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Bruce C. Swartz is a Deputy Assistant Attorney General, and the Department of Justice's Counselor for International Affairs. He is a member of the Senior Executive Service of the United States Government.

As Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Mr. Swartz supervises the Department of Justice's Office of International Affairs, as well as the Department's Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training (OPDAT) and the International Criminal Investigative Training Assistance Program (ICITAP). In this role, he coordinates the overseas operational activities of the Department, including all extraditions and mutual legal assistance in transborder criminal and terrorism cases. Mr. Swartz also manages the Department's overseas capacity-building programs, which work with partner nations on issues ranging from counterterrorism, to transnational organized crime, to anti-corruption.

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Prior to joining the Department of Justice, Mr. Swartz was a partner at the Washington, D.C., law firm of Shea & Gardner. He has held a number of positions in government service, including Deputy Independent Counsel in the corruption investigation of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development during the Reagan Administration. In the mid-1990s, Mr. Swartz was detailed for a year to the United Kingdom's Serious Fraud Office.

Mr. Swartz received his B.A. and J.D. from Yale University and was a Henry Fellow at Trinity College, Cambridge University. He was a Law Clerk to Judge Wilfred Feinberg of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, and to Justice Harry Blackmun of the United Supreme Court. He is a member of the Bar of New York and the District of Columbia and is a Barrister in government practice (Middle Temple, England).

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