

# Kuwait – Government list, Ruling family and other notables

## Ruling Family

Emir Sheikh Sabah Al-Ahmed Al-Jaber Al-Sabah

Crown Prince Sheikh Nawaf Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah (former interior minister)

## Cabinet

Prime Minister – Sheikh Nasser Al-Mohammad Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah

First Deputy Prime Minister and Defence Minister – Sheikh Jaber Al-Mubarak Al-Hamed Al-Sabah.

Deputy Prime Minister, Foreign Minister – Sheikh Mohammed Sabah Al-Salem Al-Sabah

Deputy Prime Minister for Economic Affairs (also State Minister for Housing and Administrative Development) – Sheikh Ahmed Al-Fahd Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah (Appointed May 2009 – previously National Security Council head)

Deputy Prime Minister for Legal Affairs, Islamic Affairs and Awqaf Minister and, Justice Minister – Rashed Abdul Mohsen Al-Hammad (appointed May 2009)

Interior Minister – Sheikh Jaber Khaled Jaber Al-Sabah

Finance Minister – Mustafa Jassem Al-Shimali

Oil Minister – Sheikh Ahmed Abdullah Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah (appointed February 2009; former health minister who resigned in March 2007 – also appointed Information Minister May 2009)

Commerce and Industry Minister – Ahmad Rashed Al-Haroun (appointed May 2009)

Information Minister – Sheikh Ahmed Abdullah Al-Sabah (appointed May 2009 – also Oil Minister)

Public Works Minister and State Minister for Municipalities – Fadhel Safar Ali Safar (appointed May 2008)

Communications Minister – Mohammed Mohsen Al-Busairi (appointed May 2009 – also State Minister for National Assembly Affairs)

Electricity and Water Minister – Bader Shebib Al-Shuraian (appointed May 2009)

Health Minister – Hilal Musaed Al-Sayer (appointed May 2009)

Education and Higher Education Minister – Moudhi Abdul Aziz Al-Humoud (appointed May 2009 – previously housing minister and minister of state for development affairs)

Social Affairs and Labour Minister – Mohammad Mohsen Al-Ifasi (appointed May 2009)

## State Ministers

State Minister for National Assembly Affairs – Mohammed Mohsen Al-Busairi (appointed May 2009 – also Communications Minister)

State Minister for Cabinet Affairs – Roudhan Abdul Aziz Al-Roudhan (appointed May 2009 – MP)

State Minister for Municipalities – Fadhel Safar Ali Safar (also Public Works Minister)

State Minister for Housing and Administrative Development – Sheikh Ahmed Al-Fahd Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah (also Deputy Prime Minister for Economic Affairs)

## Emiri Diwan

Minister of Emiri Diwan Affairs – Sheikh Nasser Al-Sabah Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah

Deputy Minister of Emiri Diwan Affairs – Sheikh Ali Al-Jarrah Al-Sabah (former oil minister)

Undersecretary – Ibrahim Mohammed Al-Shatti

Emir's Office director – Sheikh Ahmed Fahd Sulaiman Al-Fahd

Emiri Diwan adviser – Sheikh Fahd Saad Al-Abdullah Al-Salem Al-Sabah

Emiri Diwan adviser – Sheikh Mohammed Khalid Al-Hamed Al-Sabah

Emiri Diwan adviser – Youssef Hamed Ibrahim

Emiri Diwan adviser – Mohammed Dhaifalla Sharar (a former Cabinet affairs minister)

Emiri Diwan adviser – Dr Adel Al-Tabtabae (former education minister)

Emiri Diwan adviser – Khaled Yousef Al-Fellej

Emiri Diwan adviser – Mohammed Abdullah Abo Al-Hassan

## Prime Minister's Diwan

Undersecretary – Sheikhha Itimad Khalid Al-Ahmed Al-Jaber Al-Sabah

Adviser – Dr. Ismaeel Khudhr Al-Shatti (former Cabinet affairs minister)

Adviser – Sheikh Dr. Salem Jaber Al-Ahmad Al-Sabah

Adviser – Faisal Mohammed Al-Hajji Bukhadhour

## Other notables

National Assembly Speaker – Jassem Al-Khorafi

Central Bank Governor – Sheikh Salem Abdulaziz Al-Sabah

National Guards Head – Sheikh Salem Al-Ali Al-Salem Al-Sabah

National Guards Deputy Head – Sheikh Mishaal Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah

Kuwait Petroleum Corporation Chief Executive – Saad Ali Al-Shuwaib

