

GEOPOLITICAL ENTITIES AND CODES
(FORMERLY FIPS PUB 10-4)
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BAHAMAS, THE (FNC 366)

Delete:

BF26 Fresh Creek
BF27 Governor's Harbour
BF28 Green Turtle Cay
BF29 High Rock
BF30 Kemps Bay
BF31 Marsh Harbour
BF23 New Providence
BF33 Rock Sound
BF34 Sandy Point

Add:

BF36 Black Point
BF37 Central Abaco

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BF38 Central Andros
BF39 Central Eleuthera
BF40 Crooked Island and Long Cay
BF41 East Grand Bahama
BF42 Grand Cay
BF43 Hope Town
BF44 Mangrove Cay
BF45 Moore's Island
BF46 North Abaco
BF47 North Andros
BF48 North Eleuthera
BF49 Rum Cay
BF50 South Abaco
BF51 South Andros
BF52 South Eleuthera
BF53 Spanish Wells
BF54 West Grand Bahama

Change:

BF24 Acklins and Crooked Islands	to	BF24 Acklins
BF25 Freeport	to	BF25 City of Freeport
BF32 Nichollstown and Berry Islands	to	BF32 Berry Islands
BF35 San Salvador and Rum Cay	to	BF35 San Salvador

IRAN (FNC email vote 9 December 2010)

Change:

IR41 Khorāsān-e Janūbī	to	IR41 Khorāsān-e Jonūbī
IR43 Khorāsān-e Shemālī	to	IR43 Khorāsān-e Shomālī

MAURITANIA (FNC 366)

Change:

MR01 Hodh Ech Chargui	to	MR01 Hodh ech Chargui
MR02 Hodh El Gharbi	to	MR02 Hodh el Gharbi

Add:

MR13 Nouakchott

OMAN (FNC 366)

Change:

<i>miṇṭaqat (region)</i>	to	<i>muḥāfazat (governorate)</i>
MU06 Masqaṭ	to	MU06 Masqaṭ

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PARAGUAY (Inadvertently omitted from FIPS 10-4 Change Notice 1 (12/01/1998))

Change:

<i>departamento (department)</i>	to	<i>distrito capital (capital district)</i>
PA22 Asunción	to	PA22 Asunción

QATAR (FNC 366)

Delete:

QA02 Al Ghuwayrīyah
QA03 Al Jumaylīyah
QA11 Jarayān al Bāṭinah
QA12 Umm Sa‘īd

Change:

QA04 Al Khawr	to	QA04 Al Khawr wa adh Dhakhīrah
QA08 Madīnat ash Shamāl	to	QA08 Ash Shamāl

Add:

QA13 Az Za‘āyin

SUDAN (FNC 366)

Change:

SU59 Warab [Arabic, English]	to	SU59 Wārāb [Arabic] / Warrap [English]
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TIMOR-LESTE (FNC 364) (one district, Manufahi, was inadvertently omitted and two code errors were presented in Update 1 (8/30/2010))

Add:

TT11 Manufahi
TT12 Oecussi-Ambeno (not TT11)
TT13 Viqueque (not TT12)

UNITED KINGDOM (FNC 364) (Inadvertently omitted from Update 1 (8/30/2010))

Change:

<i>county</i>	to	<i>unitary authority</i>
UKC6 Cornwall	to	UKC6 Cornwall
UKD8 Durham	to	UKD8 Durham
UKJ6 Northumberland	to	UKJ6 Northumberland

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UKL6 Shropshire
UKP8 Wiltshire

to
to

UKL6 Shropshire
UKP8 Wiltshire