



National Development and Reform Commission and other departments Opinions on promoting the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative

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Leading groups of all provinces, autonomous regions, municipalities directly under the Central Government, cities under separate state planning, and Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps to promote the construction of the Belt and Road Initiative, leading group units of the Leading Group for the Construction of the Belt and Road Initiative, the China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission, the China Securities Regulatory Commission, the Railway Bureau and the Civil Aviation Administration: Promoting the joint construction of the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative is an inherent requirement for practicing the concept of green development and promoting the construction of ecological civilization. It is a major measure to actively respond to climate change and maintain global ecological security. It is an important carrier for promoting the high-quality development of the Belt and Road Initiative and building a community of human beings and natural life. Since the proposal to jointly build the Belt and Road Initiative, especially in the five years since General Secretary Xi Jinping proposed to build the Green Silk Road, positive progress has been made in the green development of the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative. The concept guidance has been continuously strengthened, the exchange mechanism has been continuously improved, and pragmatic cooperation has been deepened. China has become an important participant in the construction of global ecological civilization. With, contributor, leader. At the same time, the risks and challenges facing the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative green development are still prominent. The level of international cooperation in eco-environmental protection needs to be improved, and the constraints on combating climate change are stricter. In order to further promote the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative and make green the background of the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative, with the consent of the Leading Group for Promoting the Construction of the Belt and Road Initiative, the following opinions are hereby put forward.

I. General requirements

(1) Guiding ideology. Guided by Xi Jinping's Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics for a New Era, we will fully implement the spirit of the 19th National Congress of the Communist Party of China and the 19th Plenary Session, thoroughly implement the spirit of Xi Jinping's Thought on Ecological Civilization and General Secretary Xi Jinping's series of important speeches on the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative, adhere to the general tone of making progress while maintaining stability, and base on the new stage of development. We will fully, accurately and comprehensively implement the new development concept, build a new development pattern, adhere to the principle of stability and progress in stability, implement the principle of consultation, co-construction and sharing in accordance with the requirements of the third "Belt and Road Initiative" construction symposium, aim at high standards, sustainability and benefiting people's livelihood, adhere to green water and green mountains as golden mountains and silver mountains, and adhere to Man and nature coexist harmoniously, build a closer green development partnership, and promote the construction of a community between man and natural life.

(2) Basic principles.

Green leadership, mutual benefit and win-win. Take the green development concept as the lead, pay attention to the coordination of economic and social development and ecological and environmental protection, and constantly enrich and improve the ideological connotation and conceptual system of the Green Silk Road. Adhere to multilateralism, adhere to the principle of common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities, fully respect the reality of jointly building the Belt and Road Initiative countries, learn from each other, cooperate together, promote the coordination of economic and social development and eco-environmental protection, and share the fruits of green development.

Government-led, the main body of the enterprise. Actively give full play to the guiding role of the government, improve the support of green development policies, build a green exchange and cooperation platform, and establish an environmental risk prevention and control system. We will give better play to the main role of enterprises, compact the main responsibilities of enterprises for eco-environmental protection, improve the market mechanism, mobilize the enthusiasm of enterprises to participate in the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative green development, and encourage the whole society to participate together.

Coordinate and promote, demonstration and drive. Adhere to the concept of system, strengthen the linkage between departments, localities and enterprises, improve the top-level design and standard system for the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative green development, and promote cooperation in green infrastructure, green energy, green transportation, green finance and other fields. We will improve the green development cooperation platform, solidly carry out key projects in the green field, and form a demonstration driving effect.

Prevent risks in accordance with the law and regulations. We will strictly abide by the laws, regulations and rules of the host country, and attach great importance to the green development and eco-environmental protection demands of the local people. Adhere to staying in danger and not going in chaos, and strictly prevent and control the disorderly competition of enterprises overseas. Strengthen the prevention and control of environmental risks in overseas projects, strengthen the capacity-building of enterprises, and effectively ensure ecological security.

(3) Main objectives. By 2025, international exchanges and cooperation between the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative, ecological protection and climate change will continue to deepen. The concept of the Green Silk Road has been recognized by all parties. Pragmatic cooperation in the fields of green infrastructure, green energy, green transportation and green finance will be solidly promoted. The leading role of green demonstration projects will be more obvious, and overseas projects The ability to prevent environmental risks has been significantly improved, and the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative has achieved remarkable results.

By 2030, the green development concept of the Belt and Road Initiative will be more deeply rooted in the hearts of the people, the green development partnership will be closer, the green development ability of "going global" enterprises will be significantly enhanced, the environmental risk prevention and control system of overseas projects will be improved, and the green development pattern of joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative will be basically formed.

II. Coordinate and promote cooperation in key areas of green development

(4) Strengthen the interconnection of green infrastructure. Guide enterprises to promote green environmental protection standards and best practices in infrastructure, reasonably select sites and routes at the design stage, reduce the impact on various protected areas and ecologically sensitive and vulnerable areas, do a good job in environmental impact assessment, implement practical eco-environmental protection measures during the construction and operation periods, and continuously improve infrastructure operations. The level of green and low-carbon development in the management and maintenance process. Guide enterprises to adopt energy-saving and water-saving standards in the process of building overseas infrastructure, reduce the waste of materials, energy and water resources, improve resource utilization, reduce waste discharge, and strengthen waste treatment.

(5) Strengthen green energy cooperation. Deepen green and clean energy cooperation and promote the green and low-carbon transformation and development of international cooperation in energy. Encourage solar power generation, wind power and other enterprises to "go global" and promote the establishment of a number of green energy best practice projects. Deepen cooperation in the field of energy technology and equipment, focusing on joint research and exchange training on high-efficiency and low-cost renewable energy power generation, advanced nuclear power, smart grid, hydrogen energy, energy storage, carbon dioxide capture, utilization and storage.

(6) Strengthen green transportation cooperation. Strengthen international cooperation in the field of green transportation and help countries jointly build the Belt and Road Initiative to develop green transportation. Actively promote the low-carbon development of international shipping and international aviation. Promote energy-saving and low-carbon vehicles such as new energy and clean energy vehicles and boats, and promote the China plan for intelligent transportation. Encourage enterprises to participate in overseas railway electrification upgrading and transformation projects, consolidate and stabilize the good development trend of China-Europe trains, and develop multimodal transportation and green logistics.

(7) Strengthen cooperation in green industry. Enterprises are encouraged to invest and cooperate in new energy industries, new energy vehicle manufacturing and other fields to promote the green and low-carbon development of "going global" enterprises. Enterprises are encouraged to set up equity investment funds focusing on green and low-carbon fields abroad, and flexibly carry out green industry investment cooperation in various ways.

(8) Strengthen green trade cooperation. We will continue to optimize the trade structure and vigorously develop high-quality, high-tech and high-value-added green product trade. Strengthen the import and export of energy-saving and environmental protection products and services.

(9) Strengthen green financial cooperation. Promote voluntary guidelines and best practices related to green investment and financing under multilateral cooperation frameworks such as the United Nations and the Group of Twenty, and promote capacity-building in the field of green finance. Make good use of loans from international financial institutions and leverage private green investment. Financial institutions are encouraged to implement the Belt and Road Green Investment Principles.

(10) Strengthen cooperation in green science and technology. Strengthen the problem-solving, popularization and application of green technology, strengthen basic research and cutting-edge technology layout, accelerate the research and development and popularization of advanced and applicable technologies, and encourage enterprises to give priority to low-carbon, energy-saving, water-saving and environmentally friendly materials and technological processes. Give full play to the role of the Belt and Road Science and Technology Innovation Action Plan and other mechanisms, support humanities exchanges, joint research, platform construction and other cooperation in the field of green technology, implement special technology transfer actions for sustainable development, build the Belt and Road Initiative green technology reserve, and promote the construction of green science and technology cooperation networks and bases. Set up.

(11) Strengthen cooperation on green standards. Actively participate in the formulation of international green standards and strengthen the connection with the joint construction of national green standards for the Belt and Road Initiative. Industry associations and other institutions are encouraged to formulate and publish industry green standards, norms and guidelines that are in line with international standards.

(12) Strengthen cooperation in combating climate change. We will promote all parties to fully implement the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and its Paris Agreements, actively seek to jointly build the "maximum common convention" for the response of the Belt and Road Initiative to climate change, strengthen dialogue, exchanges and cooperation with relevant countries, and promote the establishment of a fair, reasonable and win-win global climate governance system. Continue to implement the "Belt and Road" South-South Cooperation Plan to Address Climate Change, promote the construction of low-carbon demonstration zones and the implementation of climate change mitigation and adaptation projects, provide green, low-carbon, energy conservation and environmental protection and other related material assistance to climate change, and help countries jointly build the Belt and Road Initiative to improve their ability to cope with climate change.

III. Coordinate and promote the green development of overseas projects

(13) Standardize the overseas environmental behavior of enterprises. Compact the main responsibilities of enterprises for environmental actors abroad, guide enterprises to strictly abide by the relevant laws, regulations and standards of the host country's ecological and environmental protection, and encourage enterprises to carry out environmental protection with reference to international common standards or higher Chinese standards. Strengthen the capacity-building of enterprises to operate in accordance with the law, and encourage enterprises to issue environmental reports regularly. Guide relevant industry associations and chambers of commerce to establish environmental codes of conduct for overseas investment of enterprises, and guide enterprises to standardize environmental behavior through industry self-discipline.

(14) Promote the green and low-carbon development of coal power and other projects. We will completely stop the construction of new overseas coal power projects and prudently promote overseas coal power projects under construction. Promote the green and low-carbon development of overseas coal power projects, encourage relevant enterprises to strengthen the clean and efficient utilization of coal, adopt advanced technologies such as high-efficiency desulfurization, denitrification, dust removal, carbon dioxide capture, utilization and storage, and upgrade energy-saving and environmental protection facilities. Research and promote international cooperation in steel and other industries, such as green and low-carbon development.

IV. Coordinate and improve the green development support guarantee system

(15) Improve the financial support guarantee. Promote the orderly opening of green financial markets in a two-way manner, encourage financial institutions and relevant enterprises to carry out green financing in the international market, support international financial organizations and multinational companies to issue green bonds and carry out green investment in China.

(16) Improve the support guarantee of the green development cooperation platform. We will further improve the Belt and Road International Alliance for Green Development, actively build a platform for dialogue and communication on green development policies, and continuously enhance international influence. Strengthen the construction of the Belt and Road Eco-environmental Protection Big Data Service Platform, strengthen the sharing of ecological environment and climate change-related information, technical exchange and cooperation, and strengthen the research of eco-environmental protection laws and regulations and international rules. Give full play to the role of cooperation platforms such as the Belt and Road Energy Partnership and the Belt and Road Sustainable Cities Alliance, and establish a diversified exchange and cooperation platform.

(17) Improve the support guarantee of capacity-building for green development. Support the construction of platforms such as environmental technology exchange and transfer base, green technology demonstration and promotion base and green science and technology park, strengthen the guarantee of scientific and technological innovation capabilities, and strengthen the demonstration role of the Belt and Road Environmental Technology Exchange and Transfer Center (Shenzhen). Implement the Green Silk Road Messenger Plan, strengthen the interactive exchange between environmental managers and professional and technical personnel, and improve the national environmental protection ability and level of the Belt and Road Initiative. Carry out special training on the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative, and improve the support for talents for the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative. Build a new think tank on the Green Silk Road and build a joint "Belt and Road" green development intelligence support system.

(18) Improve the support guarantee of environmental risk prevention and control of overseas projects. Guide enterprises to improve environmental risk awareness, strengthen environmental management of overseas projects, do a good job in environmental impact assessment before investment and construction of overseas projects, identify and prevent environmental risks in a timely manner, and take effective ecological and environmental protection measures. Organize and compile green and sustainable development guidelines for key industries to guide enterprises to effectively manage the environmental impact of overseas projects. Strengthen environmental guidance and service during the construction and operation period of the project through positive guidance, tracking services and other measures.

V. Coordinate and strengthen organizational implementation

(19) Strengthen organizational leadership. Strengthen the Party's centralized and unified leadership over the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative. The Office of the Leading Group for Promoting the Construction of the Belt and Road Initiative should strengthen the overall coordination and systematic promotion of the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative. All localities and relevant departments should put the joint construction of the Belt and Road Initiative green development in an important position, strengthen leadership and unified deployment, and ensure the timely implementation of relevant key tasks.

(20) Strengthen publicity and guidance. Strengthen and improve the international communication work of the Belt and Road Initiative, clarify and refute negative voices and false hype in a timely manner; strengthen positive public opinion guidance, and tell the "Chinese story" of the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative.

(21) Strengthen follow-up and evaluation. The Office of the Leading Group for Promoting the Construction of the Belt and Road Initiative should strengthen the guidance and norms of the tasks of jointly building the green development of the Belt and Road Initiative, keep abreast of the progress, and organize and carry out evaluations in time. The implementation of all localities and relevant departments should be submitted to the office of the Leading Group for Promoting the Construction of the Belt and Road Initiative in a timely manner.

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