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NOTICE

Foreign Mission Bank Accounts – Updated Information

The Department of State remains aware of the challenges faced by nearly all foreign missions with regard to the establishment and operation of banking relationships in the United States.

As the challenges have increased, the Department, at all levels and across many bureaus, has worked to assist both foreign missions and financial institutions in navigating and addressing these challenges.

In an effort to further enable the Department to assist foreign missions with such challenges, information is needed from all foreign missions concerning the status of their current banking relationship(s). Additionally, such information helps the Department determine the scope and impact of developments that occur in this area.

Therefore, the Department's Office of Foreign Missions (OFM) requests that all foreign missions provide responses to the questions presented on the online survey. The survey can be accessed [here](#). This information will allow OFM to ensure that its current records concerning this matter are accurate.

Missions are requested to submit responses via the survey link above by **Friday, February 2, 2024.**

Questions concerning this matter may be directed to OFMAccounts@state.gov.