



Security Message for U.S. Citizens: Cape Town (South Africa), Planned Demonstration in the Vicinity of U.S. Consulate General Cape Town

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The U.S. Consulate General Cape Town informs U.S. citizens that a demonstration is expected to take place at the U.S. Consulate General Cape Town from 1100 – 1300 hours on Friday, June 17, 2016. The City of Cape Town has advised that the Force Du Congrès Populaire will be demonstrating with the stated purpose of asking the United States Government to pressure the Kabila administration to respect the Congolese constitution by having the president to step down at the end of his second term in office. The City anticipates the size of the protest to be approximately 50 people, and it is restricted to occur on the Steenberg Road side of the Consulate.

Even demonstrations intended to be peaceful can turn confrontational and escalate into violence. You should avoid areas of demonstrations and exercise caution if in the vicinity of any large gatherings or protests.

Please monitor local media and traffic reports for current information.

For further information:

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United States Embassy to the Republic of South Africa

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Arcadia, Pretoria

Tel: 012-431-4000 (outside South Africa: +27-12-431-4000)

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United States Consulate General, Johannesburg

(Covering Gauteng, Mpumalanga, Limpopo, North West, and Free State provinces)

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Sandhurst, Johannesburg

ACSJohannesburg@state.gov

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Tokai, Cape Town

ConsularCapeTown@state.gov

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