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Overview of China's Statistical Legal System

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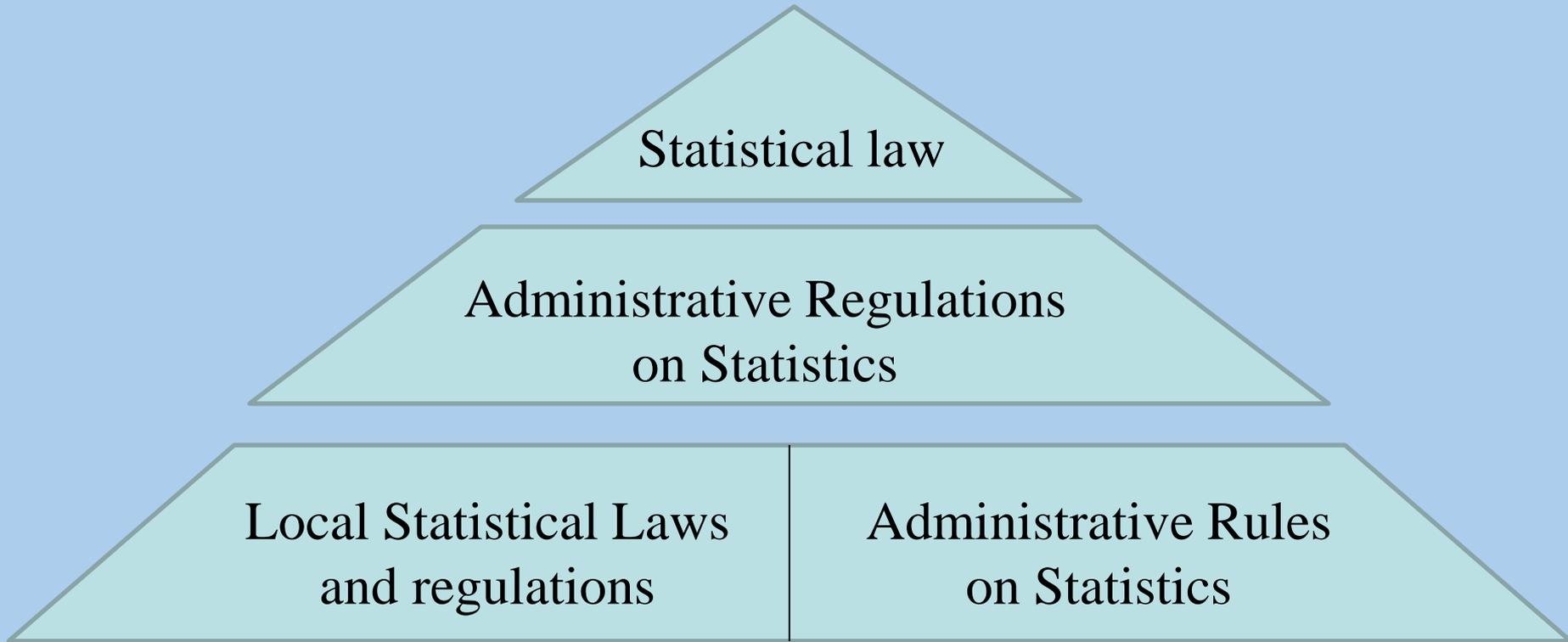
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1. The Framework of China's Statistical Legislation



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Statistical law

Statistics Law of the People's Republic of China

---formulated by Standing Committee of the National People's Congress



Statistics Law of the People's Republic of China

- ✓ Adopted on December 8, 1983
- ✓ Amended on May 15, 1996
- ✓ revised on June 27, 2009



Administrative Regulations on Statistics

These include Regulation on the Implementation of the Statistics Law of the People's Republic of China, Regulations on National Agricultural Census, Regulations on National Population Census, etc

---formulated by The State Council



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Local Statistical Laws and regulations

Up to now, local statistical laws and regulations have been promulgated by all 31 provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities directly under the Central Government.



Administrative Rules on Statistics

- ✓ Statistical rules formulated by the National Bureau of Statistics and departments under the State Council.
- ✓ Government rules and regulations worked out by local governments with legislative power.



2. Legislative Intention of Statistical Legislation

- ✓ Organize statistical work in a scientific and effective manner.



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- ✓ Ensure truthfulness, accuracy, completeness and timeliness of statistical data.



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- ✓ Give full play to the important role of statistics in comprehending the actual conditions and strength of the country as well as serving economic and social development, and promote the progress of the socialist modernization.



3. Scope of application of Statistical Laws and Regulations

- ✓ Statistical Laws and Regulations shall be applicable to statistical activities organized and implemented by the governments at all levels, the statistics institutions of the local governments at or above the county level, and the related departments.



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4.Fundamental Principles of Statistical Laws and Regulations

