

CIRCULAR NOTE

Annual testing of Denmark's physical warning sirens and the mobile based public warning system "S!RENEN" on Wednesday, 6 May at 12:00 noon

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark, Protocol Department, presents its compliments to all Heads of Diplomatic Missions and Consulates accredited to and resident in Denmark, International Organisations and Other Missions resident in Copenhagen as well as Honorary Consuls in Denmark and has the honour to share the attached information from The Danish Emergency Management Agency (DEMA – "Beredskabsstyrelsen) on the annual testing of the public warning systems on **Wednesday 6 May at 12:00 noon**.

Both the physical warning sirens and the mobile-based system, "S!RENEN" will be tested. The technology allows the authorities to transmit a warning directly to your mobile phone if you are in an area where many people are exposed to danger. S!RENEN has a distinct sound and vibration that clearly differs from other text messages and push notifications.

It is not an app, and you need not download anything. Most likely your phone can already receive warnings from S!RENEN.

If you hear S!RENEN on your mobile phone, you should follow the instructions.

Attached you can find more information in English and Danish. If you go to: www.brs.dk/en/sirenen you can also find the fact sheet in several other languages.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark, Protocol Department, takes this opportunity to renew to all Heads of Diplomatic Missions and Consulates accredited to and resident in Denmark, International Organisations and Other Missions resident in Copenhagen as well as Honorary Consuls in Denmark the assurances of its highest consideration.

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