



**United States Embassy Guatemala, Guatemala City**  
Security Message for U.S. Citizens:  
Semuc Champey/Lanquin Alta Verapaz National Park Reopens  
September 8, 2016

Guatemalan authorities have stated that security and national police personnel have restored access to the Semuc Champey/Lanquin Alta Verapaz National Park. The U.S. Embassy has therefore lifted its restriction on travel to the park for all U.S. mission employees. This updates our Security Message of October 9, 2015.

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