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Review of Recent PRC-Related Developments



In the past six months the PRC has:

- ◇ Extraterritorial application of Hong Kong's NSL
 - ◇ including to Cancit in Toronto for establishment of a "parliament in exile"
- ◇ Overseas police stations
 - ◇ Some suggestions these may have been established as early as 2018 in some cases
- ◇ Pelosi visit to Taiwan
 - ◇ [REDACTED]
- ◇ South Pacific diplomatic forays and setbacks
- ◇ Ream naval base in Cambodia
- ◇ Push to sanction Haiti
- ◇ Rejection of UNHCHR report on Xinjiang
 - ◇ [REDACTED]
- ◇ China's data regulatory regime (started in 2021) vs. IPEF
 - ◇ Security a priority in China's emerging digital policy

Trendlines

◇ 20th Party Congress

◇ [redacted]; national security and domestic stability

◇ Hostile external environment and mounting domestic challenges.

◇ [redacted]

◇ [redacted] (self-reliance, common prosperity, COVID zero);

◇ [redacted]

◇ New Chief Executive in Hong Kong


◇ John Lee, [redacted]

◇ Impact on business sentiment

◇ Migration impacts

◇ Covid-zero


◇ No end in sight



Russia-Ukraine

- ◆ Disinformation
- ◆ Xi at SCO: “Questions and concerns” about Russia’s invasion
- ◆ UNSC resolution on bioweapons
- ◆ Growing economic dependency of Russia on China

- ◆ Implications for China-Taiwan
 - ◆



Foreign Interference

- ◇ Overseas police stations
- ◇ Extraterritorial application of Hong Kong's National Security Law
- ◇ Local elections (e.g.)
- ◇ Intimidation/harassment of Human Rights activists
- ◇ Disinformation

VCDR & VCCR

- ◇ Failure to notify the host government before establishing "overseas police stations"
- ◇ Providing administrative services such as driver licence renewal from non-accredited diplomatic/consular facilities

- ◇ Clause 5.7 of China consular guide requires Consulates to get FAO permission 10 days in advance for events outside of Consulate premises.

RESPONDING TO

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◇ Other?

For Background – Responding to China

Actions by Like-Minded

- ◇ Canada
 - ◇ HASA
 - ◇ 5G
 - ◇ Economic Security
 - ◇ China Capacity
 - ◇ Critical minerals
- ◇ US
- ◇ EU and Europe

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