Personal data

Video-surveillance policy

The FPS Foreign Affairs processes data derived from video surveillance in order to safeguard its buildings, property, staff and visitors. The use of cameras by the FPS is determined by the law of 21 March 2007, which defines the conditions for the implementation and use of surveillance cameras. Only authorised members of our staff have access to the recordings, as well as personnel duly authorised by the building manager when this is the case. This, of course, also includes police and judicial authorities if necessary and in accordance with the provisions of the aforementioned law of 21 March 2007.

The viewing of the live images is only carried out, if necessary, by the security guards. In accordance with the legislation and in the absence of any security incident, this data is kept for a maximum period of one month. The regulatory pictograms displayed at the entrance of the relevant places inform you of any camera surveillance. If you have any further questions about video surveillance and the processing of your personal data, please contact the Data Protection Officer at the following e-mail address: dpo@diplomatie.be.