



Emergency Message for U.S. Citizens: Bishkek (Kyrgyzstan), Ongoing Security Situation

Threats; Other Threat / Incident

South Central Asia > Kyrgyzstan > Bishkek

8/30/2016

An explosion occurred at the Chinese Embassy at approximately 9:40. The U.S. Embassy advises all Americans to shelter in place until we have additional information. U.S. Citizens should listen to the local media for updates and follow all instructions given by Kyrgyz official and law enforcement representatives.

For further information:

See the State Department's travel website for the Worldwide Caution, Travel Warnings, Travel Alerts, and Kyrgyzstan Country Specific Information.

Enroll in the Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP) to receive security messages and make it easier to locate you in an emergency.

Contact the U.S. Embassy in Kyrgyzstan, located at 171 Prospect Mira, Bishkek 720016, at +(996) (312) 551-241, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. After-hours emergency number for U.S. citizens is +(996) (312) 551-262.

Call 1-888-407-4747 toll-free in the United States and Canada or 1-202-501-4444 from other countries from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays).

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