



Chapter 1

Kinmen Branch, Fuchien High Prosecutors Office



Section 1 Historical Overview

The predecessor of the current Kinmen Branch of the Fuchien High Prosecutors Office was the "Xiamen Branch of the Fuchien High Court Prosecutors Department." It was originally located in Xiamen City, Fuchien Province. In September, 1949, counties and cities in Fuchien Province successively fell into the hand of the Chinese Communist Party, except Kinmen County and Lienchiang County (i.e. the Matsu Islands). Based on that a potent governance relies upon the construction of the rule of law, in October, 1951, the Ministry of Judicial Administration promulgated the Measures for the Provisional Court Hearing at the Xiamen Branch of the Fuchien High Court, and on November 6, 1951, an office was set up in Taipei City to accept cases of judicial review by Judicial Department of Kinmen County, with its Prosecutors assigned to the court to independently perform their duties. On July 1, 1980 after the separation of the court trial system and the prosecution system, the Xiamen Branch of the Fuchien High Court Prosecutors Department was directly subordinate to the Ministry of Judicial Administration (later renamed the Ministry of Justice), and became a first-level agency under the Ministry of Justice.

On July 1, 1990, this establishment was restructured and renamed the “Kinmen Branch of the Fuchien High Court Prosecutors Office,” under the approval by the Executive Yuan. On May 25, 2018, it was again renamed the “Kinmen Branch of the Fuchien High Prosecutors Office,” where the wording of “Court” from its organizational name was taken away, in conjunction with the amendment of the Court Organization Act.

Section 2 Territorial Jurisdiction

The jurisdiction of the Fuchien Prosecutors establishment covers Kinmen County and Lienchiang County (i.e. the Matsu Islands) of Fuchien Province, and its subordinate prosecutorial authorities of first-instance include “Fuchien Kinmen District Court Prosecutors Office” and “Fuchien Lienchiang District Court Prosecutors Office.”

Section 3 Office Buildings

I. Taipei Office in 1951

The office of the Kinmen Branch of Fuchien High Prosecutors Office was originally located on Zhonghua Road, Taipei City, and later moved to the first floor of the atrium of the Judicial Yuan. In cooperation with the circuit court of the Fuchien High Court Kinmen Branch Court, Prosecutors of the Fuchien Prosecutors establishment went to Kinmen and Matsu to execute their duties when accepting appeals.

II. Kinmen Office in 1993

On February 15, 1993, the Fuchien Prosecutors establishment, which was then in Taipei, was relocated back to Kinmen in accordance with the resolution of the Judiciary Committee of the Legislative Yuan, temporarily using the office on fourth floor of the Kinmen District Prosecutors Office. On July 31, 2008, all staff of the Taipei Office returned to Kinmen in accordance with the resolutions of the Ministry of Justice.

III. The Second Office of the Kinmen Branch of the Fuchien High Prosecutors Office

In September 2008, with the approval by the Executive Yuan, the former site of Fuchien Investigation Department, located at No. 174, Minquan Road, was appropriated and transferred to the Kinmen Branch of the Fuchien High Prosecutors Office in April, 2010. Forty years ago, this site was constructed by the troops under commission during the battleground administration. The building was in disrepair and the environment was messy in a state of devastation. In addition, there were overgrown weeds on site, making people stay away from the building which resembled a ruin. In 2011, seeing the messy and narrow office space, the then Chief Prosecutor Hsing, Tai-Chao felt that the office could no longer accommodate the ever-increasing volume of cases without expanding the old office for better use. Therefore, a plan to repair and reconstruct the office environment on the existing site was on the way. With the joint efforts of colleagues and the tremendous assistance from the superiors and the District Prosecutors Office, on April 10, 2021, the simple repair and reconstruction were finally completed, and an opening ceremony for the second office of the Kinmen Branch of the Fuchien High Prosecutors Office was held. The public were welcome to visit here for business.



The current building of the Second Office



The first floor of the building included the Archives, Investigation Room, and Fuchien Rehabilitation Protection Association, where the Kinmen Branch of the Legal Aid Foundation also leased a part of the space as its office. In addition, a space was made available on the first floor for the exhibition



Opening ceremony for the Second Office

and sale of products by the vocational training of the prisons and detention centers in the jurisdiction, so as to assist the promotion of such products. The second floor of the building included offices of Prosecutors and Clerks of each unit, meeting room, regional joint office, library, etc. The entire building was made to achieve the expected goal of activation.

In 2020, a subsidy from the government help complete the structural reinforcement work on the building. At present, the renovation of the meeting room is in progress, where a diverse and digital space has been planned.

Section 4 List of Former Chief Prosecutors

Precedence in office	Title	Name	Period in office	Notes
1	Leading Prosecutor	Chiang,Pang-Liang	1951~1952	
2	Leading Prosecutor	Liao,Chuan-Yung	1952~1954	
3	Leading Prosecutor	Li,Chung-Sheng	1954~1955	
4	Leading Prosecutor	Chen,Hsi-Wei	1955~1959	
5	Leading Prosecutor	Yang,Shu-Ming	1959/07~1965/08	
6	Leading Prosecutor	Fan,Li-Hsiang	1965/08~1975/08	
7	Leading Prosecutor	Chu,Shih-Yen	1975/08/01~1981/03/01	
8	Leading Prosecutor	Tai,Yu-Shan	1981/03/01~1981/10/01	
9	Leading Prosecutor	Lo,Chi-Yao	1981/10/01~1988/01/09	
10	Leading Prosecutor	Tseng,Yung-Fu	1988/01/09~1989/07/10	
11	Leading Prosecutor	Cheng,Tseng-Tung	1989/07/10~1990/02/01	The title was changed to Chief Prosecutor on December 24, 1989
12	Chief Prosecutor	Wang,He-Hsiung	1990/02/01~1991/02/27	
13	Chief Prosecutor	Li,Kuang-Ching	1991/02/27~1991/10/02	
14	Chief Prosecutor	Wang,He-Hsiung	1991/10/02~1993/04/19	
15	Chief Prosecutor	Chen,Hsin-Yu	1993/04/19~1996/01/17	
16	Chief Prosecutor	Hung,Chang	1996/01/17~1999/04/28	
17	Chief Prosecutor	Chen,Yueh-Yang	1999/04/28~2003/07/31	
18	Chief Prosecutor	Yang,Sen-Tu	2003/07/31~2005/03/16	

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19	Chief Prosecutor	Lin,Ling-Yu	2005/03/16~2008/07/31	
20	Acting Chief Prosecutor	Chang,Yi-Chang	2008/80/28~2009/06/30	Acted by Prosecutors
21	Chief Prosecutor	Shih,Liang-Po	2009/07/01~2011/07/20	
22	Chief Prosecutor	Hsing,Tai-Chao	2011/07/20~2015/05/70	
23	Chief Prosecutor	Cheng,Wen-Kuei	2015/05/07~2018/07/09	
24	Chief Prosecutor	Fei,Ling-Ling	2018/07/09~2019/01/31	
25	Chief Prosecutor	Lin,Pang-Liang	2019/01/31~2021/05/05	
26	Chief Prosecutor	Hung,Pei-Ken	2021/05/05 to present	



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Section 5 List of Former Chief Secretaries

Precedence in office	Title	Name	Period in office	Notes
1	Clerk	Lin,Mu-Hsin	1989/12/24~1994/01/01	Acting
2	Chief Secretary	Cho,Cheng-Chi	1994/02/14~2003/12/31	
3	Chief Secretary	Hung,Chien-Ming	2004/06/04~2021/06/15	
4	Chief Secretary	Chang,Chen-Li	2021/06/15 to present	

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