# ANNUAL REPORT



# **Preface**

Approaching 2023, we at China Chamber of Commerce for Import and Export of Machinery and Electronic Products (hereinafter referred to as CCCME) would like to extend our New Year greetings to all members! We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the leaders, partners and friends at home and abroad who have cared for and supported the work of CCCME for a long time!

In 2022, the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China (CPC) was successfully convened. An ambitious blueprint has been drawn for building a modern socialist country in all respects and advancing the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation on all fronts through a Chinese path to modernization, sounding a clarion call of the times for us forging ahead on a new journey. In 2022, the world witnessed combined impacts of profound changes unseen in a century and the COVID-19 pandemic. Under the guidance and support of the CPC central committee and government departments like the Working Committee of State Organs, Ministry of Civil Affairs, Ministry of Commerce, and National Development and Reform Commission, CCCME studied and implemented the spirit of the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China, unswervingly strengthened the Party's overall leadership on the work of CCCME in an all-round way, carried out work around the country's overall development in commerce, implemented the idea of "members first and foremost and service is the lifeline", and pressed ahead and overcame all difficulties with all member enterprises. In 2022, positive progress was made in the development of such new-type industry services platforms as the International Industrial Cooperation Mechanism and CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee; services including the information, industry service, legal advice, international liaison, core membership, promotion of investment and exhibitions & conventions better suited the demands of enterprises; and internal construction in areas like the Party building, financial affairs and administration was strengthened. CCCME made brilliant achievements in all aspects of its work, operation and development, and reform and innovation. In a nutshell, CCCME made new breakthroughs in enhancing our capacity for providing services.

In 2023, in the face of new opportunities and new challenges on the journey of development, CCCME will continue to enhance the idea of "members first and foremost and service is the lifeline" and implement it in an all-round way; regard "taking accurate measures to satisfy the demand of members and focusing efforts to promote the service capacity" as the general requirement and guiding principle of all our work. We will work with member enterprises and cooperative partners to make greater contributions to the high-quality development of serving and promoting the foreign trade and investment and cooperation with the resolve to move mountains and the perseverance to plod on.

China Chamber of Commerce for Import and Export of Machinery and Electronic Products (CCCME) January 2023

# **Development Ideas**

Committed to building an efficient and tailor-made service system that promotes the international exchange and cooperation on China's machinery and electric industry and meets the demands of member enterprises;

Committed to being market-oriented and specialized with a global vision, CCCME constantly innovates its service concepts, methods, processes and effectiveness evaluation, and establishes an administrative mechanism that is scientific, systematic, effective and pragmatic;

Committed to the principles of "people-oriented" and "putting equal stress on the integrity and ability", CCCME attempts to build a team with staff who cherish and dedicate to their work, and work together to move forward.

#### **Missions**

CCCME is dedicated to facilitating enterprises in foreign trade, investment and cooperation, maintaining fair competition, helping them to enhance their ability to go global and promote international competitiveness, and promoting the structural optimization and upgrading of foreign trade, investment and cooperation.

# **Visions**

Following market-oriented operation, CCCME is committed to building itself into a worldclass organization representing the machinery and electric industry as a whole and featuring a sound service system of advanced service means, well-established service brands and diversified service content, thus exerting wide influence on the field of China's trade and economy.

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# Satisfactory completion of the election of the leadership of the 7<sup>th</sup> Board of Directors

On August 16, 2022, based on sufficient preparations and the approval of the Working Committee of State Organs according to the procedure, CCCME held the 7<sup>th</sup> Member Representative Conference and the 1st Session of the 7<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Board of Directors via video link, on which new leaders for the Board of Directors, Board of Supervisors and CCCME were elected. Led by the new collective leadership, CCCME will unswervingly uphold the Party's leadership and insist on the tenet of "service is the lifeline" to further

improve the governance structure of CCCME, improve the internal supervision mechanism, take targeted measures to satisfy the demand of member enterprises, create brand services, and explore the innovative governance mechanisms in building a democratic chamber of commerce, decision-making by the leadership, talent cultivation and market-based operation, with the purpose to make new breakthroughs in the development of the organization, institution and ability of CCCME.

# New leaders of the permanent body of CCCME



**Zhang Yujing**Party Secretary and President of CCCME



Zheng Chao
Executive Vice President of CCCME



**Shi Yonghong**Member of the Party Committee and Vice President of CCCME



Liu Chun

Member of the Party Committee
and Vice President of CCCME



Guo Kuilong Secretary General





The 17th Session of the 6th Meeting of Board of Directors and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Session of the 6th Member Representative Conference held on March 11, 2022



The  $5^{th}$  virtual meeting of the re-election leading group held on April 15, 2022



The 4<sup>th</sup> Session of the 6<sup>th</sup> Member Representative Conference held on April 22, 2022



The  $7^{\text{th}}$  Member Representative Conference and the  $1^{\text{st}}$  Session of the  $7^{\text{th}}$ Meeting of Board of Directors held virtually on August 16, 2022



The  $1^{\text{st}}$  Session of the  $7^{\text{th}}$  Meeting of the Board of Supervisors held on September 22, 2022.

# **International Industrial Cooperation Mechanism**

We should accurately understand the connotations of the new development stage, thoroughly implement the new development philosophy and accelerate the construction of a new development paradigm under the guidance of Xi Jinping's Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics for a New Era. Relying on the international and domestic channel advantages and long-term industry experience, CCCME brings together top expert resources of the machinery and electric industry and focuses on serving the needs of national strategic layout and Chinese enterprises' foreign investment cooperation model innovation. We officially initiated the establishment of an international industrial cooperation service mechanism and established the Expert Committee of CCCME in March 2021 to put up a service platform which promotes the high-quality development of foreign investment cooperation, serves the new development pattern of "dual circulation" and realizes the steady construction of the "Belt and Road" based on commercial operation with government guidance and enterprise participation. This platform is led by CCCME and aims to promote cooperation among enterprises.

In 2022, the Expert Committee of CCCME was fully engaged and actively promoted the innovative reform in the service of CCCME. Around the key issues concerned by the government, industries and enterprises at present and the leading and guiding issues related to the high-quality and sustainable development of foreign investment cooperation, it effectively mobilized and gave play to the resources of expert members to conduct close cooperation with cooperative organizations. Efforts were made to promote the function construction of the "five platforms" of the Expert Committee of CCCME, so its capacity for serving CCCME, members or industries was promoted quickly by making new breakthroughs and realizing new progress.

#### **Domestic Exchanges**

CCCME signed partnership agreements with ten units including the Global Alliance for Trade in Services, University of Science and Technology Beijing, Department of Commerce of Hunan Province, China Center for International Economic Exchanges, China Association of International Engineering Consultants, Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Thailand-China Business Council, Head Office of ICBC, Yingke Law Firm and Sunther Information Technology Co., Ltd., which effectively expanded its circle of friends.

















It organized over 50 visits, investigations and exchanges in various forms, and conducted practical and in-depth exchanges with 48 entities.









Chen Jian, Senior Consultant of CCCME Expert Committee, led an investigation group to Guizhou for conducting investigation in July 2022

Zhang Yujing, President of CCCME, led a team to GENERTEC for working exchange in August 2022 Zhang Yujing, President of CCCME, led a team to China State Construction Engineering Corporation for working exchange in September 2022

Zhang Yujing, President of CCCME, led a team to China Communications Construction Company for working exchange in December 2022

#### **International Exchanges**

The Expert Committee of CCCME actively expanded the liaison channels with such international organizations as the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) and United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO). It maintained close communication with UNDP on topics such as ESG, South-South cooperation and the International Industry Cooperation Conference, and provided special consultation service for South-South cooperation projects intended to promote the capacity of undeveloped countries for fighting Covid-19 epidemic.

In 2022, the Expert Committee of CCCME held bilateral economic and trade seminars and matchmaking sessions at different levels successively. It held the first China-Thailand Investment Cooperation Seminar jointly with Thailand-China Business Council. It delivered a key-note address at the 25th Singapore SME Conference at the invitation of Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce. It participated in the China-Thailand Investment Forum held by the Chinese Embassy in Thailand as a supporting unit. It actively put up multilateral or bilateral international cooperation platforms in its efforts to promote the cooperation between Chinese and foreign enterprises in line with the national foreign economic and trade development strategy.

In July 2022, CCCME Executive Vice President Zheng Chao led a work group to visit Singapore and signed a letter of intention on strategic cooperation with Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce. In October, CCCME attended the work group meeting about green development and digital economy held by the Ministry of Commerce of the PRC and the Ministry of Trade & Industry of Singapore as the only representative in industry organizations. In 2022, CCCME carried out close communication with the Singaporean government, industry organizations, financial institutions and business representatives on 2023 International Industrial Cooperation Conference (Singapore) and China Machinery and Electric Products Brand Exhibition scheduled to be held on March 22-24, 2023. CCCME got support and positive response from them all.



China-Thailand Investment Cooperation Seminar held in January



CCCME conducting working exchanges with UNDP in June 2022



CCCME signed a letter of intention on strategic cooperation with Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Singapore in July 2022.



CCCME Executive Vice President Zheng Chao paid CCCME signed a strategic cooperation framework an official visit to Sun Haiyan, Chinese ambassador to Singapore, in July 2022



agreement with Thailand-China Business Council in December 2022



CCCME conducted discussions and exchanges with the Thai-Chinese Chamber of Commerce in December 2022

#### **Training Services**

Around the hot topics advocated by the government and concerned by enterprises like green & low-carbon development, digital economy, outbound investment, construction of ESG system, international project management and bilateral cooperation, the Expert Committee of CCCME invited 15 committee members and well-known industry experts to give eight sessions of "Expert Committee Lecture" for public welfare in cooperation with Joint Conference of Overseas Chinese Enterprises Chamber of Commerce (Association) and China Association of International Engineering Consultants. The "Expert Committee Lecture" got positive response and had a good result thanks to its brand effect.



The 17<sup>th</sup> session: The Peak Carbon Emissions and Carbon Neutrality Strategy of Our Country and Enterprises' Countermeasures by the committee member Chai Qimin

The 18<sup>th</sup> session: The "Expert Committee Lecture promotes the fusion of business of enterprises"-Digital Economy Fuels the Takeoff of Outbound Investment and International Cooperation.

The 19th session: Practical Tactics for Outbound Investment in the Post-Covid Era by the committee member Zhang Xiaohui

The 20<sup>th</sup> session: Analysis of the Innovation-driven Development of China's Enterprises Managing International Projects by the committee member Song Dongsheng and Song Yuxiang

The 21st session: Accelerating the Construction of the ESG System to Drive High-quality Outbound Investment and International Cooperation by the committee member Yang Lin.

The 22<sup>nd</sup> session: Singapore's Investment Environment and Green Development Cooperation Between China and Singapore by Cai Zonglun and Cai Xuan from Economic Development Board Singapore (EDB)

The 23<sup>rd</sup> session: Towards A New Era of Navigation by Huang Zhaohua from Beijing NAVISTAR International Management Consultation Co., Ltd.

The 24<sup>th</sup> session: Promoting Carbon Neutrality and High-quality Development with Progress in Science and Technology by Vice Director and member He Kebin.

In June 2022, CCCME joined hands with University of Science and Technology Beijing in starting the cultivation of the first group of internationalized talents in outbound investment and international cooperation in China by opening "the class of characteristic specialty of outbound investment and international cooperation" for the new students of MBA in 2022 and adding the specialty of outbound investment and international cooperation in the examination catalogue for MBA in 2023. The degree program for internationalized talents in outbound investment and international cooperation is launched based on the postgraduate student pilot program in this specialty.

On the basis of research results of special subjects, CCCME held two workshops for the "development of international new energy investment and financing projects" and "pluralistic investment and financing in outbound investment and international cooperation" jointly with the China Association of International Engineering Consultants. CCCME went to key member enterprises like China Baowu Iron & Steel Group Co., Ltd. and Wuhan FiberHome International Technologies Co., Ltd. to provide custom-made training for the international business. New contents were constantly added to the training sessions to enhance the actual effect.



The online announcement of the MBA class for outbound investment and international cooperation in August 2022



The director member Zheng Chao and member Gao Yuanyuan lecturing in the special training session for China Baowu Iron & Steel Group Co., Ltd. and Wuhan FiberHome International Technologies Co., Ltd.

#### Construction of the ESG System

In 2022, focusing on the construction of the ESG system and relevant training and consultation service in the outbound investment and international cooperation of Chinese enterprises, the Expert Committee of CCCME conducted in-depth cooperation with relevant professional organizations such as Yingke Law Firm, AECOM, CarbonNewture, Susallwave and Hongdao Fund and key enterprises like China Three Gorges International Corporation, JA Solar and LONGi Green Energy through promoting ideas, making the guidance and (group) standards and providing consultation. It actively put up the platform for international standards, behaviors, norms and construction of rules and mechanisms to facilitate the high-quality development of China's outbound investment and international cooperation.



#### Consultation Service

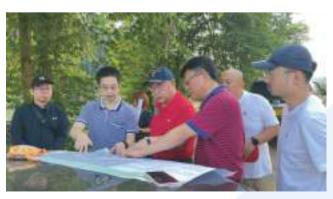
CCCME seeks to provide consultation for internationalization strategy for member enterprises and partners, and provide full life cycle consultation and solutions for major projects. It accepted the market-oriented project for the first time, and organized experts to provide professional consultation service for overseas projects of more than ten enterprises.



CCCME provided consultation service for a Laotian project in August 2022



CCCME signed a cooperation agreement with Sunther Information Technology in



CCCME went to the new economic zone of Luang Prabang for investigation and exchange in December 2022

# **External Exchanges**

It is a major feature and brand project of CCCME to give full play to the advantages of international chamber of commerce, to grasp the demand of "going global" of its member enterprises, and to provide accurate, effective and valuable services to enterprises in order to expand international market.

In 2022, CCCME carried out various foreign exchange activities, and took the inter-governmental multi/bilateral business cooperation mechanisms as key points to actively expand external communication channels, strengthen exchanges and cooperation with overseas MOU organizations, and strive to create an international service network with global impact.

#### Multi/bi-lateral Working Mechanisms

Since 2007, CCCME has successively assumed the functions of 10 intergovernmental multilateral and bilateral mechanism secretariats or China's offices appointed by Ministry of Commerce of China, including the China Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products, China Provinces and US California/Michigan Joint Working Groups on Trade and Investment Cooperation, Business Forum Italy-China (BFIC), Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia (CICA), China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation, China-Saudi Arabia Five-year Action Plan on Business Mutual Visits, China-United Arab Emirates Five-year Action Plan on Mutual Business Visits, and the Council of Entrepreneurs France-China (CEFC). With wide participation of local governments or key enterprises, the above-mentioned mechanism operates under the joint guidance of Chinese and foreign governments. It is not only a high-end platform for promoting Chinese and foreign industry exchanges, industry matching, technical cooperation, and mutual visits of enterprises, but also an important channel for interpreting policies, exchanging information, and summarizing industry recommendations. It has now become the "second track" for China to promote economic and trade exchanges and investment cooperation with relevant countries.

As the secretariat or office of the above-mentioned mechanism, CCCME has successively undertaken several supporting activities for leaders' high-level visits, organized trade and investment promotion groups to conduct overseas market research, held various levels of multilateral and bilateral economic and trade forums, seminars and matching meetings, and released important policies in key markets as well as project and industry information. It has made active efforts to cooperate with China's foreign economic and trade development strategy, promote cooperation between Chinese and foreign enterprises, and promote Chinese enterprises to "go global".

#### China Provinces and US California, Michigan Joint Working Group on Trade and Investment Cooperation

In April 2013, proposed by the then Chinese Vice President Xi Jinping and Governor of California Jerry Brown, Ministry of Commerce of PRC signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Government of California to set up the Joint Working Group on China Provinces and US California Trade and Investment Cooperation, where CCCME serves as the Chinese Secretariat. In August 2015, Ministry of Commerce of China signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Government of Michigan to set up the Joint Working Group on China Provinces and US State of Michigan Trade and Investment Cooperation, where CCCME serves as the Chinese Secretariat.

In 2022, China-US economic and trade relations faced new challenges. As the Chinese Secretariat for the Joint Working Group on China Provinces and US California/Michigan Trade and Investment Cooperation, CCCME spared no efforts to make self-improvement and took active actions to promote cooperation relying on its own resource advantages in the machinery and electric industry, exhibition, law and green & low carbon development as well as the social connections accumulated for years. It held all kinds of online/offline USoriented activities, and kept regular communication with the organizations and enterprises in the US to promote the practical exchanges in key fields based on active coordination of investigations conducted by the government and enterprises. CCCME achieved certain effect in all respects of its efforts, laying a good foundation for the follow-up work. The Chinese Secretariat organized a seminar on the development prospect of the petrochemical industry against the background of peak carbon emissions and carbon neutrality, went to IBM Client Innovation Center-China ("digital economy and sustainable development") to carry out exchanges, conducted active communication with California and Michigan on topics like exhibitions and conventions, and manufacturing of household appliances, and participated the opening ceremony of the exhibition booth of California. The Chinese Secretariat stayed in touch with a wide range of enterprises in cooperation with the US side and reflected the demands of enterprises for cooperation with the US side. Based on exchange activities, it kept regular exchanges with the US-China Business Council, AmCham China, the Bay Area Council, Michigan-China Innovation Center, US-China Energy Cooperation Program, Berkeley Energy and Climate Institute (BECI), Innovation Center for Energy and Transportation (iCET), the Office of North Carolina in China, and California Sacramento Trade Office around the year. It launched lasting exchanges with more than 20 US companies in China in fields like green and low-carbon development and fueling the growth of digital economy.

#### Chinese Business Council, CICA

As the advisory body of the CICA, the CICA (Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia) Business Council is composed of commercial and public institution representatives in the member states. With the support and coordination of the Department of European-Central Asian Affairs of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of PRC and the Department of European-Central Asian Affairs of Ministry of Commerce of PRC, CCCME serves as the chairman unit of the CICA Business Council.

Under the guidance of the CICA Secretariat, CCCME has actively promoted the participation of Chinese companies in the implementation of CICA's confidence-building measures in the areas of SME cooperation, trade, park construction, infrastructure and agriculture. It organized Chinese companies to attend the 5th CICA Business Council Conference and the 7th CICA Business Forum held on June 27, 2022 so as to actively promote the cooperation between Chinese companies and companies of CICA member states.



Chen Xiaojia, chairperson of CITIC Construction Co., Ltd., a Chinese member unit of the CICA Business Council, was arranged to attend the 7th CICA Business Forum in June 2022

#### China-Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products

On November 6, 2007, the inaugural meeting of the China Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products was held in Moscow. The then Vice Premier of China State Council Wu Yi and Russian Deputy Prime Minister Zhukov attended the meeting. The China Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products is the first industry association jointly established by China and Russia on the initiative of the two heads of states and is also an innovative mechanism to promote bilateral economic and trade cooperation. As the Chinese sponsor of the China Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products, CCCME serves as the Chinese Secretariat and President Zhang Yujing is the Chinese President of CRCCME.



Online training sessions for Chinese enterprises in economic and trade cooperation with Russia held in July 2022

In 2022, under the guidance of the Department of European-Central Asian Affairs of Ministry of Commerce of PRC, China-Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products actively participated in the work within the framework of the China-Russia Economic and Trade Cooperation Sub-council and actively served Chinese and Russian enterprises. China-Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products held 2022 online training sessions for Chinese enterprises in economic and trade cooperation with Russia, and organized over 10 business opportunity matchmaking meetings for trade between China and Russia. It carried out exchanges in bilateral economic and trade investment and cooperation with economic competent authorities and chambers of commerce and industry of Moscow, St. Petersburg and 50 states including Lipetskaya oblast, Leningradskaya oblast, Rostovskaya oblast, Ulyanovskaya oblast and the Republic of Tatarstan. It maintained close contact with the Russian Embassy in China, the Beijing Representative Office of the Russian Federation Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and related Russian institutions in China, which effectively promoted the exchanges and cooperation between member companies and government agencies and companies in Russia and related Russian-speaking countries.



Explanation session for opening up the Russian auto parts market held in August 2022



China-Russia Chamber of Commerce for Machinery and Electric Products held China-Russia (Moscow) Business Forum jointly with the government of Moscow in November 2022

#### China-Uzbekistan Investment Cooperation Working Group

To implement the important instructions of the leaders of China and Uzbekistan and the spirit of the 7<sup>th</sup> session of the Economic and Trade Cooperation Sub-committee of the China-Uzbekistan Intergovernmental Cooperation Committee and drive the stable, healthy and sustainable development of local cooperation in economy and trade between the two countries, CCCME undertook the work of the Guidance Mechanism for China-Uzbekistan Local Cooperation and Exchange in Economy and Trade and the Secretariat of China-Uzbekistan Investment Cooperation Working Group commissioned by the Department of European-Central Asian Affairs and Department of Cooperation of Ministry of Commerce of PRC. It is responsible for the coordination and implementation of relevant work.

In 2022, CCCME succeeded in holding China-Uzbekistan Business Forum and Uzbekistan QASHQADARYO Cooperation Project Matching and Promotion Conference; and organized the China-Uzbekistan Investment Cooperation Forum sponsored jointly by the Ministry of Commerce of PRC and the Ministry of Investment and Foreign Trade of Uzbekistan. It organized the Uzbekistan Embassy in China and relevant officials from the Representative Office in China of the Ministry of Investment and Foreign Trade of Uzbekistan to visit domestic enterprises for many times; and collected and released 43 investment projects in fields such as textile, papermaking and elevator to actively promote the economic and trade investment and cooperation between the two countries.



China-Uzbekistan Business Forum held in January 2022



China-Uzbekistan Investment Cooperation Forum organized in the framework of the 1<sup>st</sup> Tashkent International Investment Forum in March 2022

#### **Council of Entrepreneurs France-China**

In January 2018, the Council of Entrepreneurs France-China (CEFC) was established under the witness of Chinese President Xi Jinping and French President Emmanuel Macron. Ministry of Commerce of China and Ministry of Economy and Finance of France are the guiding units, and CCCME assumes the functions of the Chinese Secretariat. Ever since its establishment, the CEFC has offered active support to official visits and board member organizations, deepened local co-operations and held a total of 4 Meetings of Council of Entrepreneurs France-China and nearly 20 Bilateral Working Meetings to contribute to the development of China-France economic and trade cooperation via "second track."



Meeting of the Council of Entrepreneurs France-China held in October 2022

#### **China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation**

In June 2017, the China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation was established in Beijing. Finnish Prime Minister Sipilä and the then Vice Chairman of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference Han Qide attended the launching ceremony. Ministry of Commerce of PRC and Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment of Finland are the guiding units, and CCCME undertakes the work as the Chinese Secretariat.

In April 2022, the China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation completed the re-election of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Chinese president unit and director units. In September of the same year, the work meeting of Chinese director units of the China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation and the work meeting of the Bilateral Secretariat was held respectively to summarize the work of the last stage and exchange suggestions on strengthening the cooperation between China and Finland in fields like green and low-carbon development and smart manufacturing.



The work meeting of Chinese director units of the China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation held in September 2022

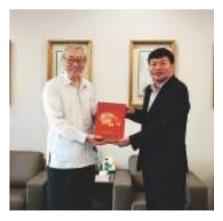


The work meeting of the Bilateral Secretariat of the China-Finland Committee for Innovative Business Cooperation held in September 2022

#### Cross-Straits Exchanges

In order to promote the development of the cross-Straits machinery and electric industry and serve cross-Strait economic and trade exchanges and cooperation, in January 2013, CCCME established the Taipei office.

For more than nine years, the Taipei Office of CCCME has adhered to the principle of being service-oriented and practical, attached importance to internal construction, laid down the foundation of work, constantly improved the operational mechanism, made friends, provided services for cross-Straits enterprises, striven to build a platform for cross-Straits trade and investment cooperation, helped enterprises to seek cooperation opportunities, promoted economic and trade exchanges, and achieved positive results.



Director of the Taipei Office met with Miao Fengqiang, chairman of the Federation of Taiwan Industries, in September 2022



The Taipei Office paid a visit to E-United Group in Taiwan for surveying in October 2022



The director of the Taipei Office met with Li Shiqin, chairman of TEEMA, in October 2022

#### **International Exchanges**

In 2022, CCCME maintained close contact and interaction with embassies of major countries in China, relevant international organizations and agencies of transnational organizations in China and visited multi/bi-lateral international institutions to further expand the "circle of friends" in international cooperation, and set up an international network of communication and services for the improvement in the quality of international services. CCCME succeeded in holding high-level governmental bilateral economic and trade activities such as 2022 China-Kampuchea Investment and Trade Fair despite the impact of the Covid-19 epidemic; joined hands with industrial associations or chambers of commerce from 13 countries in releasing the Joint Initiatives for Cooperation Among ASEAN Plus Three Chambers of Commerce in Industrial Chain & Supply Chain for the first time this year. CCCME launched online and offline activities featuring the theme of green development, third-party market cooperation, and trade investment together with government departments, embassies of many countries and international organizations, promoting its international influence. CCCME actively recommended outstanding enterprises in the industry to the Economic and Commercial Offices of the Chinese embassies, the Commercial Counselor's Offices of foreign embassies in China and international organizations. The internationalization deliverables of CCCME are increasingly transforming to provide more professional and effective services for member enterprises to "go global".



Mugisha Wilberforce Fred Charge d'affaires of Uganda Embassy in China, paid a visit to CCCME in March 2022



Commercial Counselor of the Chilean Embassy in China paid a visit to CCCME in March 2022



2022 China-Cambodia Investment and Trade Forum held in May 2022



CCCME released the Joint Initiatives for Cooperation UKCA Guidance Webinar held in July 2022 Among ASEAN Plus Three Chambers of Commerce in Industrial Chain & Supply Chain together with 13 countries in July 2022





Head of the Beijing Branch of Deutsche Bank paid a visit to CCCME in July 2022



Vice President Liu Chun paid a visit to the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank for working exchange in July 2022



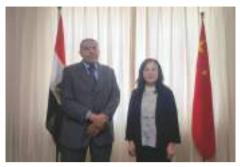
CCCME Vice President Liu Chun met with the director of the General Economic Office of the German Embassy in China in July 2022



Zhang Yujing, President of CCCME, met with Algerian Ambassador to China Hassane Rabehi in August 2022



China-ROK Economic and Trade Cooperation High-quality Development Exchange Meeting held in August 2022



CCCME Vice President Liu Chun paid an official visit to Ahmed Zaki, Minister Commercial of the Egyptian Embassy in China in September 2022



2022 China-ROK Third-party Market Cooperation Forum held in October 2022



Investment Counselor of the Malaysian Embassy in China paid a visit to CCCME in October 2022

#### **Investment Promotion**

Investment promotion service of CCCME is the new measures based on serving machinery and electric enterprises to carry out overseas investment and construction and capacity cooperation, and to strive to expand overseas cooperation channels. Since the start of the service, the cooperation agencies have spread to nearly 80 countries around the world after many years of hard work.

In 2022, CCCME compiled Russian Special Economic Zones and List of Enterprises Settled Therein, and held the China-Russia/ China-Uzbekistan Industry Parks Promotion and Matching Meeting according to the investment intention of member enterprises. CCCME implemented the B&R initiative and international production capacity cooperation initiative; is committed to improving the localized marketing and service capabilities of member companies overseas, and offering better service in the promotion of outbound investment.



CCCME held China-Russia Industry Parks and Enterprises Settled Therein Promotion and Matching Meeting (the 2nd Session) jointly with Industrial Russia, a pan-Russia social organization in June 2022.



CCCME compiled Russian Special Economic Zones and List of Enterprises Settled Therein in June 2022

# **Legal Services**

Since its establishment, CCCME has assisted a large number of enterprises to deal with nearly 700 trade remedy investigations concerning anti-dumping, anti-subsidy, safeguard measures and US investigation regarding US Section 337, 232 and 301. CCCME has now built the legal service platform covering over 100 countries and regions and providing a wide range of services for enterprises to "go global", including comprehensive legal consultation, business debt recovery, trade friction resolution, intellectual property protection and legal training services.

#### Professional Legal Guidance

In recent years, foreign countries are opting for more diverse ways to restrict Chinese companies from normal economic and trade activities, for instance, the implementation of export control, forced labor ban, and the initiation of US Section 301 investigations while using the traditional means of trade investigations to suppress Chinese enterprises. These means become more extensive, diversified and concealed. In 2022, CCCME continued to pay close attention to new changes in international economic and trade rules, regulations and policies, and shared analysis articles and timely information with relevant enterprises via WeChat group and other media platforms.

CCCME organizes professional legal trainings on trade rules and hot topic trade issues which enterprises concern in a timely manner. In terms of the US Unverified List that 33 Chinese entities have been added to, CCCME closely cooperated with departments of commerce in national and municipal level, actively connected with enterprises, and efficiently organized the online meeting for the listed enterprises as soon as the list was announced. Through the hard work of all parties, all 33 listed enterprises with a total number of 135 participants attended the meeting. With the help of CCCME, these enterprises started to work on delisting



The webinar about EU forced labor ban held in October 2022

themselves in a well-regulated way and successfully safeguarded their own interests. CCCME also hosted two webinars about the forced labor ban of the US and the European Commission. Hundreds of representatives from industries including photovoltaics, electronic information, automobile and machinery attended, which reached a total view count of 3,420.

CCCME organizes seminars and workshops on trade regulations and policies. The seminar on the US Section 301 tariffs and its coping strategies accommodated representatives from industries including photovoltaics, electronics, machinery and hardware and household appliance attended the meeting, and up to 1,646 people watched the live broadcast. The seminar about the US review for outbound investment attracted representatives from industries including finance, science and technology, automobile and new energy attended the virtual meeting and the live broadcast won 26,000 views.

In addition, CCCME has compiled trade remedy guidance to assist enterprises, for instance, the guidance of how to respond to antisubsidy investigation of Australia, anti-dumping and anti-subsidy investigation of India, and anti-dumping investigation of Argentine. CCCME has also made reviews on trade remedy investigation policies and practices encountered by Chinese enterprises in Brazil and the United States, which are in violation of WTO rules and are unreasonable or discriminatory, and reported such review results to relevant government agencies to protect the interests of enterprises.

#### Trade Remedy Investigations Assistance

CCCME assists companies to deal with trade remedy investigations based on the four-party joint-action mechanism. With the guidance of the Ministry of Commerce and the support of government agencies in provisional and municipal level, CCCME handled 60 investigations involving anti-dumping, anti-subsidy and safeguard measures, represented the industry under investigation to initiate injury defense in 20 cases, and issued 6 advanced notices to companies to be involved in the investigation in 2022. In addition, CCCME filed two lawsuits for companies involved in the relevant investigations. The lawsuit of EU's anti-dumping investigation on fasteners originating in China was initiated in 2022 and the ongoing lawsuit of EU's anti-dumping investigation on cast iron articles originating in China was filed in 2021. Besides, CCCME handled 17 cases related to US Section 337. The legitimate rights and interests of key industries and relevant enterprises of our country has been safeguarded and the brand recognition and reputation of CCCME's legal services have been established through the hard work.

In 2022, CCCME actively organized enterprises to respond to eleven cases involving Chinese companies, including Argentina's antidumping investigation on dust catchers, the UK's anti-dumping and anti-subsidy investigation on optical cables, India's anti-dumping investigation on monomode optical fibers, and Mexico's anti-dumping investigation on grinding balls. Among the eleven cases, eight were reacted by Chinese enterprises in the form of initiating injury defense organized by CCCME. In addition to the newly initiated case in 2022, CCCME also continued to organize the industry injury defense for eleven cases from previous years. Under the efforts and cooperation from all sides, breakthroughs were made for the following cases: the case for EU's anti-subsidy investigation into the import of graphite electrode was concluded without paying taxes; prices promise was obtained for Argentina's anti-dumping investigation on water heaters; some products were excluded in the case for EU's anti-dumping investigation on graphite electrode; the final ruling for the US Section 337 investigation into the digital video broadcasting equipment was non-infringement of rights. CCCME has also played an active role in judicial lawsuits including the EU's court lawsuit concerning cast irons and EU's court lawsuit concerning fasteners to safeguard the rights and interests of the domestic industrial and enterprises.



CCCME signed a cooperation framework agreement with the Department of Commerce of Zhejiang Province at Zhejiang Trade Remedy Work Meeting in May 2022



The precaution meeting for the South African anti-dumping investigation on windscreens for vehicles from held in July 2022



Training session for import trade remedy by the MOFCOM Trade Remedy and Investigation Bureau in September 2022



The work meeting on responding to Mexico's anti-dumping investigation on grinding balls from China held in September 2022



The work meeting on responding to India's anti-dumping investigation on industrial lasers from China held in October 2022



The work meeting on responding to India's anti-dumping investigation on toughened glass for household appliances from China held in October 2022

#### Legal Services Platform

In 2022, CCCME provided legal consulting services to enterprises for more than 100 times, and assisted enterprises to recover foreign business debts for 20 transactions. At present, CCCME legal services platform has covered more than 100 countries and regions and up to nearly 300 cities globally, with its legal service capacity continuing to grow. In order to assist Chinese enterprises to prevent risks and solve cross-border disputes from fast-growing international trade and investment, CCCME has held six online training sessions of "Series of Lectures on London International Arbitration Practice". In total, 408 corporation representatives participated and 3,311 video views were achieved.



The signing ceremony of the strategic cooperation framework memorandum between CCCME and King & Wood Mallesons held in March 2022



The silk banner and letter of thanks given by Gacia Electrical Appliance Co., Ltd. to CCCME in November 2022



Vice President of CCCME Shi Yonghong led a team to Yingke Law Firm for exchanges in October 2022



# **Industry Promotion**

Industry branches are important windows for CCCME to provide professional services to member enterprises, carry out industry exchanges, push forward industry cooperation and contact its members. Currently CCCME has more than 20 key industrial branches such as electronics and information technology, household appliances, photo-voltaic products, agricultural and construction machinery, automobiles, power equipment, rail transit equipment, etc.

In 2022, in a complicated and grim international economic and trading environment due to the pandemic of COVID-19, CCCME focused on the overall layout of China's economic diplomacy, responded to the goal of "carbon neutrality and peak carbon dioxide emissions", cooperated with the implementation of the Belt and Road and international capacity cooperation initiatives, actively played the role of industry guidance, closely followed the needs of enterprises, and actively carried out industry information exchange, dynamic monitoring of foreign trade operation, corporate appeal collection and feedback and other work to promote the development of the industry.

#### **Branch Building**

In 2022, in accordance with the characteristics of the industry, CCCME industry branches published monthly reports on key industries, reviewed important industry issues, streamlined industry rules, regularly held branch board meetings and work meetings, and built platforms for upstream and downstream enterprise project matching and exchanges and cooperation, achieving remarkable results.



China Automotive Export Situation Analysis and the Annual Meeting of the Automotive Branch of CCCME held online in December 2022

#### **Industry Research**

In 2022, focusing on hot topics such as the foreign trade operation of machinery and electric products, the industrial and supply chains of the machinery and electric industry, orders and production capacity of foreign trade companies, and international trade friction, CCCME cooperated with relevant ministries and commissions like the Ministry of Commerce and the National Development and Reform Commission, and relevant government departments such as the Trade Remedy Investigation Bureau and Industrial Security and Import and Export Control Bureau in conducting special research on key products and key countries by visiting enterprises and industrial organizations. It reported the first-hand information on industries. At the same time, it offered training sessions about RCEP and outbound investment for enterprises at provincial, municipal and prefectural level, which were highly valued and recognized by relevant departments.



The Industrial Security and Import and Export Control Bureau under the Ministry of Commerce visiting CCCME for investigation in January 2022



The Foreign Trade Situation Symposium attended by Wang Shouwen, Deputy China International Trade Representative and Vice Minister of the Ministry of Commerce, at CCCME in March 2022



The expert lecturing on machinery and electric industry at the 16th Yunnan RCEP Training Session in July 2022

#### **Industry Promotion**



The Industrial Economy and Technological Economy Institute of the National Development and Reform Commission visiting CCCME for investigation in August 2022



CCCME visiting Nuctech Company Limited for investigation in September 2022



The interpretation meeting about the new tendency in the US review for outbound investment held in September 2022



The national RCEP special training session for SMEs held in September 2022



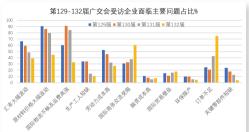
CCCME visiting the information industry institutions in the US for exchanges in October 2022  $\,$ 



CCCME visiting Japan Electronic Information Technology Association for exchanges in October 2022

During the 131st and 132nd The China Import and Export Fair, CCCME still conducted online questionnaire investigations into the operation of the exhibitors in the machinery and electric industry. CCCME formed a special report of the feedback from more than 1,100 enterprises based on the foreign trade of the machinery and electric products of the same period. The report was submitted to the General Office of the Ministry of Commerce and sent to the respondents in the form of E-mail, serving as an important basis for relevant departments to make judgment of the foreign trade situation and understand the demands of enterprises.





#### **Industry Promotion**

In 2022, under the guidance of government authorities, CCCME plays a leading and driving role in enterprises' high-quality "going global". It stepped up efforts to implement industry self-discipline conventions and publicize overseas compliance operations of enterprises. Besides, it maintained a good competition order among industries, continued to construct the industry integrity system, supported the integration of investment, construction and operation of large-scale complete sets of equipment projects overseas, promoted international capacity cooperation, and explored the construction of a green supply chain system to help the mechanical and electrical equipment go global. CCCME provided support for more than 500 overseas large-scale complete sets of equipment projects in key industries such as power, communications, rail transit, building materials and petrochemicals.

CCCME attended the meeting for analyzing the industrial situation organized by competent authorities and industrial symposiums like the industrial development of BRI for many times. It provided guidance for enterprises to cope with the changing overseas security according to the requirements of the meetings. CCCME compiled 2022 China Renewable Energy International Cooperation in cooperation with China Renewable Energy Engineering Institute; and compiled the Report About Key Electric Markets in cooperation with China Export & Credit Insurance Corporation.

CCCME attended many international forums and delivered speeches, conveying its bright vision to the outside world that it gives play to the advantage of the internationalized resources platform, works together with all sides to promote the economic and trade cooperation in machinery and electric products, and pursue a high-quality development pattern.





CCCME Vice President Shi Yonghong attended the Forum on Future Economic and Trade Cooperation between China and South Korea-Celebrating the 30th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between China and South Korea in September 2022



CCCME Vice President Shi Yonghong attended ASEAN-China International Workshop on Low Carbon Investments Cooperation and made a speech titled "China-ASEAN Green Transportation Cooperation Development Vision" in December 2022

#### **Industry Activities**

In 2022, CCCME industry branches made innovations in the service model and carried out various industry activities in response to industry hot topics to help foreign trade companies in the machinery and electric industry reduce their losses caused by international trade frictions and national shipping fluctuations, and integrate superior resources in the upstream and downstream industry chains.



















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- 1. CCCME signed a cooperation memorandum with the Federation of Israeli Chambers of Commerce in February 2022
- 2. A series of activities for 2022 Hangzhou Cross-border E-commerce Trade Fair held in March 2022-New Trade Opportunities: Interpretation Meeting for the Trend of Electronic Products and Household Appliance in Southeast Asia
- 3. The online round-table meeting for analyzing the auto export situation in the 1st quarter held in April 2022
- 4. The interpretation meeting for the market opportunities and innovation trend in the US held in May 2022
- 5. The online work meeting on responding to India's anti-dumping investigation on solar cells from China held in June 2022
- 6. The online work meeting on responding to India's anti-dumping investigation into the import of photovoltaic backsheet made in China held in June 2022
- 7. CCCME General Secretary Guo Kuilong attended the press briefing of 2022 China (Wenzhou) International Smart Electric and RCEP Electric Power & Electrician Exhibition and the launching ceremony of Zhejiang Famous Electric Products (RCEP session) Online Exhibition plus the Forum on Intelligent Electrical Industry Chain of the Match-making Activities for "Industry Chains & Enterprises" in September 2022
- 8. CCCME Vice President Shi Yonghong participated in the Promotion of Global Trade of New Energy Products (Germany Session) at the 132nd China Import and Export Fair in September 2022
- 9. The 21st Forum on Development of Electrical Machines and Systems in China held in September 2022

#### **CCCME** Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee

To respond to the national goal of reaching peak carbon emissions and carbon neutrality and help member enterprises realize the green and low-carbon transformation, CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee (hereafter referred to as the committee) was established in October 2021 in Beijing. Since its establishment, the committee spares no efforts to promote its influence by highlighting the character of "international cooperation", enlarging the family of members, expanding channel resources, refining the contents of its service and holding various activities. From the beginning of this year, the committee has held country-specific green activities involving countries such as Tunisia, Japan, S. Korea, the UK and Chile; training sessions and visits about topics like the national hydrogen energy planning, coping with carbon barriers, benefits of digital technology; and seminars on the green development of the petrochemical industry and new energy. In February 2022, the new energy work group of the committee was established; the construction of carbon neutralization service platform (hereafter referred to as the service platform) got underway in August. At present, the first group of 20 renowned carbon management, calculation and authentication organizations at home and abroad have entered the platform, which can provide professional and efficient all-round carbon neutralization service for member enterprises.



The Online Training Session on Challenges of and Responses to Low-carbon Barriers in International Trade held successfully in January 2022



The Hydrogen Energy Development Cooperation Seminar & Green and Low-carbon Innovation Dialogue (Phase II) held successfully in April



China-Tunisia Green Development Forum held successfully in April



Products & Green and Low-carbon Innovation Dialogue (Phase III) successfully held online in April 2022



The Exchange Meeting on Green Development of Export China-Japan Online Energy-saving Technology Matchmaking Meeting successfully held in June 2022



The Seminar on the Development Prospect of Petrochemical Industry with the Objectives of "Peaking of Carbon Dioxide Emissions and Carbon Neutrality" held in June 2022



The New energy working group of CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee established in Beijing in February 2022



In June 2022, a memorandum of cooperation was signed with the Green Development League of National Economic and Technological Development Zones (Green League) to jointly hold an online seminar on "Green and Low-carbon Development of Export Products throughout the Lifecycle" and released the carbon footprint self-assessment platform of foreign trade products.

#### CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee



The visit and exchange on "Digital Economy and Sustainable Development" of IBM China Innovation Center organized in July 2022



The exchange meeting of the new energy working group of CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee successfully held in Triumph Group in September 2022



An exchange event between key enterprises of the CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee and the starting area of Jinan organized in November 2022 during China International Import Expo (CIIE)



The "One More Hour of Clean Energy" event organized in December 2022 together with Trina Solar, the chairman unit of the new energy working group of the CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee

#### Carbon Neutrality Service **Platform**

The carbon neutrality service platform was built by CCCME after the integration of the authoritative and professional service resources in the industry on the basis of the professional advantages of the Green and Low-carbon International Cooperation Committee.

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The service platform gathers 20 carbon neutrality service organizations and a team of experts with strong professionalism, rich project implementation experience and comprehensive coverage of business fields to provide one-stop carbon neutrality services for member enterprises in the following nine fields: capacity building, comprehensive carbon peaking and neutrality consulting, carbon asset management, carbon label and carbon footprint certification, production and operation efficiency improvement, technology matching and industrial cooperation, digital economy, financial cooperation, and carbon neutrality toolbox, etc.

#### **Exhibition Services**

Supporting and guiding enterprises to explore overseas markets and expand the international influence of independent brands of mechanical and electrical products, and exploring more trade and investment opportunities are part of the professional services provided by CCCME. CCCME organizes enterprises to participate in more than 100 special international exhibitions every year. Its scale of overseas exhibitions ranks among the top three in the country and first in the industry. CCCME built the "CCCME Online Exhibition" trade promotion platform to provide enterprises with convenient, safe, efficient and exclusive digital foreign trade services. CCCME held a series of online exhibitions and matching sessions to help companies realize efficient, accurate and pragmatic matching with foreign merchants during the COVID pandemic.

In addition, CCCME completed the preparatory work of machinery and electronic hall in the 131st and 132nd Canton Fairs of China Import and Export Fair in an efficient and orderly manner, thoroughly participated in the relevant work of national fairs such as the 5th China International Import Expo (CIIE) and the 2nd China International Consumer Products Expo, and successfully held domestic exhibitions such as Zhejiang Yiwu International Intelligent Manufacturing Equipment Expo.

#### China Import and Export Fair (Canton Fair)

As an important initiative to help foreign trade enterprises and stabilize the basic foreign trade in the current context, the 131st and 132nd Canton Fairs of China Import and Export Fair were held online, in order to thoroughly implement the spirit of the congratulatory letter from General Secretary Xi Jinping to Canton Fair, efficiently coordinate the epidemic prevention and control and economic and social development, and continue to play the role of Canton Fair services in all-round opening up to the outside world, high-quality development of international trade, and the linkage between domestic and international double cycles. Oriented in services, CCCME has always done well in the preparatory work of machinery and electronic hall, intellectual property protection, corporate research, press and publicity and brand review, etc. Guided by the spirit of the 20th CPC National Congress, CCCME will firmly establish the new development concept and work collaboratively with determination to make more contributions to building the "never-ending" Canton Fair and promoting the high-quality development of foreign trade with a more enthusiastic and vigorous attitude, in accordance with the higher requirements for opening-up to the outside world.







- 1.During the preparatory work of the 132nd Canton Fair, a special session was organized by Wang Shouwen, the International Trade Negotiator (at the ministerial level) and Vice Minister of the Ministry of Commerce, and attended by Liu Chun, Vice President of CCCME, who gave a report on the work.
- 2. All the staff of Canton Fair was organized to attend the working meeting of the 132nd Canton Fair
- 3. Active review of exhibits to be displayed at the 132nd Canton Fair

#### The 5th China International Import Expo (CIIE)

As the exhibition partner of the 5<sup>th</sup> China International Import Expo (CIIE), CCCME assisted in inviting exhibitors, promoting the exhibition, inviting purchasers and providing professional services, etc. A total of 19 domestic and foreign leading enterprises in the industry were organized to participate in the expo, with an exhibition area of nearly 2,000 square meters, and more than 400 professional purchasers were invited with the help of CCCME. CCCME and the Zhuhai Municipal Bureau of Commerce jointly hosted the "International Cooperation Forum on Smart Manufacturing and Smart Logistics of Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area & Investment Promotion Meeting of Zhuhai" during the expo. Entrusted by the Department of Commerce of Shandong Province, CCCME also organized the "Forum on International Trade Facilitation Cooperation in the Yellow River Basin" and other events.

As one of the partner organizations of the Innovation Incubation Special Section, CCCME invited 30 overseas innovative SMEs from 24 countries to participate in the expo, which focused on excellent projects such as intelligent manufacturing and smart mobility. Moreover, CCCME and China International Import Expo Bureau co-hosted the "Innovation Cooperation Forum & Project Matching Roadshow in the Innovation Incubation Special Section for the 5<sup>th</sup> China International Import Expo" during the expo, fully demonstrating the role of CIIE as the investment promotion platform, helping to strengthen the cooperation and exchange between domestic and foreign science and innovation enterprises, incubators, financial institutions, governments, parks and other organizations, and promoting industrial innovation, development, transformation and upgrading.



China Construction Supply Chain Cooperation and Development Alliance Establishment Conference and Import Procurement Signing Ceremony attended online by Zhang Yujing, President of CCCME



A speech delivered at the "International Cooperation Forum on Intelligent Manufacturing and Smart Logistics of Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area & Investment Promotion Meeting of Zhuhai" by Zheng Chao, Executive Vice President of CCCME and Chairman of the Expert Committee



A speech delivered at the "Seminar on High-quality Development of Cross-border Investment" by Shi Yonghong, Vice President of CCCME



Liu Chun, Vice President of CCCME, visited Weldobot, Addmaster, Xometry and other exhibitors in the Innovation Incubation Special Section



Forum on International Trade Facilitation Cooperation in the Innovation Incubation Special Section of CIIE Yellow River Basin



#### 2nd China International Consumer Products Expo



The five-day Second China International Consumer Products Expo (hereinafter referred to as the CICPE), hosted by the Ministry of Commerce and the People's Government of Hainan Province, kicked off at the Hainan International Convention and Exhibition Center on July 26. This year, the total exhibition area of the Expo increased from last year's 80,000 square meters to 100,000 square meters, attracting more than 2,800 brands from home and abroad. Liang Zhenying, Vice Chairman of the CPPCC, delivered a keynote speech at the opening ceremony.

As an official partner of the expo, CCCME, by virtue of its wide international cooperation channels and strong comprehensive strength, comprehensively and deeply participated in the initial planning, exhibition and investment promotion, overseas promotion, online matching session, on-site reception services and other tasks of the CICPE. CCCME successfully promoted and facilitated a number of international brands such as DELL, OSIM, ASD and IAM to participate in the exhibition and debut many new products, which were covered by many mainstream media outlets such as CCTV-13, CCTV-4, People's Daily, Hainan Daily and SSTV.

#### 2021 Zhejiang Yiwu International Intelligent Manufacturing Equipment Expo

The 2021 Zhejiang Yiwu International Intelligent Manufacturing Equipment Expo (hereinafter referred to as "the Expo") was successfully held online from March 15 to 17, attracting 420,000 page views. Nearly 800 enterprises from more than 10 countries and regions such as Germany, the United States, Japan and more than 20 provinces and cities such as Shandong, Fujian, Liaoning and Anhui, along with more than 2,300 products, participated online.

Zhejiang's first product area, digital economy and future factory area, and UN procurement exhibition area were specially set up. There were also five professional exhibition areas, i.e., plastic packaging industry, smart warehousing and logistics, CNC and metal processing, numerical code direct injection and personalized customization, and knitting and sewing equipment and technology. Through online exhibition, online negotiation, live broadcast, online meeting, online interview, online procurement and other online service scenarios, it allowed visitors to realize "one-key interaction" and "one-screen browsing" and centrally displayed the cutting-edge technology and product application in the field of equipment at home and abroad, making new contributions to the high-quality development of Zhejiang Province.

The Forum on the High-quality Development of Zhejiang's Manufacturing Industry (offline + online) and the 2022 (Yiwu) UN Procurement Introduction Seminar were also held during the expo. Government officials, experts and scholars, Fortune Global 500 executives and other guests were invited to attend and discuss cooperation opportunities around the high-quality development of manufacturing industry by green and low-carbon technologies and the new industrial model in the era of the metaverse.









#### **Undertaking Key Exhibitions and Forums**

In addition, CCCME also played a role in other exhibitions such as 2022 Zhejiang Pumps & Electrical Machinery Exhibition, China Hi-Tech Fair 2022, 15<sup>th</sup> China (Shengzhou) Motor • Kitchen Ware Exhibition, China (Yuhuan) International Machine Tool Exhibition and 2022 Taiwan Famous Fair (Dongguan), organized the online procurement matchmaking meeting (Wuyi) for the export of mechanical and electrical products to Indonesia, and undertook the construction and maintenance of the construction platform of Cixi home appliance export co-construction base.

In 2022, CCCME held six sessions of Shunde UN Procurement Bidding Capacity Building Seminar, and participated in organizing events such as the 2022 UN International Procurement Conference, the 2022 China International Public Procurement Forum and the 2022 UN China Sustainable Procurement Workshop.



2022 UN International Procurement Conference held in August 2022



2022 Global Ecological Sustainable Development Summit held in September



2022 China International Public Procurement Forum held in November



24th China Hi-Tech Fair held in November 2022



 $15^{\mbox{\scriptsize th}}$  China (Shengzhou) Motor • Kitchen Ware Exhibition held in November 2022



19<sup>th</sup> China (Yuhuan) International Machine Tool Exhibition held in November 2022

#### International Exhibitions

At present, CCCME has formed two structures for international exhibitions. First, it has developed into one of the most powerful and influential organizers in China in the field of international professional exhibitions as an important trading and exhibition platform for key machinery and electric export products in 12 sectors including household appliances, consumer electronics, security, electric energy, auto parts, two-wheeled vehicles, engineering and agricultural machinery, mining machinery, hardware, and ships. Second, it has initially formed the brand exhibition layout of emerging markets mainly in Brazil and Argentina in South America, Indonesia and Philippines in Southeast Asia, Algeria in Africa, Russia and Uzbekistan through cooperation with local industry organizations and internationally renowned exhibition organizers to create self-organized exhibition platforms in emerging markets and key countries of the Belt and Road Initiative. It has become an important platform for promoting and displaying Chinese brand images in these countries and trading Chinese products. At the same time, it has made positive contributions to promoting bilateral economic and trade cooperation.

This year, as offline international exhibitions have been launched one after another, CCCME actively assisted enterprises in booking booths, transporting exhibits and applying for invitation letters, so that companies could participate in the exhibition through overseas offices, exhibition representative service or going abroad directly. In 2022, CCCME organized more than 100 companies to participate in more than 50 offline international professional exhibitions, including the EICMA, the China (Russia) Commodity Fair, the IFA, the Automechanika Frankfurt, the MCE2022, the Bauma 2022, the Middle East Energy, the Hong Kong Electrics Fair (Autumn Edition) and the IHF 2022, and the actual results were relatively good. In 2023, CCCME will continue to build an external publicity platform for enterprises through both traditional and innovative ways of exhibition participation, and work hard in the preparation and service of exhibitions and trade promotion activities.



The EICMA held in November 2022



The 47th Middle East Energy held in March 2022



The MCE2022 held in June 2022



The IFA held in September 2022

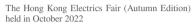


The Automechanika Frankfurt held in September 2022



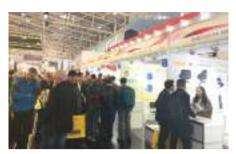
The IHF 2022 held in September 2022







The China (Russia) Commodity Fair (CCF) held in October The Bauma 2022 held in October 2022



#### Online Exhibition and Online Matching Session

In order to help companies overcome offline communication obstacles caused by the COVID-19 epidemic, CCCME has joined forces with local business departments to organize companies to participate in online trade fairs. It has accurately provided business matching service for nearly 1,000 companies with more than 1,500 international professional customers from nearly 30 countries and regions in Asia, South America, the Commonwealth of Independent States, Europe and Africa. It successfully held more than 5,500 online "one-to-one" matching sessions in many fields such as building materials, household appliances, electronics, refrigeration, tools, auto parts, electric energy, maritime, two-wheeled vehicles, machine tools, agricultural machinery, construction machinery and mining machinery. In this way, it helps companies to explore international markets, expand new customers and increase orders.



The Jiangsu Export Online Fair 2022 (Auto Parts & HVAC Section) held in June



China Machinery and Electric Products Export Online Fair (Household Appliance & Electronics Europe Session) held in August 2022



Jingchu Online Exhibition Matchmaking-Auto Parts & Home Appliances in September 2022



Online Purchasing Meeting for China's Machinery and Electric Products (Special Session for RCEP Buyers) November 2022

#### **Information Services**

CCCMC is committed to providing prompt information services for enterprises. In 2022, CCCME continued to promote the construction of an information service system. The updated official website places extra emphasis on information services and the information service functions of WeChat have also been fully harnessed, such as WeChat official account, WeChat mini APPs, WeChat Channels and WeCom, in a bid to provide our members with more convenient and accurate comprehensive information on foreign trade in the mechanical and electronic industry.

#### Information Service

- ◆ Foreign trade information: CCCME selected and edited the latest developments of foreign trade from authoritative sources and made them into special issues, including foreign exchange risks, cargo insurance, customs reminders, policy highlights, overseas markets, trade remedies, etc. In 2022, 103 issues were released.
- ◆ Trade news: CCCME selected foreign trade information and edited import and export data, comprehensive analysis reports, in-depth analysis articles, etc. In 2022, 2845 pieces of news were released.
- ◆ Industrials news: CCCME selected information by industry segments and edited statistical data, analysis articles, and research reports for each industry. In 2022, 1,730 pieces of news were published.
- ◆ Business opportunities: CCCME provided precise business opportunity information audited for member companies or distributed them by region (such as Eurasian business opportunities, RCEP business opportunities, etc.).
- ◆ Highlights of members: CCCME customized promotional programs for member companies according to their actual needs and published them in multiple channels such as the CCCME's website, official WeChat account, and WeChat Channel.
- ◆ CCCME activities: CCCME summarized its activities carried out throughout the year that promoted the development of the industry and enterprises and published 1-2 issues per month.

In addition, CCCME released announcements of personnel recruitment and significant events for core member companies according to the actual situation.



#### Digital Service Platform

CCCME's official WeChat account: CCCME uses its official WeChat account to release valuable information such as national foreign trade and economic policies, foreign trade trends, service cases, CCCME activities, and industry news and alerts. In 2022, 602 articles were pushed in a total of 290 updates on WeChat, and the number of followers reached nearly 30,000, increased by 30.1% compared with 2021.







CCCME Economic and Trade Info: it provides accurate information for the enterprises engaged in foreign trade and specific industries in China promptly. Initially created in November 2022, it is updated every working day to assist government decision-making at all levels and business operations.







CCCME video channel: high-quality videos of CCCME and enterprises were posted. In 2022, 18 episodes were posted, with 28,000 views.

**WeChat groups:** CCCME has started to operate WeChat groups since 2021, including member enterprise groups and non-member enterprise groups, and posts high-quality information in the groups every working day. CCCME actively answered questions and provided foreign trade ecological resources for enterprises in the groups, making the groups active. In 2022, there were 172 WeChat groups, including 86 new ones, with a total number of over 6,700 members.



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**CCCME Lecture Hall:** video highlights released by the departments of CCCME on foreign trade, foreign economic relations and foreign capital are available for the member enterprises (some are free for the public).

In 2022, CCCME lecture hall posted 63 new videos, reaching to 109 videos, including live and recorded videos. The platform has over 30,000 users and got views of 144,000.

# **Pluralistic Services**

In 2021, CCCME addressed the concerns of the government and industry by integrating resources of all sides. It completed the examination and approval of import interest subsidies satisfactorily, continued to carry out the evaluation of the credit rating of companies, provided reliable service of technical standards, actively explored to integrate the advantageous resources of all parties to better enable enterprises to "go global" and helped cultivate new advantages in foreign trade competition.

#### **Technical Services**

In 2022, CCCME Technical Service Center cooperated with the WTO Affairs of the Ministry of Commerce to cope with WTO/ TBT-related work and provided problem-oriented solution to the compliance problems facing enterprises caused by foreign trade measures. CCCME updated the Technical Guide for Export Commodities - CNC Machine Tools, and successfully applied for updating the guides of both small and medium-sized electrical machinery and small diesel and gasoline engines (2023), achieving remarkable success. By the end of November, CCCME had edited and issued 227 WTO/TBT notifications. In terms of the automotive industry, CCCME released 11 issues of TBT warnings in 2022 and organized industrial experts to conduct research and make comments. In response to TBT, CCCME cooperated with the WTO Affairs, the Research Center of GACC for International Inspection and Quarantine Standards and Technical Regulations, and local commercial agencies and made comments and suggestions on the Technical Regulation for Saudi Arabia RoHS during the 85th regular session of TBT; and on South Korean low-carbon certification measures for PV modules and Indian PV products ALMM list respectively in the 87th and 88th sessions. On September 7, CCCME submitted the comments of house appliance enterprises on the new Indonesian SNI certification to the WTO Affairs. Through positive and effective response of the Ministry of Commerce and our delegation in Geneva, the Indonesian authorities relaxed the rules of SNI certification and agreed our proposal that our manufacturers can submit applications through third parties, solving the problem that has plagued enterprises since the implementation of the new rules. At the same time, Indonesia's certification personnel would come to China for factory inspection, which greatly facilitated the enterprises that had to wait for more than six months for inspection. Enterprises' difficulties were resolved. Verifying the customs import and export data with the WTO Affairs showed that our efforts benefited more than \$200 million of the exports and greatly facilitated enterprises. On November 30, the Technical Service Center participated in the technical consultation meeting of the third session of China and Eurasian Union Commission, and regarding the regulation of Eurasian Economic Union for the installation of emergency call system in vehicles, it proposed on behalf of our enterprises to postpone its implementation and made comments on the trade facilitation.

#### **Enterprise Credit Rating**

Since 2007, CCCME has continued to carry out the evaluation of the credit rating of companies of machinery and electric foreign trade. By the end of 2022, more than 1,300 enterprises had obtained different grades of credit ratings. The rating results have been widely recognized by the industry, and have become an important basis for foreign project owners to measure the level of Chinese enterprises' credit and product quality and for buyers to find partners, forming high degrees of authority and credibility. In 2022, 20 enterprises participated in the annual credit rating evaluation activities, and 85 enterprises participated in the credit rating review.

#### Construction of Transforming and Upgrading Foreign Trade Centers

In 2022, led by the competent department, CCCME set up an expert evaluation group composed of trade associations, scientific research institutes and professional organizations. It completed the examination and review of the materials for 62 national foreign trade transforming and upgrading centers smoothly. Besides that, it contributed to guiding local authorities to cultivate advantageous industries and helping enterprises to foster new advantages in foreign trade competition.

#### **Import Interest Subsidy**

In line with the national import promotion strategy, CCCME has undertaken the work of import interest subsidy project audit commissioned by Ministry of Commerce and the Ministry of Finance for 15 consecutive years. CCCME set up a professional audit team to standardize the audit process, and completed the 2022 audit task with good results.

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#### Foreign Aid

The feasibility study of foreign aid projects in goods and materials is an important starting point for CCCME to give play to the advantages of the industry and to serve domestic and foreign trade. In 2022, CCCME actively undertook foreign aid tasks, covering a wide range of product categories such as photovoltaics, smart city, security and protection monitoring, vehicles, medical equipment and safety inspection. Taking foreign aid projects in goods and materials as the driver, CCCME continuously promoted the "going global" move of Chinese manufacturing industry.

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#### Jointly-built Export Bases

Since 2006, to better support the development of local export-oriented economy, CCCME and 22 local governments have jointly established 26 machinery and electric product export bases with distinctive industrial characteristics, representative enterprises, and regional industrial clusters incorporating upstream and downstream supply chains. The export base covers many key machinery and electric products such as motors, pumps, household appliances, hardware, automobile and motorcycle parts, petroleum equipment and bearings. CCCME continuously strengthened liaison with local government authorities and affiliated enterprises, formulated development plans in conjunction with the preponderant industries of the bases, organized base seminars, built foreign trade service platforms, expanded service content in exhibitions, laws, information and training, and gave full play to the base's promoting function of and radiating effects on the local economy.

#### **Internal Construction**

#### **Cultural Construction**

CCCME organized autumn excursions for employees and sent support to party members and employees who were in need, which improved their self-confidence and happiness in working at CCCME. CCCME Women's Work Committee, always committed to serving the CCCME's undertakings and women workers, launched a series of colorful and educational activities such as handicraft making, yoga and fitness, meetings of exchange and discussion that are favored by women workers, which promoted their mutual understanding and communication, improved their comprehensive quality, and enhanced their sense of mission and responsibility. All of these made everyone strive to serve as an example and greatly aroused their enthusiasm for making communications in their posts in the new era.



CCCME organized employees to go to scenic sports for autumn excursions



CCCME organized a handmaking activity on Women's Day

#### Social Responsibility

CCCME actively carries out various social welfare and donation activities. Since December 2019, as one of the sponsors, CCCME has established a "Special Fund for Cultural Education and Public Welfare", which is used for special cultural and educational work for poverty alleviation in poverty-stricken areas and to help rural revitalization. In 2022, CCCME donated 100,000 yuan and the donation reached 650,000 yuan in total. In accordance with the requirements of the Ministry of Civil Affairs, CCCME reduced membership fees by 9 million yuan for member enterprises throughout the year.

#### **Chronicle of Events**

#### **January**

January 11: CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee held online training on the carbon barrier challenges and their countermeasures in international trade.

January 24: CCCME attended the China-Uzbekistan Business Forum online.

January 27: CCCME attended the enlarged meeting of members of Ukraine Chinese Chamber of Commerce online and made a speech.

#### February

February 11: CCCME held an online interpretation meeting about the issue that the US included 33 Chinese entities in the Unverified List.

February 23: CCCME paid an official visit to Song Hailiang, secretary of the CPC Committee and chairman of CEEC.

February 23: The new energy work group of the CCCME Green and Low-Carbon International Cooperation Committee was set up at a meeting.

February 24: CCCME signed a cooperation memorandum with the Federation of Israeli Chambers of Commerce (FICC)

#### March

March 15: Online Forum on Zhejiang Yiwu International Intelligent Manufacturing Equipment Expo was held successfully

March 23: CCCME visited Wuhan FiberHome International Technologies Co., Ltd. for holding a special training session and conducting in-depth business exchanges with the leaders of the company.

March 25: CCCME attended the China-Uzbekistan Investment Cooperation Forum and delivered a speech.

#### April

April 12: CCCME and LONGi Green Energy Technology Co., Ltd. jointly held the Hydrogen Energy Cooperation Seminar and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of Green & Low Carbon Innovation Dialogue.

April 22: CCCME signed a cooperation memorandum with the China Center for International Economic Exchanges.

April 22: CCCME and Tunisia Foreign Investment Promotion Agency jointly sponsored the China-Tunisia Green Development Forum.

April 28: CCCME and the Joint Conference of Overseas Chinese Enterprises Chamber of Commerce (Association) jointly held the 19th Session of "CCCME Expert Committee Lecture" and the Training Session of "CCCME Service Station: the 8th Empowering Training Session---Practical Tactics for Outbound Investment Cooperation in the Post-Covid Era"

May 11: CCCME and the Department of Commerce of Hunan Province signed a strategic cooperation agreement online.

#### May

May 18: CCCME and Chinese Businessmen Association in Cambodia jointly organized 2022 China-Cambodia Fair for Trade & Investment.

May 19: CCCME and the Department of Commerce of Zhejiang Province renewed the Cooperation Mechanism Agreement on Responding to the Trade Friction in Machinery and Electric Products.

May 31: The interpretation meeting for the market opportunities and innovation trend in the US was held.

#### June

June 15: CCCME and Green Development League of National Economic & Technological Development Zones signed a cooperation memorandum and jointly held the Online Seminar on the Life-cycle Green and Low Carbon Development of Export Products in Foreign Trade.

June 21: CCCME attended the BRI Fair for Investment and Trade online and delivered a speech featuring the theme of promoting work related to China-Russia Machinery and Electric Industry Park.

June 22: CCCME signed a strategic cooperation agreement with University of Science and Technology Beijing.

June 29—July 6: The Expert Committee of CCCME paid an official visit to Sun Haiyan, Chinese ambassador to Singapore, and Zhong Manying, Minister-Counselor of Economy and Commerce of the Chinese Embassy in Singapore, and signed a letter of intent for strategic cooperation with the Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce

#### July

July 13: CCCME signed a strategic cooperation agreement with E-RICH INTERNATIONAL CO., LIMITED.

July 20: CCCME and the Uzbekistani Embassy in China and government of QASHQADARYO jointly held the QASHQADARYO Cooperation Project Matchmaking and Promotion Conference

July 27: Senior Consultant of CCCME Expert Committee Chen Jian attended the Guizhou Open Economy Symposium held by the Department of Commerce of Guizhou and offered guidance on work during his inspection of Guizhou Province.

#### August

August 9-12: CCCME organized the China-Turkey Priority Project Online Matchmaking Meeting.

August 10: CCCME attended China-Russia (Lipetskaya oblast) Industry Chain Cooperation Promotion and Matchmaking Conference and delivered a speech.

August 23: Jiang Zengwei, director-general of the Global Alliance for Trade in Services, visited CCCME for investigation and guidance, and signed a memorandum of understanding.

August 26: CCCME paid a visit to Yu Xubo, chairman and secretary of the leading Party members group of GENERTEC.

# September

September 4: CCCME held 2022 Global Ecological Sustainable Development Summit Forum at CNCC, the main venue of China International Fair for Trade in Services.

September 9: CCCME attended the Global Investment Promotion Conference of the Sino-Indonesia Double Park Project and delivered a speech.

September 28: CCCME participated in the Promotion of Global Trade of New Energy Products (Germany Session) and Global Cooperation Partners Concluding Deals Online at the 132<sup>nd</sup> China Import and Export Fair, and delivered a speech.

#### October

October 11: Mamajanov, Commercial Counselor in China of Uzbekistan, visited CCCME.

October 12: CCCME held the interpretation meeting about the law on forced labor in the EU.

October 17: CCCME held the work meeting on responding to India's anti-dumping investigation into the import of toughened glass for household appliances made in China (Virtual).

October 12: CCCME visited China Non-ferrous Metal Industry's Foreign Engineering and Construction Co., Ltd. (NFC) for working exchanges.

#### November

November 6-8: CCCME held the International Cooperation Forum on Intelligent Manufacturing and Smart Logistics & Investment Promotion Meeting of Zhuhai, and the Incubation Zone Innovation Cooperation Forum and Project Matchmaking Roadshow of the 5th CIIE during the period of CIIE.

November 8: CCCME held China-Russia (Moscow) Business Forum (Online).

November 18: The Expert Committee of CCCME held the work meeting for the year of 2022 in Beijing.

#### December

December 6: CCCME held the launching ceremony for Clean Energy for Earth and the Clean Energy Development Forum.

December 6: CCCME signed a strategic cooperation framework agreement with the Thailand-China Business Council in Bangkok, Thailand.

December 6: CCCME held the 2022 Exchange Meeting for Analyzing and Concluding the Situation for Economic and Trade Cooperation Between China and Eurasian countries.



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