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(U) Management Alert: Evacuation of Embassy Tripoli

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*(The following is an **unclassified** summary of the classified report)*

(U) During the course of an Office of Inspector General (OIG) audit of Emergency Action Plans (EAPs) for U.S. Missions in North Africa, OIG became aware of an issue related to the July 2014 evacuation of Embassy Tripoli requiring immediate action by the Department of State (Department).

(U) OIG found that Embassy Tripoli did not adequately prepare for or execute all aspects of its July 2014 evacuation. OIG offered three recommendations to the Under Secretary of State for Management intended to promote the development and execution of effective EAPs worldwide and to prompt practicable actions to address deficiencies associated with the evacuation of Embassy Tripoli.

(U) In response to a draft of this Management Alert, the Under Secretary did not state whether he agreed or disagreed with the three recommendations.

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