

# **11 FAM 700 TREATIES AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS**

## **11 FAM 710 PURPOSE AND DISCLAIMER**

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### **11 FAM 711 PURPOSE**

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*(State Only)*

a. The purpose of this chapter is to facilitate the application of orderly and uniform measures and procedures for the negotiation, signature, publication, and registration of treaties and other international agreements of the United States. It is also designed to facilitate the maintenance of complete and accurate records on treaties and agreements and the publication of authoritative information regarding them.

b. The chapter is not a catalog of all the essential guidelines or information pertaining to the making and application of international agreements. It is limited to guidelines or information necessary for general guidance.

### **11 FAM 712 DISCLAIMER**

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This chapter is intended solely as a general outline of measures and procedures ordinarily followed which, it is recognized, cannot anticipate all circumstances or situations that may arise. Deviation or derogation from the provisions of this chapter will not invalidate actions taken by officers nor affect the validity of negotiations engaged in or of treaties or other agreements concluded.

### **11 FAM 713 THROUGH 719 UNASSIGNED**