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State and Ministerial Policy News:

President Xi Jinping stressed in his 2015 New Year address: we need to be earnestly committed to improving people's livelihood, which is especially true of poverty alleviation and development and the efforts to guarantee people's basic living standard, so that all people in need including those poverty-stricken ones in rural and urban areas can feel safe and cared with their livelihood guaranteed.

Source: china.com Jan 6, 2016

General Secretary Xi Jinping pointed out during his inspection tour in Chongqing that the success of poverty alleviation and development depends on precision. We need to pinpoint "the root of poverty" and find out the target to adopt tailored measures so that poverty alleviation can hit the target and tackle the problem from the root. We shall continue to lift the areas out of poverty one by one when their conditions become ripe. In this sense, the poor is not encouraged to idle away until help comes to them, while the authorities are forbidden to overrun on poverty alleviation only for good reputation.

Source: xinhuanet.com Jan 6, 2016

The meeting of the heads of Department of Culture was successfully held in Beijing on January 4. It was pointed out on the meeting that the cultural software and hardware of destitute areas should be upgraded to promote diversified cultural consumption; and the construction of public cultural service system should be accelerated in accordance with the requirements of targeted poverty alleviation.

Source: xinhuanet.com Jan 6, 2016

Local Poverty Alleviation News:

In 2015, a total of 4,950 people at Pingwu County, Sichuan Province were lifted out of poverty. In 2015, Pingwu County carried out the poverty alleviation plan “Five Batches” (five batches of people will shake off poverty respectively through agricultural development, relocation, eco-compensation, education and social security). As a result, a total of 7,560 people from 4,214 households were lifted out of poverty through agricultural development and employment development; 19 people from six households were relocated; 4,200 people from 1,600 households received help from social security and 7,740 people from 5,251 households received medical aid. Hence, targeted poverty alleviation achieved full coverage of poverty-stricken population.

Source: xinhuanet.com Jan 7, 2016

In 2014, the number of people from Changting County, Fujian Province lifted out of poverty exceeded 6,000. There are five key poverty alleviation and development towns and 78 poverty-stricken villages at Changting County with 19,793 poverty-stricken people from 9,520 households. Changting County established an innovative poverty alleviation mechanism in accordance with targeted poverty alleviation, targeted assistance and targeted management and implemented “trickle-irrigation-like” poverty alleviation (targeted poverty alleviation) instead of “flood-irrigation-like” poverty alleviation (indiscriminate poverty alleviation). By the end of 2014, the number of people lifted out of poverty totaled 6,637.

Source: people.com Jan 7, 2016

Chengkou County, Chongqing Municipality: in 2016, a total of 49 poverty-stricken villages will be lifted out of poverty in an entire-village manner. In 2016, Chengkou County will continue to implement the “1+15+7” (1 refers to the overall poverty alleviation implementation suggestion to targeted poverty alleviation; 15 refers to 15 detailed implementation plans; 7 refers to seven measures to guarantee

the implementation of poverty alleviation) poverty alleviation policy system to guarantee that 49 poverty-stricken villages will shake off poverty in an entire-village manner and 15,000 poor people will be lifted out of poverty.

Source: people.com Jan 6, 2016

Department of Land and Resources of Jiangxi Province has invested 479 million yuan to promote the development of poverty-stricken counties in southern Jiangxi Province and other previous central Soviet areas. Since 2014, Department of Land and Resources of Jiangxi Province has exploited their advantages to conduct targeted poverty alleviation from the aspects of issuing plan of land and mineral resources quota and investing in the management of geological disasters. The sum of fund invested into promoting the development of poverty-stricken counties in southern Jiangxi Province and other previous central Soviet areas totaled 479 million yuan.

Source: people.com Jan 6, 2016

One million poverty-stricken people in Qinghai Province were lifted out of poverty in Qinghai Province during the 12th Five-Year Plan period. During the 12th Five-Year Plan period, the sum of specific financial funds for poverty alleviation granted by Qinghai Province totaled 9.518 billion yuan with an average annual increase of 17.8%. The number of people lifted out of poverty totaled one million, with 200,000 people shaking off poverty each year on average and poverty incidence declined from 36.6% to 13.2%.

Source: chinanews.com Jan 6, 2016

In 2015, the number of people lifted out of poverty at Tongdao County, Hunan Province totaled 15,000. In 2015, the fund gathered by Tongdao County exceeded 300 million yuan and a “four-in-one” pattern, a combination of poverty alleviation through fiscal fund, professional talents, agricultural industrialization and social forces was set to strengthen the county-town-village poverty alleviation

network. As a result, poverty alleviation through cadres working at villages extended to all poverty-stricken villages and the number of people lifted out of poverty during the year totaled 15,000.

Source: 163.com Jan 6, 2016

Public Poverty Alleviation and Charity News:

The number of people benefiting from poverty alleviation through medical assistance in Luzhou City totaled 350,000. Starting from Jan 1, 2015, all the poverty-stricken people whose archives are established and cards are issued can enjoy the insurance attached to poverty alleviation through medical assistance and about 350,000 people will benefit from it. It is learned that all the poverty-stricken people in the rural area of the city whose archives are established and cards are issued all belong to the scope of insurance attached to poverty alleviation through medical assistance.

Source: bazhongol.com Jan 6, 2016

Poverty-stricken households in Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region received funds and strengthened their ability to support themselves with the help of poverty alleviation through financing. Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region adopted the method “1+1+N” to cooperate with financial institutions to deliver funds to poverty-stricken households and help them strengthen their ability to support themselves in a targeted manner in its efforts to reduce poverty through financing. By the end of 2015, the loans granted by financial institutions in Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region to poverty-stricken counties and some of the resettlement areas of eco-immigrants totaled 14 billion yuan, among which the sum of micro-credit to peasants exceeded 10 billion yuan with 44,000 poverty-stricken households holding cards receiving loan.

Source: nxnews.net Jan 6, 2016

Yuping County, Guizhou Province: **leading enterprises help poverty-stricken**

households shake off poverty. Poverty alleviation through agricultural industrialization was vigorously promoted at Yuping County. Under such circumstances, over 480 households cooperated with WENS Company, raising 120,720 pigs with the profit of 250 yuan per pig. In 2016, WENS plans to build 480 pig farms of standardized scale to provide jobs to over one thousand poverty stricken households.

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