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Putin Appoints Former Economy Minister Maxim Oreshkin as Adviser

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President Vladimir Putin and Maxim Oreshkin. **Kremlin.ru**

Russian President Vladimir Putin on Friday appointed former economy minister Maxim Oreshkin as his adviser following the resignation of his government last week, a Kremlin decree said.

Oreshkin, 37, was replaced as economy minister this week by 40-year-old Maxim Reshetnikov, a former regional governor. Putin also named Vladimir Medinsky, who was replaced as culture minister during the reshuffle, as one of his advisers.

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