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SUBJECT: Issuance of Fiscal Year (FY) 2006 OFDA Policy Cable Containing Guidance on Disaster Planning and Response

NEW MATERIAL: The cable provides general guidance to all posts concerning support from USAID's Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance within the Bureau for Democracy, Conflict, and Humanitarian Assistance (USAID/DCHA/OFDA) before, during, and after the occurrence of natural and man-made disasters in FY 2006. The cable should be used in conjunction with ADS 251: International Disaster Assistance.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 11/24/2005

ATTACHMENT: [Disaster Planning and Response Cable](#)

POLICY

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Attached is the FY 2006 Guidance Cable: Disaster Planning and Response. The cable was issued as Department of State worldwide cable: State 213982 (November 24, 2005). This FY 2006 cable supersedes the FY 2005 Disaster Planning and Response Cable.

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Point of Contact: Any questions concerning this Notice may be directed to Carol Chan, DCHA/OFDA, (202) 712-0841.

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