

## **President Bouteflika reshuffles the Government**

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The Presidency of the Republic has made public today the following statement:

“In conformity with articles 77-7 and 79 of the Constitution, His Excellency, Mr. Abdelaziz BOUTEFLIKA, has undertaken a reshuffling of the Government. Upon that reshuffling, the composition of the Government is as follows:

Mr. Ahmed OUYAHIA: Prime Minister

Mr. Nourredine Yazid ZERHOUNI: Deputy Prime Minister

Mr. Abdelaziz BELKHADEM: Minister of State and Personal Representative of the Head of State

Mr. Abdelmalek GUENAIZIA : Minister Delegate to the Minister of National Defense

Mr. Dahou OULD KABLIA: Minister of Interior and Local Governments

Mr. Mourad MEDELICI: Minister for Foreign Affairs

Mr. Tayeb BELAIZ: Minister of Justice and Keeper of the Seals

Mr. Karim DJOUDI: Minister of Finance

Mr. Youcef YOUSFI: Minister of Energy and Mining, in replacement of Mr. Chakib Khelil who was assigned other duties

Mr. Abdelmalek SELLAL: Minister of Water Resources

Mr. Abdelhamid TEMMAR: Minister of Policy Planning and Statistics

Mr. Bouabdallah GHLAMALLAH: Minister of Religious Affairs and Religious Endowment

Mr. Mohamed Chérif ABBAS: Minister of War Veterans

Mr. Chérif RAHMANI: Minister of Urban Planning and the Environment

Mr. Amar TOU: Minister of Transport

Mr. Boubekeur BENBOUZID: Minister of National Education

Mr. Rachid BENAÏSSA: Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development

Mr. Amar GOUL: Minister of Public Works

Mr. Saïd BARKAT: Minister of National Solidarity and Family

Mrs. Khalida TOUMI: Minister of Culture

Mr. Mustapha BENBADA: Minister of Commerce, in replacement of Mr. Hachemi Djaaboub, who was assigned other duties

Mr. Rachid HARRAOUBIA: Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research

Mr. Mahmoud KHEDRI: Minister of Relations with the Parliament

Mr. El Hadi KHALDI: Minister of Vocational Education and Training

Mr. Nourredine MOUSSA: Minister of Housing and Urban Development

Mr. Tayeb LOUH: Minister of Labor, Employment, and Social Security

Mr. Djamel OULD ABBES: Minister of Population Health and Hospital Reform

Mr. Smâïl MIMOUNE: Minister of Tourism and Handicraft

Mr. Hachemi DJIAR: Minister of Sports and Youth

Mr. Mohamed BENMERADI: Minister of Industry, Small- and Medium-sized Enterprise, and Investment Promotion

Mr. Moussa BENHAMADI: Minister of Post and Communication and Information Technologies, in replacement of Mr. Hamid BESSALAH, who was assigned other duties

Mr. Abdallah KHANAFOU: Minister of Fisheries and Fishing Resources

Mr. Nacer MEHAL: minister of Communication, in replacement of Mr. Azzedine MIHOUBI, who was assigned other duties

Mr. Abdelkader MESSAHEL: Minister Delegate to the Minister for Foreign Affairs, in charge of African and Maghreb Affairs

Mrs. Nouara Saadia DJAAFAR: Minister Delegate to the Minister of National Solidarity and Family, in charge of Family and Women's Affairs

Mrs. Souad BENDJABALLAH: Minister Delegate to the Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research, in charge of Scientific Research

Mr. Ali BOUKRAMI: Secretary of State to the Minister of Policy Planning and Statistics, in charge of Statistics

Mr. Halim BENATTALAH: Secretary of State to the Minister for Foreign Affairs, in charge of the National Community living Abroad

Furthermore, in application of article 78 of the Constitution, the President of the Republic has reappointed Mr. Ahmed NOUI to the duties of Secretary General of the Government.