

FREE TRAINING

DIPLOMATIC LAW FOR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT

In preparation for the 2026 FIFA World Cup, the U.S. Department of State is offering a free, virtual training session.

When: May 29, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Duration: 2.5 hours including Q&A

Format: Online – MS Teams Meeting (will not be recorded)

Presenters:

- Lindsay Fair, Region Director, Office of Foreign Missions
- Emma Mahboub, Fraud Program Manager, Minneapolis Passport Agency
- Doug Rueff, Special Agent, Diplomatic Security Service

Open to: Law enforcement and corrections personnel.

Topics covered:

- Law enforcement considerations related to diplomatic immunity
- Notification requirements and procedures after arresting foreign citizens
- Guidance on dealing with foreign citizens in non-arrest scenarios
- Regulations governing armed foreign security officers operating in the U.S.
- Law enforcement support available from the U.S. Department of State

Registration: Send attendee's email address to RueffDE@state.gov by 5/27/2026.

Registrants will receive an MS Teams meeting invite and reference materials (no pre-reading required) by 5/28/2026.

If multiple members of an agency want to use a single login to view the presentation in a shared setting (such as a conference room), please send one email address to SA Rueff along with the number of attendees.