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## State and Ministerial Policy News:

On April 28<sup>th</sup>, General Office of the CPC Central Committee and General Office of the State Council issued the *Opinions on Establishing the Poverty Exit Mechanism*. It clearly prescribes that "Provinces (autonomous regions and municipalities) shall take the overall responsibility and adopt effective measures based on local conditions to make poverty reduction plans and specify implementing methods and working procedures. The exit mechanism should be in line with the real situation of the poverty reduction program and avoid the excessive pursuit of the poverty reduction rate."

Source: *xinhuanet.com* April 28, 2016

General Office of the State Council issued the *Opinions on Supporting Pilot Programs for Impoverished Counties to Plan the Use of Fiscal Agricultural Funds*. It proposes "to uphold creative, coordinated, green, open and sharing ideas for new development, to carry on targeted poverty alleviation and poverty reduction fundamental strategies, to implement a working mechanism that is coordinated by the central party, managed by provinces and practiced by cities and counties, to reform the management and utilization mechanism of fiscal agricultural funds, and to endow impoverished counties with more rights to use fiscal agricultural funds as they plan."

Source: *gov.cn* April 22, 2016

## Local Poverty Alleviation News:

**Ningxia Autonomous Region provides “Poverty Reduction Insurance” products for 580,000 impoverished people.** Ningxia Autonomous Region provides “Poverty Reduction Insurance” for targeted poverty alleviation of 580,000 impoverished people on records. By making a package of insurance scheme, the autonomous region intends to further enhance their capacity of resisting risks and dealing with poverty and poverty-returning as a result of accident, disease and disaster.

*Source: Ningxia Daily April 28, 2016*

**Minxi City in Fujian brought 115,000 people out of poverty during the 12<sup>th</sup> “Five-Year Plan”.** During the 12<sup>th</sup> “Five-Year Plan”, 37,000 dilapidated houses in Minxi were rebuilt, 1.706 million people in rural areas have access to drinking water, and 115,000 impoverished people were lifted out of poverty. Now, there are still 101,000 impoverished people, 31 impoverished counties and towns and 380 impoverished villages.

*Source: Minxi Daily April 29, 2016*

**Huainan City in Shaanxi carried out “precise poverty reduction look-back” and erased 78,000 people from the list of poverty population.** Since November 2015, Weinan has initiated two rounds of “precise poverty reduction look-back” projects to identify and archive impoverished people. As a result, 157,422 households were labeled as impoverished households, totaling 526,560 people. Another 78,000 people, or 12.9% of the total surveyed, were erased from the list of poverty.

*Source: Shaanxi Daily April 28, 2016*

**Around 1.369 million disabled people in Gansu Province were taken out of poverty thanks to the “minimum guarantee policy”.** Since June 2015, over 1.369 million people in Gansu Province who are first-class or second-class subsistence receivers got rid of poverty thanks to the policy. They have been free from worries of

food and clothes with the government providing basic cost of living allowances and their needs in housing, schooling and hospitalizing guaranteed.

*Source: xinhuanet.com April 28, 2016*

**During the 12<sup>th</sup> “Five-Year Plan”, the number of impoverished people in Jiangxi Province has dropped by 54%.** During the 12<sup>th</sup> “Five-Year Plan”, Jiangxi witnessed 2.38 million people getting rid of poverty, which accounted for 54% of all impoverished people in the province. The poverty incidence has dropped to 5.7% from 12.6%, a decrease of 6.9 percentage points. The disposable income of farmers in impoverished areas has increased by 13.6%, which is 3.5 percentage points higher than the average income of the whole province.

*Source: jiangxinews.com April 21, 2016*

**In the past five years, 761,000 people in Honghezhou, Yunnan Province have been lifted out of poverty.** Since the 12<sup>th</sup> “Five-Year Plan”, Honghezhou in Yunnan Province has upheld development and ecology, namely, to carry out eco-economic development and poverty alleviation plan through green industry. It has embarked on a road that “pursues both gold and silver mountains and clear waters and green mountains.” For five years, 761,000 people in Honghezhou **have been lifted out of poverty**. The net annual income of farmers has increased by 15.7% and the forest coverage rate has increased by 1% averagely.

*Source: State Ethnic Affairs Commission April 22, 2016*

### **Public Poverty Alleviation and Charity News:**

**Longyan Power Supply Company: target at poverty alleviation, care for impoverished people.** A service team consisting of members of the communist party of State Grid visited four impoverished households in Meixi Village, Quanzhou City, Fujian Province to identify hidden dangers. Since April 2016, the company has helped 5 impoverished villages totaling 72 households in pairs for poverty alleviation by

providing power supply guarantee and power consumption service in the form of sending service team and establishing working union in the village.

*Source: ce.cn April 29, 2016*

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