areas, and ethnic autonomous areas; and implementing policies to develop the central region.</p>
<p><b>Department of Economic and Defense Coordination</b> (经济与国防协调发展司)</p> <p>Coordinates and synergizes economic and national defense development.</p>	<p><b>Department of Evaluation and Supervision</b> (评估督导司)</p> <p>Drafts and implements strategies on evaluation and supervision.</p>	<p><b>Department of Rural Economy (农村经济司)</b></p> <p>Responsible for analyzing the development of the agricultural and rural economy; issuing policy recommendations on rural economic development and reform; and managing development plans and policies for agriculture, forestry, water conservancy, and meteorology.</p>
<p><b>Department of Resource Conservation and Environmental Protection</b> (资源节约和环境保护司)</p> <p>Drafts and implements policies on conservation, the circular economy, environmental protection, and energy and resource use; coordinates pilot programs for energy conservation and emission reduction; and works with the National Leading Group on Climate Change, Energy Conservation, and Emission Reduction.</p>	<p><b>Department of Industry Development</b> (产业发展司)</p> <p>Drafts policies and development strategies for industrial development, the real economy, issues within the services industry, and advanced manufacturing.</p>	<p><b>Department of Innovation and High-Technology Development (创新和高技术发展司)</b></p> <p>Responsible for drafting policies and plans for high-tech industry and technology innovation; promoting innovation and investment in emerging sectors; and coordinating efforts to develop the digital economy.</p>

<b>Department of Social Development</b> (社会发展司) Responsible for issuing comprehensive social development strategies; and coordinating development policies concerning population and family planning, culture, education, health care, sports, broadcasting, film and TV, tourism, law and regulation, and civil affairs.	<b>Department of Economy and Trade</b> (经济贸易司) Responsible for monitoring and analyzing domestic and international markets; maintaining an appropriate supply of key commodities; managing the state reserve of important materials and commodities including grain, cotton, and sugar; and drafting plans to develop a modern logistics and distribution system.	<b>Department of Employment Income Allocation and Consumption</b> (就业收入分配和消费司) Develops policies to support employment, income distribution, and social security, and coordinates reforms to promote consumption.
<b>Department of Finance and Credit Construction</b> (财政金融和信用建设司) Responsible for analyzing capital markets; researching fiscal and monetary policies; and drafting policies for direct financing, private equity investment, venture capital, and the social credit system.	<b>Department of Pricing</b> (价格司) Responsible for forecasting price changes and planning for price adjustments; drafting price and fee-charging policies; issuing recommended revisions to the government pricing catalogue; setting and adjusting prices and fees administered by the central government; and initiating investigations around the costs of major agricultural products, commodities, and services.	<b>Department of International Cooperation</b> (国际合作司) Manages cooperation between the NDRC and international organizations, foreign government agencies, and foreign institutions.
<b>Party Committee</b> (机关党委) Responsible for Party affairs and discipline inspection within the NDRC and its affiliated State Bureaus and institutions.	<b>Department of Laws and Regulations</b> (法规司) Responsible for drafting laws, regulations, and rules; carrying out auditing of relevant regulatory documents; handling administrative lawsuits; and guiding and coordinating tendering.	<b>Department of Regional Revitalization</b> (地区振兴司) Responsible for drafting strategies, plans, and key policies to promote development in China's least developed regions, Xinjiang and Tibet, and old industrial bases.
<b>Department of Regional Development</b> (区域开放司) Facilitates work related to the Belt and Road Initiative, and develops policies to guide regional cooperation and opening.	<b>Department of Infrastructure Development</b> (基础设施发展司) Coordinates works on energy and transportation; drafts strategies for major investment projects; oversees planning of transportation infrastructure; and facilitates construction of the Yangtze River Economic Belt.	

#### Stationed Agencies

##### **Disciplinary Inspection and Supervision Team** (驻委纪检监察组)

Responsible for supervising and enforcing discipline, investigating party rule violations, investigating corruption within the organization, developing discipline education, and completing other tasks assigned by the Central Commission for Discipline Inspection (CCDI) and the National Supervisory Commission.

#### Major Administrations under NDRC Supervision

**National Energy Administration (国家能源局)**

Coordinates national energy policy and incorporates functions of the former NDRC Energy Bureau and the State Council Leading Group on Energy.

**State Administration of Grain and Material Reserves (国家粮食和物资储备局)**

Oversees grain circulation, provides industry guidance, and manages central grain and material reserves.

Note: Information accurate as of December 2020

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