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To: All Treasury International Capital (TIC) B Reporters

Subject: Reporting Foreign Embassy Data on the TIC B Reports

This letter is to clarify reporting of foreign embassy data on the Treasury International Capital (TIC) B reports. All claims on and liabilities to foreign embassies should be reported in the appropriate Foreign Official Institutions column opposite the home country of the embassy, regardless of whether the foreign embassy is located in the United States.

If you have any questions about TIC B Foreign Official Institution reporting, or think you may need to submit revisions to prior reports, please contact Anthony Guglielmo, Team Leader in the International Reports Division at (212) 720-8002 or Michele Waldman, Staff Director of that Division, at (212)720-8001.

Sincerely,

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