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## China Adopts Resolution On Further Deepening Reform Comprehensively

The 20th Central Committee of the Communist Party of China (CPC) adopted a resolution on further deepening reform comprehensively to advance Chinese modernization at its third plenary session, held from July 15 to 18, 2024.

The Political Bureau of the CPC

Central Committee presided over the meeting. General Secretary of the CPC Central Committee Xi Jinping delivered important addresses.

At the session, the Central Committee fully affirmed the work of the Political Bureau since the second plenary session of the 20th Central Committee. It was unanimously agreed that in the face of a grave and complex international environment and the arduous tasks of advancing reform and development and ensuring stability at home, the Political Bureau has secured progress in the following respects:



-- Earnestly implementing the guiding principles from the 20th National Party Congress and the first and second plenary sessions of the 20th Central Committee;

-- Fully and faithfully applying the new development philosophy on all fronts;

-- Adhering to the general principle of pursuing progress while ensuring stability;

-- Implementing the Five-Sphere Integrated Plan and the Four-Pronged Comprehensive Strategy in a coordinated way;

- -- Giving full consideration to both domestic and international imperatives;
- -- Ensuring both development and security;
- -- Promoting high-quality development;
- -- Taking further steps to advance and plan for the deepening of reform across the board;
- -- Advancing socialist democracy and rule of law;
- -- Improving public communication and cultural work;
- -- Ensuring the people's wellbeing and protecting the environment;
- -- Safeguarding national security and social stability;
- -- Promoting the development of national defense and the armed forces;
- -- Advancing work related to Hong Kong, Macao, and Taiwan;
- -- Pursuing major-country diplomacy with Chinese characteristics; and
- -- Strengthening full and rigorous Party self-governance.

At the session, the Central Committee heard and discussed a report on the work of the Political Bureau, presented by Xi on behalf of the Political Bureau, and considered and adopted the Resolution of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China on Further Deepening Reform Comprehensively to Advance Chinese Modernization. Xi delivered explanatory remarks on the draft version of the resolution.



The overall objectives of further deepening reform comprehensively are to continue improving and developing the system of socialism with Chinese characteristics and modernize China's system and capacity for governance, according to the communique.

"By 2035, we will have finished building a high – standard socialist market economy in all respects, further improved the system of socialism with Chinese characteristics, generally modernized our system and capacity for governance, and basically realized socialist modernization," it said.

All of this will lay a solid foundation

for building China into a great modern socialist country in all respects by the middle of this century, it noted.

The reform tasks laid out in the

resolution shall be completed by the time the People's Republic of China celebrates its 80th founding anniversary in 2029, said the communique.

The Central Committee made systematic plans for further deepening reform comprehensively, it added.

In building a high –standard socialist market economy, the role of the market must be better leveraged, with a fairer and more dynamic market environment to be fostered and resource allocation to be made as efficient and productive as possible. Restrictions on the market will be lifted while effective regulation will be ensured to better maintain order in the market and remedy market failures, said the communique.

In promoting high \_ quality development, the communique urged deepening supply side structural reform, improving incentive and constraint mechanisms high – for promoting quality development, and creating new



drivers and strengths for realizing growth.

"We will improve the institutions and mechanisms for fostering new quality productive forces in line with local conditions, for promoting full integration between the real economy and the digital economy, for developing the service sector, for modernizing infrastructure, and for enhancing the resilience and security of industrial and supply chains," it stated.



In supporting all-around innovation, the Party will deepen comprehensive reform in education, structural scientific and technological reform, and institutional reforms for talent development.

In improving macroeconomic governance, the communique urged pursuing coordinated reforms in the fiscal, tax, financial, and other major sectors and enhancing the consistency of macro policy orientation, with the national strategic planning system and policy coordination mechanisms to be improved.

On integrated urban and rural development, the Party must promote equal exchanges and two-way flows of production factors between the cities and the countryside, so as to narrow the disparities between the two and promote their common prosperity and development, according to the communique. Reform of the land system will be deepened, it added.

Describing opening up as a "defining feature of Chinese modernization," the communique said that the Party will "steadily expand institutional opening up, deepen the foreign trade structural reform, further reform the management systems for inward and outward investment, improve planning for regional opening up, and refine the mechanisms for high – quality cooperation under the Belt and Road Initiative." On developing whole – process people's democracy, it said: "We must firmly stay on the path of socialist political advancement with Chinese characteristics and uphold and improve our country's foundational, basic, and important political systems."

On the rule of law. efforts were demanded full to ensure implementation of the Constitution and uphold its authority, coordinate the reforms to promote sound legislation, law enforcement, administration justice, of and observance of the law. and the mechanisms improve for ensuring that all are equal before the law.

In ensuring and enhancing the people's wellbeing, the Party will improve the income distribution system, the employment -first policy, and social security the system, further reform the medical and healthcare systems, and improve the systems for facilitating population development and providing related services.

On ecological conservation, the communique said: "We must improve ecological conservation a coordinated systems, take approach to carbon cutting, pollution reduction, green development, and economic growth, actively respond to climate change, and move faster to improve the systems and mechanisms for applying the principle that lucid waters and lush mountains are invaluable assets."

The communique stressed that Chinese modernization the is modernization of peaceful development. "In foreign relations, China remains firmly committed to pursuing an independent foreign policy of peace and is dedicated to promoting a human community with a shared future," it noted.

At the session, an analysis of the





present situation and the tasks was conducted. "It was highlighted remain firmly that we must committed to accomplishing the goals for this year's economic and social development. In accordance with the Party Central Committee's decisions and plans concerning economic work, we will ensure effective implementation of macro policies,

strive expand domestic to demand, develop new quality productive forces in light of local conditions, move faster to foster new drivers of foreign trade, take solid steps toward green and low-carbon development, ensure and improve the people's wellbeing, and consolidate and build upon our achievements in poverty alleviation."