



*Embassy of the United States of America
Madrid, Spain*

**Security Message for U.S. Citizens: DEMONSTRATION IN MADRID
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2013**

The 25 September and 15M groups organized an illegal demonstration against the Spanish Royal House that will take place tomorrow, September 28th, near the Royal Palace in Madrid. The demonstrators want to abolish the Spanish Monarchy. The demonstration will start at 18:00 in Moncloa and then move to the "Palacio de Oriente". The police estimate that 3000 people will attend the demonstration. Demonstrators might also travel to the Congress and the PP Headquarters.

The U.S. Embassy encourages U.S. citizens to review "[A Safe Trip Abroad](#)," which includes valuable security information for those both living and traveling abroad. All U.S. citizens in Spain are urged to enroll online at the [Smart Traveler Enrollment Program](#) (STEP). Enrolling gives U.S. Citizens access to updated information on travel and security within Spain and makes it easier for the Embassy to contact citizens in case of emergency. You can also download our free [Smart Traveler iPhone App](#) to have travel information at your fingertips.

Current information on safety and security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll-free in the United States or a regular toll line at-1-202-501-4444 for callers from other countries. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays). You can also stay up to date by bookmarking our [Bureau of Consular Affairs website](#), which contains the current [Travel Warnings and Travel Alerts](#) as well as the [Worldwide Caution](#) as well as [Country Specific Information for Spain](#). Follow us on [Twitter](#) and the Bureau of Consular Affairs page on [Facebook](#) as well.

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