



PERMANENT MISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA TO THE UNITED NATIONS

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Moldova to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Legal Counsel of the Secretary-General of the United Nations and with reference to the latest Note Verbale no. LA/COD/4 dated January 4, 2023, has the honour to convey herewith the requested information from Moldovan side.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Moldova to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Legal Counsel of the Secretary-General of the United Nations the assurances of its highest considerations.

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TO THE LEGAL COUNSEL OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS <u>New York</u>

Requested information to be included in the report of the General Secretary of the UN

In the years between 2017-2022, there were recorded 14 violations against the protection of security and safety of the diplomatic, consular missions, representatives as well as the missions and representatives with diplomatic status besides the international intergovernmental accredited organizations in the Republic of Moldova, among which:

- 1 case of desecration of the building for reasons of prejudice (Embassy of the Russian Federation);

- 1 case of aggressive behavior towards the diplomatic staff (Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan);
- 2 cases of unauthorized breakthrough on the territory of the diplomatic compound (Embassy of the

Republic of Poland, Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany);

- 8 anonymous e-mails/letters with false threats of explosives (Embassy of the Russian Federation - 4; Embassy of Ukraine - 2, Embassy of USA and Embassy of Kazakhstan - 1 each)

No.	Headquarters of the diplomatic missions	Recorded incidents
1	Embassy of the Republic of Poland (Chisinau, 126 A, Grenoble Street)	On 13.11.2017, at 03:20, a stranger illegally entered the territory of the embassy but was immediately seized and detained. The police, whose intervention was requested on the spot, established that the above-mentioned person, being in a state of alcoholic intoxication, because of a conflict with a taxi driver, by ignorance, overstepped the surroundings of the embassy to ask for help. The case was recorded in R-2 (Registry of evidence of other information regarding incidents and violations) of Police Inspectorate (IP) Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20170118428 from 13.11.2017.
2	Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany (Chisinau 82, Alexei Mateevici Street)	On 01.02.2019, at 07:30, a person in a visible state of alcoholic intoxication snapped at an employee of the embassy during his access in the building, broke inside and scattered the office supplies on the table. In short time, a mobile troop of carabineers on schedule has intervened, immobilized and escorted the person to the IP Buiucani for processing. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20190300200 from 01.02.2019.
3	Embassy of the Russian Federation (Chisinau 153, Stefan cel Mare si Sfant Blvd.)	On 01.06.2020, at 11:36, at the embassy was received an anonymous electronic mail with allegations regarding existent explosive devices on the territory of the embassy. As a result of the inspection done by the specialized service of the Ministry of Internal Affairs (MAI) it was concluded that the alert was false. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20200300767 of 01.06.2020.
4		On 05.06.2020, at 11:07, the embassy received an anonymous electronic mail implying there are several explosive devices on the territory of the embassy. As a result of the inspection, the specialized services of MAI, has been concluded that the threat was false. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau no. 20200300796 from 05.06.2020.
5		On 18.06.2020, at 8:55, the embassy received an anonymous electronic message about an explosive device alert on the territory of the embassy. As a result of the inspection done by the specialized services of MAI, it has been concluded that the threat was false. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau no. 202000301246 from 17.08.2020.

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6	,	On 17.08.2020, at 08:53, the embassy received an anonymous email alleging there was an explosive device on the territory of the embassy. The specialized services of MAI, after realizing an inspection on the spot, concluded the threat was false. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau no.20200301246 from 17.08.2020.
7	Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan (Chisinau 64, Mihail Kogalniceanu Street)	On 06.10.2020, at 21:00, a representative of the embassy informed the carabiniers at the post that a person of an Azerbaijani origin, who was temporarily housed in the building, was manifesting aggressive demeanor towards the staff of the embassy, threatening them with a knife. To secure the intervention, the carabiniers called for backup a mobile team of carabiniers and notified the national emergency service at 112. The aggressive person was immobilized on the territory of the mission, passed into custody to the carabiniers and taken by an ambulance with escort to the psychiatric hospital in Chisinau city. The case was recorded in R-2 (Registry of evidence of other information regarding incidents and violations) of IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20200314693, from 06.10.2020.
8	Embassy and the Consulate of Ukraine. (Chisinau 17, Vasile Lupu Street)	On 30.10.2020, at 06.56, the embassy received an anonymous electronic mail alerting about explosive devices on the territory of the embassy. The result of the inspection secured by the specialized services of MAI, concluded the threat was false. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no.20200301716 from 30.10.2020.
9	Embassy of the Russian Federation (Chisinau 153, Stefan cel Mare si Sfant Blvd.)	On 02.05.2021, the Embassy received an anonymous message via e-mail with threats at the address of the staff of the mission. The case was recorded in R-2 (Registry of evidence of other information regarding incidents and violations) of IP Buiucani, Chisinau with no. 20210306629, from 06.05.2021.
10	Embassy of the Russian Federation (Chisinau 153, Stefan cel Mare si Sfant Blvd.)	On 25.02.2022, approximately at 15:30, the first secretary of the embassy has announced that on 24.02.2022 on the embassy's email address arrived anonymous messages, in English and French, by means of which the diplomatic staff were threatened with flammable substances in case of non-abandonment of the headquarters of the embassy in the next 24 hours. The case was recorded in the R-2 (Registry of evidence of other information regarding incidents and violations) of IP Buiucani, Chisinau with no. 20220302806, from 26.02.2022.
11	Embassy of the Russian Federation (Chisinau 153, Stefan cel Mare si Sfant Blvd.)	On 07.10.2022, approximately at 21:55, a male person, citizen of the Russian Federation, seeking to desecrate the building of the embassy, by reasons of prejudice, has made inscriptions on the gate of access to the interior territory of the embassy with the words "УБИИЦА" (killer) and "ПУТИН" (Putin) with of blue color and yellow ink, respectively. Continuing his intentions, he climbed on the access gate and hanged on the grate bars a fragment of white and blue cloth with a rectangular shape, simultaneously setting fire to a pyrotechnic item which he aimed towards the direction of the building. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20220301922 from 08.10.2022.

12	Embassy of Kazakhstan Chisinau 14/1 Toma Ciorba Street)	On 05.12.2022, at 12:13, the operational dispatcher of IGC has received a phone call, that in the mail box of the embassy has been found a written threat that the embassy building is mined. The inspection carried out by the specialized services of MAI concluded the threat was false. The case was recorded in the R-2 (Registry of evidence of other information regarding incidents and violations) of IP Buiucani, Chisinau with no. 20220319165, from 05.12.2022.
13	Embassy and the Consulate of Ukraine. (Chisinau 17, Vasile Lupu Street)	On 07.12.2022, at 18.30, the embassy received an anonymous email alleging the headquarters is mined. The inspection carried out by the specialized services of MAI, has been concluded with the verdict that the threat was false. The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20220319281 from 07.12.2022.
14	Embassy of the USA (Chisinau 103, Alexei Mateevici Street)	At 19.12.2022, at 11:10, as a result of reception through a courier of a suspicious parcel, the administration of the embassy has called the National emergency Service 112. After the inspection done by the employees of the competent services of the MAI, the danger was not identified (the parcel contained an electrical object which did not pose any danger). The case was recorded in the R-1 (Evidence Registry for Notification regarding Crimes) of the IP Buiucani, Chisinau, no. 20220302403 from 19.12.2022.

It should be mentioned that in all cases listed above, the prompt reaction of carabiniers involved in the service at the stations was ensured, as well as of the operational reserves available, which provided the necessary support to the specialized subdivisions of the general police inspectorate of the MAI, by limiting the access to people and transport units.

Subsidiarily we inform that based on the MFAEI's intervention no. PD-109/2063 from 24.02.2022, starting with 24.02.2022, the measures of security and public order at all the accredited diplomatic missions in the Republic of Moldova have been reinforced, with the application of a special security regime at the diplomatic representations of Ukraine, Russian Federation, USA, Poland and Romania.

Also through the intervention no. 44/30-532/2-23, MAI requested MAEIE to inform the representatives of the foreign accredited diplomatic missions in the Republic of Moldova regarding the national procedure as to the management of emergency calls, as well as the establishment together with them of procedures of action in case of threat, imminence or incident of a dangerous situation which would require the intervention of emergency specialized services on the territory of the diplomatic headquarters.