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Respected Comrade Kim Jong Un Visits Kumsusan Palace of Sun

Pyongyang, September 10 (KCNA) -- The people across the country significantly celebrating the founding anniversary of the DPRK, our glorious motherland, extend the highest respect and warmest gratitude to President **Kim Il Sung** and Chairman **Kim Jong Il** who glorified a new history of building a powerful country dignified with independence, self-supporting and self-reliance in defence.

Kim Jong Un, general secretary of the Workers' Party of Korea (WPK) and president of the State Affairs of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK), visited the Kumsusan Palace of the Sun together with his wife Ri Sol Ju, on Sept. 9, the 73rd founding anniversary of the DPRK.

Accompanying him were Choe Ryong Hae, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the WPK, first vice-president of the State Affairs Commission of the DPRK and chairman of the Standing Committee of the Supreme People's Assembly, Jo Yong Won, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau and secretary for Organizational Affairs of the WPK Central Committee, Kim Tok Hun, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the WPK and premier of the Cabinet, Pak Jong Chon, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau and secretary of the Central Committee of the WPK, and other leading officials of the Party and government.

Leading officials of the armed forces organs were present there.

Placed at the statues of **Kim Il Sung** and **Kim Jong Il** was a floral basket from the respected Comrade **Kim Jong Un**.

Laid before the statues were floral baskets in the names of the WPK Central Committee, the State Affairs Commission of the DPRK, the Standing Committee of the Supreme People's Assembly of the DPRK and the Cabinet of the DPRK.

Kim Jong Un and Ri Sol Ju together with the participants, paid high tribute to the statues of **Kim Il Sung** and **Kim Jong Il**.

At the halls where the President and the Chairman lie in state, the General Secretary and his wife extended the best wishes of immortality to the great leaders who built the genuine people's country, the prosperous socialist country, and bequeathed it down to the future generations by dedicating all their lives.

Leading officials of the Party and the government renewed their firm pledge to devote themselves to the sacred struggle for glorifying a new era of development of the revolution and an era of our state-first principle under the leadership of **Kim Jong Un**, true to the state-building idea guided by great Kimilsungism-Kimjongilism, and thus discharge their responsibility and duty entrusted to them by the Party and the people. -0-



Parade of Paramilitary and Public Security Forces Celebrates 73rd Founding Anniversary of DPRK

Pyongyang, September 9 (KCNA) -- The parade of paramilitary and public security forces for celebrating the 73rd founding anniversary of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea was held in splendor at **Kim Il Sung Square**.

There was a peculiar entrance ceremony of the combined militant band.

Parachutists showed landing skill, covering the nocturnal sky in September with national flags.

A column of escort planes flew past the sky above the square and fighters in the form of a fan shot off crackers, revving up the festive mood.

The Ensemble of the State Affairs Commission and the Central Military Band of the Ministry of National Defence for playing music for parade took their seats at the square for rendition.

Parade columns of paramilitary and public security forces entered the square throwing out their might all around, to the tune of entrance music.

At 00:00 on Thursday, the respected Comrade **Kim Jong Un**, general secretary of the Workers' Party of Korea and president of the State Affairs of the DPRK, came to the platform of the square.

The moment, thunderous cheers of "hurrah!" and loud chanting of "**Kim Jong Un**" and "devoted defence" resounded through and fireworks shot off, presenting fantastic sea of fireworks.

Kim Jong Un extended warm greetings to all the people of the country celebrating the founding anniversary of the dignified country, waving back to the enthusiastically cheering participants in the parade and in the celebrations.

Kim Jong Un and cadres of the Party, government and military were presented with fragrant bouquets by members of the Children's Union.

Taking the platform were Choe Ryong Hae, Jo Yong Won, Kim Tok Hun and Pak Jong Chon.

Taking the platform also were cadres of the Party and the government, leading officials of the Cabinet, commissions, ministries and national institutions, labor innovators and persons of merits who made distinguished contributions to the development of the DPRK.

Also taking the platform were leading officials of the armed forces organs.

Present at the platform on invitation were Kim Yong Nam, Pak Pong Ju, Kim Ki Nam, Choe Thae Bok, Kim Kyong Ok and Kim Jong Im who worked for the Party and the government for a long time.

The reviewing stands were taken by the participants in the celebrations.

There was a solemn ceremony of raising a national flag.

All the citizens expressed noble respects for the national flag.

There was a 21-gun salute amid the playing of the song "The Glorious Motherland".

Ri Il Hwan, member of the Political Bureau and secretary of the Central Committee of the WPK, made a speech.

Then there was an inspection for the preparations for the parade.

Commander of the Worker-Peasant Red Guards Kang Sun Nam reported to Jo Yong Won, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau and secretary for Organizational Affairs of the WPK Central Committee, that units of parade have lined up to get their preparations checked.

Jo Yong Won inspected the units of parade.

He courteously reported to the General Secretary of the WPK that paramilitary and public security forces are ready to start the parade for celebrating the 73rd founding anniversary of the DPRK.

The solemn parade of paramilitary and public security forces began.

Entering the square first led by the lead car of the commander of the Worker-Peasant Red Guards was the column of the Pyongyang City Division of Party members. They are the creators of feats and fighters who devotedly carried out the Party's policies to win a victory in the campaign for protecting the people as fitting the detached corps dispatched by the Party Central Committee to the sites for recovery from disaster last year.

Following them were the column of the Worker-Peasant Red Guards of Pyongyang City, militia force defending the capital city, led by Chief Secretary of the City Party Committee of the Kim Yong Hwan and the columns of the Worker-Peasant Red Guards in North Phyongan Province and South Phyongan Province, standing guard over the border and the gateway to the capital as an impregnable fortress, each led by Chief Secretaries of the Provincial Party Committees Mun Kyong Dok and An Kum Chol.

They were followed by the columns of the red guards of North and South Hwanghae Provinces, ranks of those taking charge of the agricultural front, led by Chief Secretaries of the Provincial Party Committees Pak Chang Ho and Pak Song Chol.

The columns of the red guards of Jagang and Kangwon Provinces led by Chief Secretaries of the Provincial Party Committees Kang Pong Hun and

Kim Su Gil showed well the unusual pride and self-esteem of creating the spirit of the times while overcoming grim difficulties before the country and the revolution.

Marching past in fine array next were the columns of the red guards of North and South Hamgyong Provinces and Ryanggang Province, being led by Chief Secretaries of the Provincial Party Committees Kim Chol Sam, Ri Jong Nam and Ri Thae Il.

Kim Jong Un sent militant salute to the columns marching past in fine array.

The columns of the Ministry of Railways and the Air Koryo Administration marched past the square.

As the column of the Kim Chaek Iron and Steel Complex which is the large-scale base of metallurgical industry in the northern part of the country, the column of the Huichon Ryonha Machine Factory that gave an origin of industrial revolution in the new century and the column of the Hungnam Fertilizer Complex which is an arsenal of socialist agricultural front entered the square, the people warmly congratulated the ranks of the heroic working class.

It was followed by the column of the Rakwon General Machine Enterprise and the Chollima Steel Complex.

Entering the square following it was the columns of the Ryongsong Machine Complex, the Sunchon Area Youth Coal Mining Complex and the Pyongyang Kim Jong Suk Textile Mill.

The columns of emergency epidemic prevention and the Ministry of Public Health were full of patriotic enthusiasm to display the advantages of the socialist system all over the world, while firmly protecting the security of the country and its people from the worldwide pandemic.

There were also the column of the State Academy of Sciences, and the column of men of culture and art and sportspersons made up of those artistes, moviemen and sportspersons who contributed to exalting the honor of the country and opening up the efflorescence of socialist culture.

Then there were the columns of **Kim Il Sung** University, Kim Chaek University of Technology and the Young Red Guards.

Following the paramilitary force columns, ranks of public security forces marched past the platform.

Kim Jong Un sent encouraging salute to the parading columns marching past in fine array, displaying the invincibility as the dependable political guard force of our Party and the elite force holding a share of the revolutionary armed forces.

The first column was the cavalry task force column of the Public Security Forces.

It was followed by a military dog search column.

The mechanized columns of the Worker-Peasant Red guards entered the square, demonstrating the vitality of our Party's military line for self-defence.

Following the column of the motorcycles, those in charge of the farm mechanization who were operational in the socialist cooperative fields rolled past the square driving tractors hauling artillery pieces to pound the aggressors and their vassal forces with annihilating firepower in case of emergency.

The mechanized columns roared past the square, reminding that our country has turned into an impregnable fortress with a powerful militia capable of carrying out whatever operations and battles independently together with the invincible regular army.

The column of fire brigade of the Public Security Forces was the last one that concluded the parade.

At the end of the parade, fireworks shot off again and an evening gala of youth and students began at the square.

The spectacular fireworks added to the enthusiasm and optimism of youth and students.

After the evening gala and the display of fireworks, stormy cheers of "hurrah!" for the General Secretary again rocked the heaven and the earth.

Kim Jong Un warmly acknowledged the enthusiastically cheering crowds for long.

All the participants presented the greatest glory and the deepest gratitude to **Kim Jong Un**, a peerless hero who is fully demonstrating the new era of overall prosperity of the country and the era of our state-first principle with his ardent love and self-sacrificing dedication to the country and the people. -0-



Respected Comrade Kim Jong Un Meets and Congratulates Labour Innovators and Merited Persons Who Participated in Celebrations of 73rd Anniversary of DPRK

Pyongyang, September 9 (KCNA) -- **Kim Jong Un**, general secretary of the Workers' Party of Korea and president of the State Affairs of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK), met and warmly congratulated the labour innovators and merited persons who participated in the celebrations of the 73rd founding anniversary of the DPRK at the office building of the Party Central Committee on September 8.

The respected General Secretary bestowed great favors of inviting to the significant September celebrations and hosting a grand reception for the labour innovators and merited persons who have made contributions to the prosperity of the country with all their patriotic enthusiasm and honest efforts in every nook and corner of the country with a single-minded unity of loyalty to the Party and the country.

Feelings of great excitement and joy of the participants pervaded the courtyard of the Party Central Committee as they were invited to the most honored and the happiest place in their life under the loving care of the benevolent father to be handed down generation after generation.

When the respected Comrade **Kim Jong Un** appeared, all the participants broke into cheers of "hurrah!" repeatedly, bursting into tears of passion to see the General Secretary who praised their life and struggle before the country and its people though they did what they should do for the motherland.

Gladly shaking hands with each of the labour innovators and merited persons, he congratulated them on celebrating the founding day of the DPRK with the pride of having made contributions to the prosperity of our state.

The sacred history of patriotism of the DPRK is attributable to the feats of the labor innovators and persons of merit who made great contributions to enriching the country's wealth by devotedly working at their worksites and posts and to opening up the efflorescence of socialist civilization by exalting the honor of the country in the van of scientific and cultural fronts, he said.

The dignity and valorous spirit of the DPRK are a noble outcome of the heroic struggle of our people filled with burning patriotism, he said, pointing out that it is the national prestige and customs peculiar to Juche Korea without an equal in the world that the people indomitably struggle to support their beloved country never yielding to tough challenges despite decades of harsh ordeals.

Saying that it is a great strength and inspiration for the Party and the state that they have lots of patriots who are devotedly working to lighten the heavy burden of the country even a bit while thinking about the state affairs before their family affairs and doing any jobs, easy or difficult, without hesitation, he had a meaningful photo session with them.

Deep feelings of loyalty went up in the courtyard of the Party Central Committee along with thunderous cheers of "hurrah!", where there presented a picture of kinship between the leader and his soldiers sharing the same intention and emotion on the sacred road of service for the country.

The photo session was followed by a splendid reception given in the garden of the office building of the Party Central Committee in the presence of **Kim Jong Un**.

Joining labor innovators and persons of merits were Choe Ryong Hae, Jo Yong Won, Kim Tok Hun, Pak Jong Chon and other Party, government and military cadres.

A congratulatory speech was made at the reception.

The venue for the reception was full of the excitement and joy of the participants who were having a dreamlike happy time in the presence of the tender-hearted father, sharing the family-like feelings.

He called labor innovators and persons of merits close to him and learned about their health and successes in their work. They are devoting their lives faithfully with loyalty and patriotism in different sectors of the national economy including industry, agriculture, science, education, public health, sports, culture, and art whether acknowledged or not and rewarded or not.

Saying that the labor innovators and persons of merits who the Party regards as the cornerstone and pillar of the state should become the standard-bearers and source in embellishing society with their ambitious life and steady practice and making the whole country full of greater revolutionary and patriotic zeal, he voiced the expectations that all the participants would perform more brilliant feats in accomplishing the sacred cause for boosting the strength and dignity of the country and bringing earlier the future of a prosperous and powerful country.

The General Secretary called close to him ordinary working people's children who distinguished themselves in study and organizational life in the children's union. He highly appreciated the efforts of the parents who bring up their children to be the competent pillars of the country, saying that the children's union members invited to the office building of the Party Central Committee together with labor innovators and persons of merits who made great achievement for the country were very admirable.

All the participants were full of strong determination to glorify their life as genuine patriots and passionate loyalists who dynamically propel the great era of **Kim Jong Un**, the era of our state-first principle which ceaselessly advances and makes a leap forward, always remembering the warm paternal love and great trust of the General Secretary. -0-



Respected Comrade Kim Jong Un Has Photo Session with Participants in Parade of Paramilitary and Public Security Forces for Celebrating 73rd Anniversary of DPRK

Pyongyang, September 10 (KCNA) -- **Kim Jong Un**, general secretary of the Workers' Party of Korea (WPK) and president of the State Affairs of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK), had a photo session with the participants in the parade of paramilitary and public security forces for celebrating the 73rd founding anniversary of the DPRK on September 9.

Accompanying him were Jo Yong Won and Pak Jong Chon, members of the Presidium of the Political Bureau and secretaries of the Central Committee of the WPK.

Feelings of great excitement and joy of the participants filled the photo session venue as they were about to greet the moment of dream-like honor and happiness again after they had the honor of holding the grand march of victors demonstrating the independent dignity and might of the Republic in the square in the presence of the respected Comrade **Kim Jong Un**.

When **Kim Jong Un** arrived, all the participants broke into stormy cheers of "hurrah!", looking up to him who has put the national power and position of socialist Korea on the highest level and ushered in the most glorious era of our Republic and the new era of self-respect and prosperity with his outstanding idea and rare leadership.

He received a salute from Kang Sun Nam, commander of the Worker-Peasant Red Guards.

Warmly waving back to the enthusiastically cheering crowds, he encouraged the participants. In the parade they demonstrated the faith and will of our people determined to go in firm unity under the banner of our state-first principle following the leadership of the WPK and to show the world the powerful might and dignity of the DPRK. They also manifested to the whole world the invincible spirit of the DPRK dashing toward the bright future.

The General Secretary said with high appreciation that the grand parade held on the founding anniversary of the DPRK fully demonstrated the fighting efficiency and unity of paramilitary and public security forces of our state.

He warmly shook hands of the combat pilots and parachutists who creditably performed their duty of flight and landing, and of parade members, speaking highly of their achievements.

He had a meaningful photo session, voicing the expectation and belief that all the participants in the parade would fulfill their honorable mission and duty of defending the country and building socialism, while holding a rifle in one hand and a hammer, a sickle or a writing brush in the other hand in the future, too.

At the end of the photo session, thunderous cheers of "hurrah!" and loud chanting of "**Kim Jong Un**" and "devoted defence" resounded through the sky of September.

All the participants hardened their iron will to make the national defence capabilities impregnable and usher in an era of fresh upsurge in socialist construction while faithfully upholding the leadership of the Party Central Committee and thus further the dignity and honor of the Republic which were gained and have been exalted with precious struggle. -0-

