Technical Assistance Assessments initiative. Through these assessments, FTA collaborates with tribal transit leaders to review processes and identify areas in need of improvement and then assist with solutions to address these needs. FTA completed fifteen assessments in FY15, and expects to do a similar number in FY16. These assessments include discussions of compliance areas pursuant to the Master Agreement, a site visit, promising practices reviews, and technical assistance from FTA and its contractors. These workshops and assessments have received exemplary feedback from Tribal Transit Leaders, and have provided FTA with invaluable opportunities to learn more about Tribal transit leaders’ perspectives, and honor the sovereignty of tribal nations. FTA will post information about upcoming workshops to its Web site and disseminate information about the reviews through its Regional offices. A list of Tribal Liaisons can be found on FTA’s Web site at http://www.fta.dot.gov/13099. hen we apply with their FTA regional tribal liaison to finalize the grant application for the TrAMs. FTA plans to publish a notice of funding availability NOFA soliciting proposals for FY 2016 discretionary funds in the coming months. The NOFA will establish and outline specific eligibility for funding.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
Office of Foreign Assets Control

Designation of Two Individuals Pursuant to Executive Order 13581, “Blocking Property of Transnational Criminal Organizations”

AGENCY: Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Treasury Department’s Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the name of two individuals whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to Executive Order 13581 of July 24, 2011, “Blocking Property of Transnational Criminal Organizations.”

DATES: The designations by the Acting Director of OFAC, pursuant to Executive Order 13581, of the two individuals identified in this notice were effective at 12:01 a.m. eastern daylight time on July 25, 2011.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Electronic and Facsimile Availability

This document and additional information concerning OFAC are available from OFAC’s Web site (www.treas.gov/ofac). Certain general information pertaining to OFAC’s sanctions programs is available via facsimile through a 24-hour fax-on-demand service, tel.: 202–622–0077.

Background

On July 24, 2011, the President issued Executive Order 13581, “Blocking Property of Transnational Criminal Organizations” (the “Order”), pursuant to, inter alia, the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1701–06). The Order was effective at 12:01 a.m. eastern daylight time on July 25, 2011. In the Order, the President declared a national emergency to deal with the threat that significant transnational criminal organizations pose to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States. Section 1 of the Order blocks, with certain exceptions, all property and interests in property that are in the United States, or come within the United States, or that are or come within the possession or control of any United States person, of persons listed in the Annex to the Order and of persons determined by the Secretary of the Treasury, in consultation with the Attorney General and the Secretary of State, to satisfy certain criteria set forth in the Order.

On February 16, 2016, the Acting Director of OFAC, in consultation with the Attorney General and the Secretary of State, designated, pursuant to one or more of the criteria set forth in subparagraphs (a)(ii)(A) through (a)(ii)(C) of Section 1 of the Order, two individuals whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to the Order.

The listings for these individuals on OFAC’s List of Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons appear as follows:

Individuals

1. ROBERTO ORELLANA, Jose (Latin: ROBERTO ORELLANA, Jose) [a.k.a. “CHIBOLA”; a.k.a. “CORDO MAX”; a.k.a. “TIO SAM” (Latin: TIO SAM); a.k.a. “TOLOLO”), Canton Cambio Channico,