

NATIONAL ECONOMIC COUNCIL

The Kuo-Min News Agency (semi-official) Nanking, reports under date of September 21 as follows:-

The revised Regulations governing the organization of the National Economic Council were brought up for discussion at a meeting of the Central Political Council yesterday. After consideration, it was decided to refer them to the Legislative Yuan for examination.

Following is a summary of these Regulations:-

1. In order to promote economic reconstruction and enhance the economic well-being of the people, the National Government hereby establishes this National Economic Council.
2. The Council shall take charge over matters relating to:
  - (a). Examination and approval of plans for national economic reconstruction or development.
  - (b). Examination and sanction of expenditures for the execution plans for national economic reconstruction and development.
  - (c). Supervision and direction of the execution of approved plans for national economic reconstruction or development.
3. The Council shall have an appropriate number of members to be appointed by the National Government. The Ministers of Interior, Finance, Railways, Communications, Industry and Education and the heads of other Central Government organs concerned with economic reconstruction shall be ex officio members of the Council.
4. The Council shall have a Standing Committee of three members to be appointed by the National Government from amongst members of the Council.
5. The Council shall have a Chief Secretary, from 4 to 6 secretaries and from 4 to 8 technical experts. The Chief Secretary shall, under the direction of the Standing Committee, administer all affairs of the Council. The secretaries and technical experts shall assist the Chief Secretary in the administration.
6. In case of necessity, the Council may secure the services of advisers or specialists.
7. The Council may establish various technical committees to study technical problems.
8. The Council may establish departments or bureaux to administer various matters under its jurisdiction.
9. The organization of the technical committees and departments or bureaux of the Council shall be determined separately.
10. These regulations shall come into force from the date of promulgation thereof.



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