German Government 2014-02 Ministers, Ministers of State and some important Secretaries of State



Angela Merkel, Chancellor internetpost@bundeskanzlerin.de



Peter Altmaier (CDU), Chancellery Minister Assignment: Coordination, crisis management, advisor to the Chancellor

Chancellery – Ministers of State:

(They assist the Chancellor in her duties)



Helge Braun (CDU): Government coordinator for reduction of bureaucracy, better law-making and relationships between Federal States of Germany



Monika Gruetters (CDU): Government representative for culture and media



Aydan Oezoguz (SPD): Government representative for immigration, asylum seekers and integration



Sigmar Gabriel (SPD), Vice Chancellor Minister for the Economy and Energy Assignment: New energy policy info@bmwi.bund.de Secretary of State: Brigitte Zypris



Government representative for eastern Germany Assignment: Build-up of economy in the east (working within Ministry of Economy)



Ursula von der Leyen (CDU), Minister of Defence Assignment: Reform of German army, withdrawal from Afghanistan buergerinfo@bmvbs.bund.de



Wolfgang Schaeuble (CDU), Minister of Finance Assignment: Euro-crisis, consolidation of budget poststelle@bmf.bund.de



Frank-Walter Steinmeier (SPD), Foreign Minister Assignment: Management of German foreign policy poststelle@auswaertiges-amt.de



Thomas de Maizière (CDU), Interior Minister Assignment: Reform of Intelligence Agency, data protection poststelle@bmi.bund.de



Hermann Groehe (CDU), Minister of Health. Assignment: Care reform, health insurance poststelle@bmg.bund.de



Andrea Nahles (SPD) Minister of Labour and Social Affairs Assignment: Minimum wage, pension reform Secretary of State: Joerg Asmussen info@bmas.bund.de



Alexander Dobrindt (CSU) Minister of Transport and Digital Infrastructure Assignment: Road toll, digital technology development (Seehofer [Prime Minister of Bavaria]'s man in Berlin) poststelle@bmvbs.bund.de



Heiko Maas (SPD) Minister of Justice and Consumer Protection Assignment: Data protection, consumer protection, citizens' rights poststelle@bmj.bund.de Secretary of State: Gerd Billen



Manuela Schwesig (SPD), Family Minister Assignment: Child day-care and family allowance reform, equality for women poststelle@bmfsj.bund.de



Johanna Wanka (CDU), Education Minister Assignment: Reform of student loans, constitutional reform bmbf@bmbf.bund.de



Christian Schmidt (CSU) Minister of Food and Agriculture Assignment: Genetic engineering, animal protection poststelle@bmelv.de



Barbara Hendricks (SPD), Minister for Environment, Building and Nuclear Safety Assignment: Rent control, building improvements service@bmu.bund.de Secretary of State: Jochen Flasbarth



Gerd Mueller (CSU), Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development Assignment: Fight against poverty, sustainable financing service@bmu.bund.de

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