

## Curriculum vitae of Birgit Honé

### Minister for European and Federal Affairs and regional state development



#### Career history

- **Since 2018 (April)** Member of the European Committee of the Regions
- **Since 2017 (November)** Minister for European and Federal Affairs and regional state development
- **Since 2017 (August)** Delegate to the Federation of the Land of Lower Saxony
- **2013 - 2017** Member of the European Committee of the Regions
- **2013 - 2017** Permanent Secretary at Lower Saxony State Chancellery, responsible for Europe and regional state development, Member of the European Committee of the Regions
- **2004 - 2013** Senate Member at Lower Saxony Audit Office, until 2010 responsible for the Ministry of the Interior, Ministry of the Environment, Ministry of Agriculture and Internal Security. After 2011 responsible for the Ministry of the Interior, Ministry of Social Affairs and Internal Security
- **2002 - 2003** Chief Administrative Officer in Lüneburg
- **1999 - 2002** Head of Department at Lower Saxony State Chancellery, initially Dept. 2 (Legal Affairs, Administration, HR Management), then Dept. 1 (Policy Directives, Division Coordination)
- **1994 - 1999** Head of SPD Party Group in the Parliament of Lower Saxony
- **1992 - 1994** Head of the office of the Minister of Social Affairs
- **1990 - 1992** Adviser of the SPD Party Group in the Parliament of Lower Saxony, responsible for Social Affairs, Labour, Housing and Equal Rights

#### Non-Executive Directorships

- **Since 2018** Landesnahverkehrsgesellschaft Niedersachsen mbH (LNVG) (*state public transport corporation of Lower Saxony*)
- **Since 2015 (December)** Niedersächsische Landesgesellschaft mbH (NLG) (*Non-profit rural development organisation for Lower Saxony*)
- **2014 - 2017** Investitions- und Förderbank Niedersachsens GmbH – Nbank (*Investment and business development bank of Lower Saxony*)



- **Until 2003** Entwicklungsgesellschaft Jade-Weser-Port (*JadeWeserPort Development Company*)
- **Until 2003** Seefischmarkt und Hafenumschlag Cuxhaven GmbH (*Sea fish market and port handling company*)
- **Until 2002** Niedersächsische Gesellschaft zur Endlagerung von Sonderabfällen (*Lower Saxony organisation for the final disposal of hazardous waste*)
- **Until 2002** Member of the Advisory Board of Lower Saxony Wadden Sea Foundation