

Security Risk Assessment of National Police Cooperation from the Perspective of Global Security Governance

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Abstract: National police cooperation is a kind of police cooperation. In recent years, it has become the consensus of all countries in the world to strengthen cooperation and promote global security governance. With the development of globalization, security issues have already surpassed national boundaries, and the security shortcomings of any country will lead to a large influx of external risks, forming a security risk depression; The security problems of any country will spill over to a certain extent and become regional or even global security problems. This paper analyzes the security risk assessment of national police cooperation from the perspective of global security governance, and puts forward some countermeasures to strengthen national police cooperation from the perspective of global security governance. Focus on strengthening the establishment of national police cooperation security risk early warning mechanism, through strengthening the mechanism construction, realize the standardization and institutionalization of security risk information transmission, and provide a solid guarantee for the efficient and dynamic operation of information. Provide effective protection for safeguarding citizens' overseas interests and regional security and stability.

1. Introduction

In recent years, strengthening national police cooperation to jointly combat transnational crimes has attracted the attention and attention of all countries in the world, and strengthening cooperation to promote global security governance has become the consensus of all countries in the world. With the in-depth development of global security governance initiatives, China has increasingly close ties with countries along the route. Strengthening the research on national police cooperation is of great significance for preventing and combating transnational crimes and safeguarding the interests of overseas citizens[1]. The differences in political system, legal system and judicial system among countries in the world invisibly set obstacles for national police cooperation. In addition, the complicated and changeable international situation and unpredictable international relations bring many uncertainties to the national police cooperation. In order to effectively deal with this situation, countries have carried out closer national police cooperation[2-3]. National police cooperation is also an important work of China's public security departments, which urgently needs to be explored and studied from different perspectives. This paper analyzes the security risk assessment of national police cooperation from the perspective of global security governance, in order to provide effective protection for safeguarding citizens' overseas interests and regional security and stability.

2. Connotation of National Police Cooperation

National police cooperation is one of the police cooperation. According to the different angles adopted, scholars can divide the definition of national police cooperation into behavior category, ability category and mechanism category. In the national police cooperation, the capability and mechanism are the carriers rather than the main body of the national police cooperation, so it is difficult to effectively present the essential characteristics of the national police cooperation, and the definition of behavior class is more helpful for us to analyze the national police cooperation.

Therefore, this paper adopts the definition of behavior class and defines the national police cooperation as a law enforcement behavior in which police agencies in different countries provide mutual assistance and cooperation according to relevant legal documents, practices or the principle of reciprocity[4].

In a broad sense, “cooperation involving police departments can be regarded as national police cooperation.” Therefore, the national police cooperation in this paper includes international law enforcement cooperation and criminal justice cooperation. Under the global security governance initiative, the national police cooperation has been given a new connotation. Besides cross-border investigation and cooperation, information exchange, investigation and evidence collection, material evidence transfer and extradition, the cooperation also includes providing strong protection for the interests of overseas enterprises and overseas citizens. Identity in national police cooperation can also be understood from the perspectives of concept identity and identity identity, in which concept identity refers to the actor's recognition of a certain police cooperation document and concept, and identity identity refers to the actor's confirmation that the other party has identity with himself in police cooperation[5-6].

3. Security Risk Assessment of National Police Cooperation

Security is a very rich and complex topic, and it is difficult to define it strictly. This paper holds that the most basic feature of the concept of security is related to “threat” and “danger”, and its basic meaning is not to be threatened and to avoid danger. Due to the different geopolitical environment, historical experience and cultural tradition, social system, ideology, development aspirations and diplomatic philosophy, especially the different understanding and judgment of their own security environment, different security concepts have emerged.

The concept of security is a country's subjective understanding of the international and domestic security situation, which includes the judgment of the source, connotation, conditions and maintenance means of international and domestic security threats[7]. Considering the above definitions comprehensively, the security risk assessment in national police cooperation can be generally understood as multi-dimensional identification, comprehensive analysis, judgment and prediction of overseas security risk elements faced by China's overseas interests, so as to achieve the purpose of preventing and controlling various risk elements in advance through national police cooperation.

With the development of globalization, security issues have already surpassed national boundaries, and the security shortcomings of any country will lead to a large influx of external risks, forming a security risk depression; The security problems of any country will spill over to a certain extent and become regional or even global security problems. This kind of policing is obviously different from the public policing mode. They have different operating mechanisms, and they also need to follow clearly different laws, systems and policies. Its purpose is not only to protect public safety and interests, but also to carry out it from the height of national interests.

Risk assessment is to measure the impact of uncertainty on the goal of “safety”. Social security risk is the result of the comprehensive action of social economy and politics. A deep understanding of the soft elements of national social economy and politics is helpful to understand the characteristics of risks, thus helping security managers to formulate scientific management plans[8]. The first step of security risk assessment of national police cooperation needs to identify all kinds of potential security risk points in the process of police cooperation. It mainly follows the principle of finding the cause from the result, and gradually refines the causes of the security risk of national police cooperation from the whole to the part according to the branch shape, and then finds out the causal relationship between the security risk dependent variable and the risk point independent variable. The security risk assessment indicators of national police cooperation are shown in Figure 1.

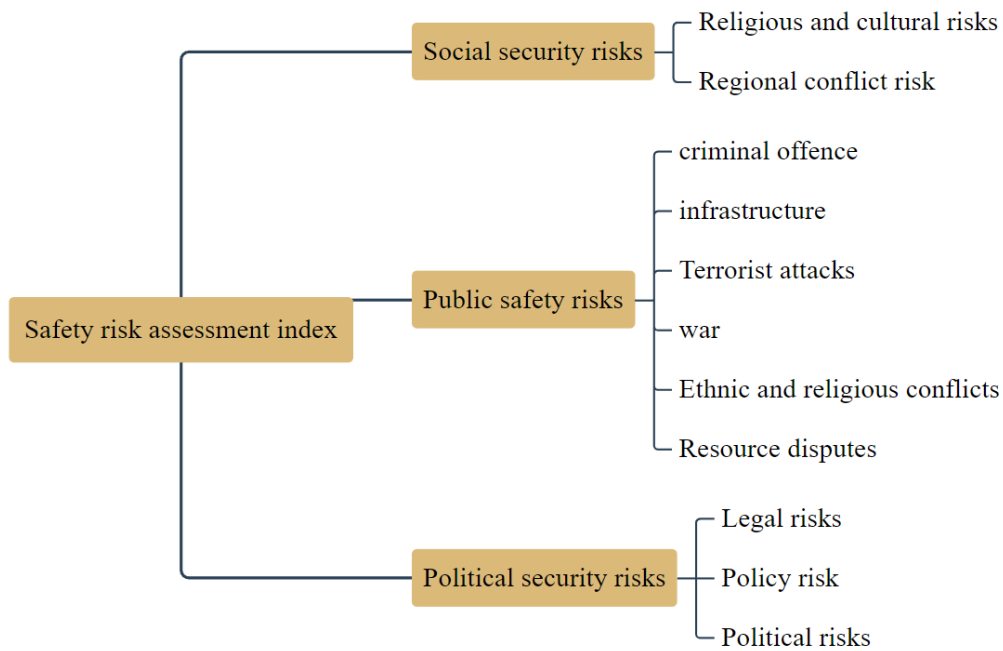


Fig.1 Security Risk Assessment Index of National Police Cooperation

From the perspective of governance subjects, cross-domain governance emphasizes the diversification of subjects. On the basis of equality, each governance subject realizes governance synergy by giving full play to its own advantages, and realizes effective collaborative governance of cross-domain affairs. What needs to be added is that in the process of security risk assessment of national police cooperation, in addition to focusing on the collection, collation and assessment of the above three aspects of security risk information, the economic situation, military situation, people's feelings and public opinion of the host country can also be investigated as necessary as an auxiliary reference for security risk assessment of national police cooperation.

4. Countermeasures to Strengthen National Police Cooperation from the Perspective of Global Security Governance

4.1 Innovate the National Police Cooperation Mechanism

At the domestic level, in order to cope with the limitations in the investigation of transnational cross-border cases, it is reported directly to the international cooperation department of the Ministry of Public Security through the international cooperation department of the public security organ at the same level (or a designated department), and the ministerial level is responsible for overall coordination, so as to reduce intermediate circulation links and improve the timeliness of handling[9]. At the international level, China should adhere to multilateral cooperation and bilateral cooperation and establish a more reasonable national police cooperation mechanism. Form a mature bilateral and multilateral cooperation mechanism, actively carry out business exchanges, law enforcement cooperation, safeguard overseas interests, and establish reliable contacts, so that overseas work can “find people, talk about them, and get things done”[10], and enhance the overall level of China's national police cooperation.

4.2 Strengthen Communication

The relationship foundation between countries is an important factor affecting the formation of mutual trust in police cooperation. The relationship foundation is often determined by specific historical factors. For countries with relatively weak relationship foundation, we should enhance mutual understanding and establish a benign relationship foundation by strengthening communication. In the process of cooperation, in order to improve the efficiency of case detection, it is often necessary to learn the laws and languages of each other's countries, which is conducive to establishing friendly partnerships and enhancing mutual trust.

In order to consider establishing a special normalized police communication mechanism to make communication more stable and efficient. We can try to establish a core dialogue mechanism, which includes many cooperative institutions at different levels and in different directions to maximize the effect of the communication mechanism; In addition to the communication mechanism between senior police officers in various countries responsible for specific cooperation matters, we can also consider building an exchange platform for grass-roots law enforcement officers in various countries. Relying on police schools in various countries, police forums are held regularly to select outstanding police officers to exchange experience in law enforcement cooperation, increase mutual understanding, and then cultivate a good relationship foundation.

4.3 Optimize the Global Layout of National Police Cooperation in China

The foundation and conditions of China's opening to the outside world have undergone fundamental changes, and the opening layout needs to be improved and even more innovative, as does the global layout of national police cooperation. In the long run, with the development of China and the enhancement of its own strength, China should no longer be confined to participating in various national police cooperation organizations and concluding cooperation agreements or treaties, but should play a leading role, and dare to be the first at critical moments, dare to put forward new ideas and create new mechanisms.

In the short term, China should continue to make efforts to carry out national police cooperation based on the existing international pattern dominated by the West. With the development and strength of China, China should gradually reform and improve the existing international pattern and rules, and establish more fair and just rules for international cooperation with mutual respect and consultation. Make full use of the established Sino-US law enforcement and cyber security dialogue mechanism, take the initiative to contact and talk with the US law enforcement agencies, maintain the momentum of cooperation, try to push bilateral cyber security law enforcement cooperation to a new stage of development, and minimize the negative impact of friction in the economic and trade field.

On the basis of the original bilateral police cooperation, the public security organs should continue to carry out in-depth bilateral police cooperation in various fields with neighboring countries, mobilize the enthusiasm of local public security organs at all levels, and carry out police cooperation in a targeted manner according to local conditions. Guided by the Global Security Governance Initiative, we will vigorously develop and deepen the police cooperation relationship with countries along the Initiative. Wherever the Initiative is implemented, police cooperation will be carried out, and we will strive to achieve full coverage of countries along the Initiative and protect the country's overseas interests.

4.4 Establish a Security Risk Early Warning Mechanism for National Police Cooperation

In dealing with the security trend of national police cooperation, firstly, we should strengthen the risk assessment of countries with national police cooperation, enhance the awareness of risk prevention, and establish a global security early warning and prevention mechanism on this basis. The regional and national security situation in national police cooperation is complex, and many potential security risks are difficult to detect directly, and it is difficult to deal with them in time once they occur. Therefore, it is necessary to establish an effective safety early warning mechanism on the basis of comprehensive risk assessment. Relying on big data technology, establish a national police cooperation security risk early warning mechanism, as shown in Figure 2.

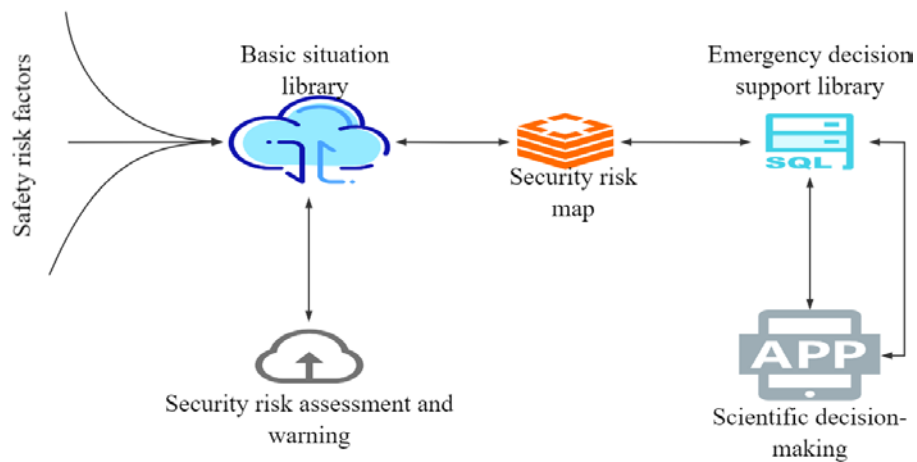


Fig.2 Security Risk Early Warning Mechanism of National Police Cooperation

By strengthening the mechanism construction, such as defining the collection category, risk level, confidentiality level and transmission realization of security risk information, the standardization and institutionalization of security risk information transmission will be realized, which will provide a solid guarantee for the efficient and dynamic operation of information. Through the continuous updating of data content and technical support, we can realize similar search, experience prompt and other functions, and provide technical support for scientific decision-making.

In the event of incidents with different risk levels, the responsible subjects (designated responsible persons) of various departments carrying out police cooperation will automatically start the disposal work according to the requirements of standardized processes, forming a disposal mode with responsibilities, clear responsibilities, standardized processes, perfect mechanisms, integrated linkage and efficient operation. Establish a risk control mechanism. Once you encounter risks, you need to start the emergency mechanism immediately. This includes not only making use of existing international laws, rules and mechanisms, but also creating new international mechanisms and reforming existing international rules.

5. Conclusions

With the in-depth development of global security governance initiatives, China has increasingly close ties with countries along the route. Strengthening the research on national police cooperation is of great significance for preventing and combating transnational crimes and safeguarding the interests of overseas citizens. The complicated and changeable international situation and unpredictable international relations bring many uncertainties to the national police cooperation. In order to effectively deal with this situation, countries have carried out closer national police cooperation. This paper analyzes the security risk assessment of national police cooperation from the perspective of global security governance, in order to provide effective protection for safeguarding citizens' overseas interests and regional security and stability. Establish a national police cooperation security risk early warning mechanism, through the continuous updating of data content and technical support, realize similar search, experience tips and other functions, and provide technical support for scientific decision-making.

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