

# Chapter 21 Taiwan Ciaotou District Prosecutors Office

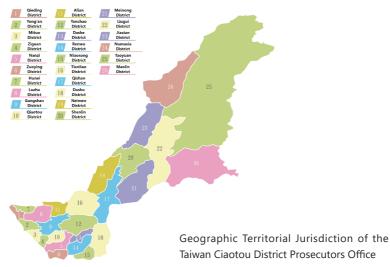


## **Section 1 Historical Overview**

In response to the rapid development of the Kaohsiung area, and to enhance the efficiency of judicial administration and to facilitate the public's response to litigation, the Judicial Yuan established a second district court "Taiwan Ciaotou District Court" in Ciaotou District, Kaohsiung City. On September 1, 2016, in cooperation with the operation of the Ciaotou District Court, the Ministry of Justice established the "Taiwan Ciaotou District Court Prosecutors Office" in Ciaotou District, Kaohsiung City. On May 25, 2018, it was renamed the "Taiwan Ciaotou District Prosecutors Office," where the wording of "Court" from its organizational name was taken away, in conjunction with the amendment of the Court Organization Act.

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### **Section 2 Territorial Jurisdiction**



## **Section 3 Office Buildings**

#### I. Preparation stage

In the preparation stage, the authority was tentatively named Prosecutors Office of the Taiwan Fengshan District Court ("Fengshan District Prosecutors Office") which was located in the Kaohsiung New Town Special District in the Ciaotou District of Kaohsiung City. In order to promote local construction and prosperity, the former Magistrate Yang, Chiu-Hsing of Kaohsiung County supported the establishment of the Fengshan District Prosecutors Office. In December, 2003, a piece of land was appropriated free of charge by the former Kaohsiung County Government for the construction of the office building, so as to facilitate the smooth advancement of the preparation plan for the Fengshan District Prosecutors Office.

#### II. Construction of the office building

The construction project was coordinated and planned by the Ciaotou Office established by the Kaohsiung District Prosecutors Office, including the design and construction of a steel



reinforced concrete office building with two floors underground and 10 floors above ground. With an environmentally friendly and green architectural design, this construction was a major local construction project. In September 2009, the construction commenced, on October 8, 2009, the ground was broken, and on September 1, 2016, the building was officially inaugurated.

# **Section 4 List of Former Chief Prosecutors**

Precedence in office	Title	Name	Period in office	Notes
1	Chief Prosecutor	Wang,Chun-Li	2016/09/01~2018/07/08	
2	Chief Prosecutor	Chang,Wen-Cheng	2018/07/09~2019/01/31	
3	Chief Prosecutor	Chuang,Jung-Sun	2019/01/31~2020/03/13	
4	Chief Prosecutor	Hung,Hsin-Hsu	2020/03/13 to present	

# **Section 5 List of Former Chief Secretaries**

Precedence in office	Title	Name	Period in office	Notes
1	Chief Secretary	Lu,Chien-Pin	2017/11~2019/04	Held ad interim from APril , 2019 to August , 2019 by Head Prosecutor Hsu,Hung-Ju
Acting	Chief Secretary	Li,Te-Nung	2019/08/28~2020/10/14	
2	Chief Secretary	Li,Te-Nung	2020/10/15 to present	

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# **Section 6 Business Evolutions**

I. In August, 2015, in order to solve the issues of autopsy for determining the cause of death faced domestically, and to avoid public complaints due to delays in handling remains as a result of pending autopsy, the Institute of Forensic Medicine of the Ministry of Justice established its Southern Office in the office of Ciaotou District Prosecutors Office which was not yet established at the time.

After the establishment of the Ciaotou District Prosecutors Office, due to the presence of anatomists, the Prosecutor was able to timely discuss with anatomists with regards to major criminal cases, so that the limited judicial resources were made more effective.

II. II. On August 10, 2017, the "Evidence Collection Room for Sexual Assault Perpetrators" was established for the Kaohsiung metropolitan area to enable judicial investigation units in the area to collect accurate and effective evidence at the earliest opportunity in handling sexual assault cases. Providing examination results not only as references for the investigations of prosecutorial authorities, but also as the basis for court trials, so as to achieve the goals of serving justice and protecting human rights.



