



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATEMENT REGARDING THE ILLEGITIMACY OF THE MADURO REGIME IN VENEZUELA TO THE 108TH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The United States continues to diplomatically recognize the democratically elected 2015 National Assembly, and its legal authority.

The United States and others around the world must support the Venezuelan people to ensure regional stability. The United States welcomes continued international cooperation to develop practical and effective solutions to bring an end to the crises in Venezuela and alleviate the suffering of the Venezuelan people, including the millions who have fled Venezuela—including to the United States. We welcome a solution to ensure Maduro and his representatives do not continue their actions threatening our homeland and national security.

We look forward to collaborating in the future, once Venezuela has met necessary conditions, including free and fair elections and accepting repatriated citizens.