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PBSC Week in Review

Xi Jinping

Party General Secretary; PRC President; Chairman of Central Military Commission

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| Nov 28 | Xi met with United Nations Secretary-General designate Antonio Guterres. |
| Nov 26 | Xi sent a message of condolence to Cuban President Raul Castro after the death of former Cuban President Fidel Castro.
<i>Full text of his message (in English).</i> |
| Nov 25 | Xi returned to Beijing. |
| Nov 24 | Xi met with Spanish Deputy Prime Minister Soraya Saenz de Santamaria in Gran Canaria, Spain.

Xi sent a written instruction regarding the rescue efforts after an accident at a construction sit in Fengcheng, Jiangxi. |
| Nov 23 | Xi expressed condolences in a message to Indian President Pranad Mukherjee after India's deadliest train accident in 17 years. |
| Nov 22 | Xi arrived in Santiago, Chile.

Xi and Chilean President Michelle Bachelet held talks in Santiago, Chile.
<i>The two leaders agreed to lift bilateral ties to a comprehensive strategic partnership. They also agreed to start negotiation on upgrading their Free Trade Agreement.</i>

Xi and Chilean President Michelle Bachelet held a joint press conference in |

Santiago, Chile.

Xi attended the opening ceremony of the first China-Latin America Media Leaders Summit in Santiago, Chile.

Xi laid a wreath at the Bernardo O'Higgins Monument in Santiago, Chile.

Xi published a signed article in Chilean newspaper *El Mercurio*.
Full text of the article (in English).

Nov 21 **Xi held talks with Peruvian President Pedro Pablo Kuczynski in Lima, Peru.**
Witnessed signing of cooperation documents, including an inter-governmental joint action plan for cooperation in 2016-2021, and deals in trade and economy, mining industry, industrial parks, information connectivity, economic technology, quality inspection, environment and other fields.

Xi met with President of Peruvian Congress Luz Salgado in Lima, Peru.

Xi addressed Peruvian Congress in Lima, Peru.
Full text of his remarks (in Chinese).

Xi, Peng Liyuan, Peruvian President Pedro Pablo Kuczynski and his wife Nancy Lange attended the closing ceremony of the China-Latin America and Caribbean 2016 Year of Culture Exchange in Lima, Peru.

Xi, Peng Liyuan, Peruvian President Pedro Pablo Kuczynski and his wife Nancy Lange viewed an exhibition of 121 selected pieces of Chinese treasures after the closing ceremony of the China-Latin America and Caribbean 2016 Year of Culture Exchange in Lima, Peru.

Nov 20 **Xi spoke at the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation Economic Leaders' Meeting in Lima, Peru.**
Full text of his speech (in Chinese).

Xi met with Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe in Lima, Peru.

Xi met with Chief Executive of Hong Kong SAR Leung Chun-ying in Lima, Peru.

Xi sent a congratulatory message to the closing ceremony of the China-U.S. Tourism Year held in Washington, D.C., USA.

Li Keqiang
Premier

Nov 28 **Li held talks with Prime Minister of Laos Thongloun Sisoulith.**

Nov 26 **Li sent a message of condolences to Raul Castro, president of the Council of State and the Council of Ministers of Cuba, over the death of Fidel Castro.**

	Nov 24	Li sent a written instruction regarding the rescue efforts after an accident at a construction sit in Fengcheng, Jiangxi.
	Nov 23	Li chaired an executive meeting of the State Council. <i>Meeting head reports on capacity reduction in steel and coal industries, decided to cancel another batch of vocational qualifications, and passed a revised draft of China's Law Against Unfair Competition.</i>
		Li expressed condolences in a message to Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi after India's deadliest train accident in 17 years.
	Nov 21-22	Li inspected the Shanghai Pilot Free Trade Zone.
	Nov 21	Li addressed the opening ceremony of the Global Conference on Health Promotion in Shanghai, China. <i>Full text of his speech (in Chinese).</i>
		Li sent a message of congratulations on the 50th anniversary of the founding of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization.
		Li chaired a meeting on simplifying administrative procedure and delegating power in Shanghai, China.
Zhang Dejiang <i>Chair of the National People's Congress</i>	Nov 28	Zhang met with Prime Minister of Laos Thongloun Sisoulith.
	Nov 21-23	Zhang went on an inspection tour in Sichuan.
Yu Zhengsheng <i>Chair of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference</i>	Nov 28	Yu met with representatives of the National Congress of Chinese Muslims.
	Nov 24	Yu chaired a biweekly consultation session of the CPPCC National Committee. <i>The session focused on the improvement of the nation's food safety supervision and management system.</i>
	Nov 23	Yu met with Russian Defense Minister Sergei Shoigu.
		Yu met with a delegation of Taiwan lawmakers led by Yao Eng-chi.
		Yu met with representatives of the third congress of the China Association for the Preservation and Development of Tibetan Culture.
Liu Yunshan <i>Head of Party Secretariat; Head of Propaganda</i>	Nov 28	Liu met with a delegation from the Communist Party of Cuba.

Wang Qishan <i>Secretary of the Central Commission for Discipline Inspection</i>	Nov 25	Wang spoke at a meeting after an inspecting three areas piloting the nation's supervisory system reform centering on new supervision committees. It is reported that Wang recently completed inspection tours in Beijing, Shanxi and Zhejiang. <i>Inspecting supervisory system reform pilots. Wang is chair of new supervisory system reform leading small group.</i>
Zhang Gaoli <i>Executive Vice Premier</i>	Nov 28	Zhang met with Kazakhstan First Deputy Prime Minister Askar Mamin. <i>The two chaired a meeting of the China-Kazakhstan Cooperation Committee. Established in 2004, committee oversees bilateral cooperation on trade, transport, science and technology.</i>
	Nov 22	Zhang attended a conference on the first census of national geographic conditions. Zhang inspected the National Administration of Surveying, Mapping and Geoinformation.

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