

Ri Myong-su

Current positions:

General, Korean People's Army Director, Administration Bureau, National Defense Commission Councilor (and possibly candidate member), National Defense Commission

Born: 1938

Education:

Kim Il-sung Military Academy

Positions held:

1980: (November) President, Museum of the Victorious Revolution

1992: (April) Promoted, Lieutenant General, KPA

1993: (December) Chief of Staff, 3rd Army Corps, KPA

General Ri was directly subordinate to the commanding officer of the 3rd Army Corps, Jang Song-u. The Pyongyang Defense Command (responsible for the security of Pyongyang and surrounding environs) is a unit of the 3rd Army Corps.

1995: Promoted, Colonel-General, KPA

1996: (November) Director, Operations Bureau, General Staff, KPA

General Ri began joining Kim Jong-il's guidance tours in late 1996 appeared in Kim Jongil's entourage at the 65th KPA anniversary parade in April, 1997.

1998: (July) Delegate (deputy), 10th SPA

2000: (October) Promoted, General, KPA

2007: (circa) appointed, Councilor, National Defense Commission Director, Administration Bureau, NDC