

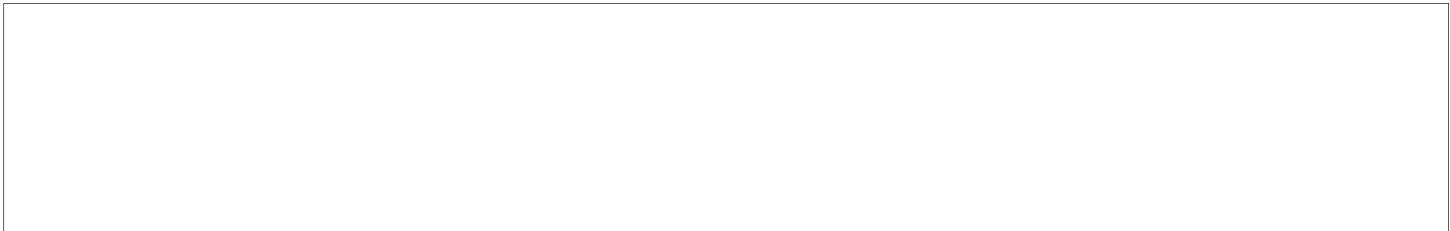
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**Subject:** Mali Update

Cheryl,

With Wendy's concurrence, I wanted to give you an update on our contingency planning for Embassy Bamako's staff given the volatile situation and French intervention today. This follows a 7:30 SVTS convened by Denis, at which we were represented by Wendy, Johnnie and me.

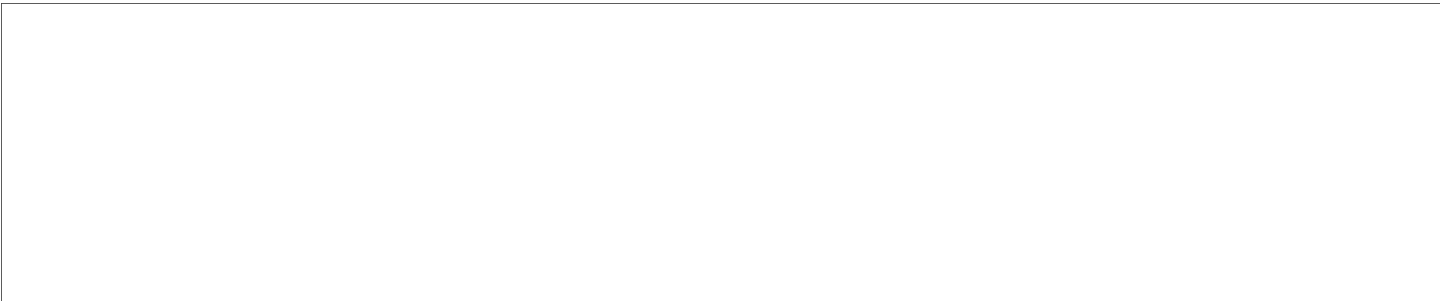


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**Embassy Footprint:** We have 96 official Americans under the embassy – 39 direct hires, 26 TDYers, 30 eligible family members (half of them minors) and one member of household.

**Amcits:** The embassy estimates 3175 american citizens in country; 825 registered with the embassy, and an estimated 2500 additional citizens, most of them dual-national minors born in the U.S.

**Embassy Preparations:**



**Next Steps:**





We will update you as developments warrant over the weekend; please advise if you have any questions.

Many thanks,

John