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Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality of the Netherlands, Ministry of Agriculture of the Netherlands



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Kajsa Ollongren

Minister of Defence, Ministry of Defence of the Netherlands

1992 Various positions at the Ministry of Economic Affairs 2001 Director of the European Integration and Strategy Department at the Ministry of Economic Affairs 2005 Deputy Director-General for Economic Policy at the Ministry of Economic Affairs 2007 Deputy Secretary-General at the Ministry of General Affairs 2011 Secretary-General at the Ministry of General Affairs 2014 Deputy mayor of Amsterdam and member of the municipal executive for D66 with responsibility for economic affairs, Schiphol airport, the Port of Amsterdam, historic buildings and monuments, culture and the arts, local media, municipal shareholdings and the city centre 26 October 2017 – 10 January 2022 Minister of the Interior and Kingdom Relations in the third Rutte government 10 January 2022 Appointed Minister of Defence in the fourth Rutte government



Vivianne Heijnen

Minister for the Environment, Ministry of Infrastructure and Water Management of the Netherlands

Vivianne Heijnen is the Minister of the Environment of the Netherlands. Her portfolio includes the transition to a circular economy and other environmental issues such as hazardous substances, biocides and crop protection outside agriculture, air quality, traffic emissions and fuels. In addition, she's also responsible for public transportation and bicycle policy, and sustainable transportation. Prior to her role in Cabinet-Rutte IV, she was Alderman for economy, housing, (EU) regionalization and social innovation in the municipality of Maastricht



Karien van Gennip

Minister of Social Affairs and Employment, Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment of the Netherlands

Karien van Gennip has been the Minister of Social Affairs and Employment of the Netherlands since January 2022. Until her appointment as Minister she was CEO of Coöperatie VGZ. With over 4 million policyholders, VGZ is one of the largest health insurance companies in the Netherlands. In this role Karien combines her passion for addressing challenges in society, with leading large transformations, build on a strong belief in 'people first', customer engagement, sustainability and digitization. Karien was a member of the Board of Directors of INSEAD from 2019 to 2022, one of the world's leading graduate business schools. From 2020 to 2022, she was a Board member of the OranjeFonds, a Dutch charitable fund with a focus on social participation. Until March 2021 Karien was Co-President of Financi'Elles, the leading federation of networks promoting gender diversity in banking, financial and insurance in France. Previously, Karien worked for ING, where she served as CEO of ING Bank France from 2015 to 2020. ING in France is both a leader in online banking and among the top 5 international players in wholesale banking. Karien joined ING Group in the Netherlands in 2008 as Director of Group Public & Government Affairs, and was appointed Director of Private Banking & Investments in September 2010. From 2003 to 2007, Karien served as State Secretary of Economic Affairs / Minister for Foreign Trade in the Dutch government with responsibilities for bilateral and multilateral Foreign Trade, entrepreneurship, regional policy, investment climate and consumer policy. She also served as a member of the Lower House of the Dutch Parliament 2006-2008. Karien began her career in 1984 as a management consultant for McKinsey&Company in Amsterdam, and later in San Francisco. In 2002, she continued her career with the Dutch Authority for Financial Markets (AFM). She also served as a Board member and vice chairman of the International Chamber of Commerce until 2019. In 2017 she was a member of the steering committee of the Institut Montaigne publication 'L'Europe dont nous avons besoin'. Before 2015, Karien was a member of several Supervisory Boards in the Netherlands (eg. SOS Children's Villages the Netherlands, Cordaid and Deltares). Karien is married with four daughters. She holds a Master degree from Delft University of Technology and an MBA from Insead (1996, Dean's List). In 2008, Karien was elected Young Global Leader by the World Economic Forum. In her spare time, Karien enjoys running, dinners with friends, and being a field hockey coach.



Wopke Hoekstra

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands

Legal studies; 2006, MBA. Held commercial positions at Shell, Berlin, Hamburg and Rotterdam. 2006, began working for consultancy firm McKinsey & Company. From 2011, Member of the Senate of the States General; Deputy Leader of the Christian Democratic Alliance (CDA) in the Senate and Member of the Senate committees for Finance, Security and Justice, Social Affairs and Employment, and Foreign Affairs, Defence and Development Cooperation. Since October 2017, Minister of Finance. Former: Chair of The Supervisory Board, National Maritime Museum; Member of the Board, Friends of the Hubrecht Institute; Ambassador, Princess Máxima Center for Pediatric Oncology.