

**HANDOUT 2.1: CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE ASSETS ACTIVITY**

<b>Purpose:</b>	To identify critical assets for a standard government facility that houses the Head of State and other dignitaries
<b>Duration:</b>	20 minutes (15-activity; 5-debrief)
<b>Group composition:</b>	Table groups
<b>Debrief:</b>	Large-group discussion

**Directions:**

1. Work in your table groups to fill in the missing information in Table 2: Critical Assets Activity.
2. In Column 2, list examples of all possible critical assets for each category shown. For example, in addition to the Head of State, identify other employees who might work in this government facility. Do the same with the other three categories shown.
3. Refer to Table 1: Possible Threats against Critical Infrastructure. Discuss with your group possible threats against the critical assets for each category; for example, if you identified the Head of State as a critical asset under the “People” category, one possible threat against the Head of State is assassination. Document your responses in Column 3. While you may not be able to identify a possible threat for each asset, identify as many as you can.
4. Be prepared to share your answers with the class.

**Table 1: Possible Threats against Critical Infrastructure**

Critical Infrastructure Threats
Nonavailability
Loss or theft
Compromise
Destruction
Sabotage
Assault
Impaired operations
Cyberattack

**Table 2: Critical Assets Activity**

Critical Infrastructure: Government Facility: Head of State National Building		
Column 1 Category of Critical Asset	Column 2 Examples	Column 3 Specify Threat against Critical Asset
People		
Information		
Processes		
Equipment		