

September 28, 2016



Dear [Redacted]

One of my foremost priorities is to respond to the concerns of U.S. persons residing here in Switzerland. According to Swiss Secretariat for Migration statistics, there are more than 20,000 U.S. persons residing in Switzerland and many more Swiss citizens who hold dual citizenship with the United States.

Many U.S. persons have expressed their concerns to me about their lack of access to banking services in Switzerland. Some U.S. persons who have lived in Switzerland and held accounts at a Swiss financial institution for decades have reported that they have received notices of account closure and that Swiss citizen family members have had their accounts closed because of their relationship to a

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Susan G. Levine', written over the typed name.

Susan G. Levine
United States Ambassador to the Swiss
Confederation and the Principality of
Liechtenstein