

2. Local Party Organisation:

The Chinese Communist Party is organised in a pyramidal way which is headed by the Central Institution and below, on the geographical and industrial basis, it is spread in the Provinces, Prefectures', Counties and Districts in primary party organs organised in the communes, factories, offices, schools and People's Liberation units.

According to Article 24 of the Party Constitution of 1982, the meeting of the Party Congress of the province, autonomous zones and the municipal committees under the Centre, will be held after every five years and the meetings of the People's Congress of the County, Autonomous County and Municipal Committee will meet after every three years. The Party Committees will frame the election procedure and will fix the number of members of the local Congresses.

3. Primary Party Organisation:

The Primary Party units are the basis of the Chinese Communist Party. According to Article 29 of the Party Constitution of 1982, these are organised in every factory, mine, commune, office, shop, educational institution, local body, units of the People's Liberation Army etc. The Primary Party Organisation at a place is organised on the basis of the necessity of a particular nature. The meeting of the Primary Party Organisation is called once or twice a year based upon its size.

Some main responsibilities of these organizations are as follows:

- a. To propagate and implement the ideology, policies and decisions of the Central Committee and other higher organs,
- b. To organize the members for conscientiously studying the Marxism-Leninism and Maoism.
- c. To educate and inspect the party members,
- d. To maintain close contact with the people and to provide opportunities to the people and the members to initiate work.
- e. To recruit new members and to collect membership fee and
- f. To encourage criticism and self-criticism, to expose the faults and to correct them.