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OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL

Executive Order 13692 of March 8, 2015
Blocking Property and Suspending Entry of Certain Persons
Contributing to the Situation in Venezuela

Executive Order 13850 of November 1, 2018
Blocking Property of Additional Persons Contributing to the Situation in Venezuela

Executive Order of August 5, 2019
Blocking Property of the Government of Venezuela

GENERAL LICENSE NO. 27

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