

**U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL MERIDA**  
**RULES FOR THE SALE OF USED PROPERTY**  
April 23rd, 2015

The U.S. Consulate General in Merida invites you to participate in a used property sale by silent auction.

1. U.S. Consulate General Merida

**Thursday, April 23rd**

**Deadline to submit bids (via email only): April 23rd, 11:00am**

2. Interested individuals are required to **submit their bids via email to [HernandezCJ@state.gov](mailto:HernandezCJ@state.gov) specifying the amount in MXPesos and the lot number(s) they are bidding on.**

3. There will be no public display of items but pictures are available upon request. The Consulate will provide a list of lots. Check the Consulate Facebook page for more information.

4. The Consulate will evaluate all received bids and will notify the winners via email, before 12:00pm.

5. The Consulate reserves the right to reject any bid, including the highest one, should it be determined that it is not a reasonable bid. The Consulate may decide either to re-open the lot for new bids or withdraw it from the auction.

4. **All winning bidders must make their payment in cash (Mexican Pesos) to the cashier before 2:00pm.** The Consulate reserves the right to reject any old, damaged, or worn currency, as well as payment in coins. A Bill of Sale (Factura) will be provided upon payment. In order to remove the items from the Consulate, purchasers must provide to security personnel the yellow copy of the bill of sale at the exit point. **Contact the Consulate cashier 999-942-5744, for an appointment to make your payment, which must be received no later than 2:00pm on April 23rd. Winners must remove their purchased lot(s) by 4:30pm, April 23rd.** Property not removed by this deadline will be forfeited and returned to possession of the Consulate.

6. The Consulate sells these items **"AS IS"** for cash payment without refund or warranty. The Consulate is not responsible for any item's condition.

7. The Consulate sells these items **"WHERE THEY ARE"**. It is the buyer's responsibility to remove all purchased items on the same day as the sale at his/her own expense. Be sure to arrange for appropriate transportation of items purchased.

8. Any buyer or third party without written approval of the U.S. Secretary of Commerce cannot export purchased items from this sale into the United States.

9. The Consulate entered some of these articles into Mexico tax free. If Mexican authorities determine that taxes are payable, such taxes are the buyer's responsibility.

10. These conditions shall be followed both in English and Spanish. In the event that any disputes arise concerning the text of this document, the English version controls.