**GOVERNMENT**

Chief of State
President Nikos ANASTASIADIS

Head of Government
President Nikos ANASTASIADIS

Government Type
presidential republic

Capital
Nicosia

Legislature
unicameral House of Representatives or Vouli Antiprosopon (80 seats; 56 assigned to Greek Cypriots, 24 to Turkish Cypriots, but only those assigned to Greek Cypriots are filled)

Judiciary
Supreme Court of Cyprus (consists of 13 judges, including the court president)

Ambassador to US
Ambassador Marios LYSIOTIS

US Ambassador
Ambassador Judith Gail GARBER

**ECONOMY**

Economic Overview
a market economy dominated by a services sector that accounts for more than four-fifths of GDP; tourism, finance, shipping, and real estate have traditionally been the most important services.

GDP (Purchasing Power Parity)
$31.78 billion (2017 est.)

GDP per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)
$37,200 (2017 est.)

Exports
$2.805 billion (2017 est.)
partners: Libya 9.4%, Greece 7.7%, Norway 6.7%, UK 5.3%, Germany 4.1% (2017)

Imports
$7.935 billion (2017 est.)
partners: Greece 19%, Italy 7.5%, China 7.4%, South Korea 7.3%, Germany 7%, Netherlands 5.1%, UK 5%, Israel 4.1% (2017)

**PEOPLE & SOCIETY**

Population
1.3 million (July 2020 est.)

Population Growth
1.15% (2020 est.)

Ethnicity
Greek 98.8%, other 1% (includes Maronite, Armenian, Turkish-Cypriot), unspecified 0.2% (2011 est.)

Language
Greek (official) 80.9%, Turkish (official) 0.2%, English 4.1%, Romanian 2.9%, Russian 2.5%, Bulgarian 2.2%, Arabic 1.2%, Filipino 1.1%, other 4.3%, unspecified 0.6% (2011 est.)

Religion
Orthodox Christian 89.1%, Roman Catholic 2.9%, Protestant/Anglican 2%, Muslim 1.8%, Buddhist 1%, other 1.4%, unknown 1.1%, none/atheist 0.6% (2011 est.)

Urbanization
urban population: 66.8% of total population (2020)
rate of urbanization: 0.75% annual rate of change (2015-20 est.)

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1 because of space limits, data represent only Cyprus, not Northern Cyprus
2 data represent only the Greek-Cypriot citizens in Cyprus
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as of August 2020