

Ambassador from a person demanding money

20.05.2022 - Czech Republic - Permanent Mission to the European Union - Diplomat fell victim to a telephone scam

30.05.2022 - South Korea - Embassy - Theft of a diplomat's vehicle

12.06.2022 - Croatia - Embassy - Burglary at the official residence Theft of an official vehicle and personal effects

13.06.2022 - Zimbabwe - Embassy - Padlocks and chains preventing entry into the Embassy were placed by individuals at night. Damage to an embassy vehicle

16.05.2022 - Mozambique - Embassy - Ambassador fell victim to a telephone scam

28.06.2022 - Turkey - Embassy - Threatening emails received by several diplomatic missions accredited to Baku. Turkish citizens and interests were targeted

30.06/05.07.2022 - Brazil - Embassy - Hacked email account. Unauthorized emails were sent to diplomatic missions via this account.

09.07.2022 - Russia - Embassy - Email containing death threats and insults against members of the mission sent to the Embassy

26.07.2022 - Poland - Embassy - Act of vandalism

27.07.2022 - Ukraine - Mission to the European Union - An individual attempted to take photos of participants at a working meeting between a minister and international partners

02.08.2022 - Mali - Embassy – Presence of squatters in the official residence while construction under way. The police intervened and two of the three squatters left the premises

11.08.2022 - Cuba - Embassy - An individual harassed Embassy staff members in the street

13.08.2022 - Turkey - Mission to the European Union – Acts of vandalism of the façade of the mission's premises (PKK stickers)

16.08.2022 - Guinea - Embassy - Threats received by the Embassy. Call from a protest leader to disrupt Embassy operations

19–21.08.2022 - India - Embassy - Repeated thefts/burglaries in the building where a diplomat lives

23.08.2022 - Sri Lanka - Embassy - Ambassador fell victim to a telephone scam

27.08.2022 - Iran - Consulate - Act of vandalism against the consulate

29.08.2022 - Mali - Embassy - Squatters in the official residence under construction

02.09.2022 - Turkey - Embassy - Tags on the mission wall by 3 individuals

23.09.2022 - Iran - Embassy - 9 Molotov cocktails launched at the Embassy and two cars set on fire. Demonstration the next day (vandalism and ss9e00000912 0 612 792JETQ EMC /Span AM

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towards the Permanent Representative by an individual

04.05.2023 - Democratic Republic of Congo - Embassy - Threats received by the Embassy email account

08.05.2023 - Peru - Embassy - A drone flew over the Embassy garden and stopped for a long time in front of one of the windows.

09.05.2023 - Russia - Embassy - Act of vandalism against the Embassy

11.05.2023 - Rwanda - Embassy -

08.11.2023 - Zambia - Embassy - Diplomat's laptop stolen and car damaged
16.11.2023 - Armenia - Embassy - Theft of a handbag containing diplomatic documents and passports from a car with a CD license plate
20.11.2023 - Philippines - Embassy - Theft from a diplomat's vehicle parked near the Embassy (several items stolen)

In the **first few months of 2024**, the following incidents were reported:

05.01.2024 - Tunisia - Embassy - Receipt of an anonymous envelope with a USB drive containing malware, which caused a short circuit
05.01.2024 - Poland - Mission to the European Union - Robbery and assault of the Ambassador
08.01.2024 and 10.01.2024 - Luxembourg - Embassy - Embassy's email address hacked
29.01.2024 - Poland - Mission to the European Union - Harassment of a diplomat in the street
16.02.2024 - India - Embassy - Physical assault on an Indian diplomat
17.02.2023 - Iran - Embassy - Security incident at the Embassy compound
27.02.2024 - Serbia - Mission to the European Union - Break-in and burglary at the Ambassador's unoccupied residence
27.02.2024 - South Africa - Actes of vandalism (posters) and smoke bombs
13.03.2024 - Sweden - Mission to NATO - Attempted burglary at the Ambassador's residence
16.03.2024 - Lebanon - Embassy - Burglary at a diplomat's apartment
20.03.2024 - Jordan - Embassy - Theft from a diplomat's car in Saint-Gilles
24–25.03.2024 - Turkey - Embassy - Threats on social media
25.03.2024 - Turkey - Embassy - Security incident involving PKK demonstrators
29.03.2024 - Thailand - Embassy - Racist verbal aggression
09.04.2024 - Sovereign Order of Malta - Permanent Mission to the European Union - Receipt of an intimidating message

B. Measures needed or already taken to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives as well as missions and representatives with diplomatic status to international intergovernmental organizations

(a) General measures

Security arrangements for diplomatic missions and consular posts are based on the threat analysis conducted by the Threat Analysis Coordination Agency. The Agency determines a threat level for every diplomatic mission in Belgium. The threat level allows the Crisis Centre of the Ministry of the Interior to ask the police to make specific security arrangements adapted to each mission. The Crisis Centre holds a monthly meeting attended by the Protocol Division of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to review the security arrangements for the various diplomatic missions in Belgium.

