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PURPOSE OF THIS BULLETIN

Changes in the political geography of various parts of the world necessitate a publication that provides the latest information on the names of countries, administrative divisions and other significant geographic features. The U.S. Board on Geographic Names (US BGN) publishes the *Foreign Names Information Bulletin* to fill this need. The US BGN Foreign Names Committee Staff at the National Imagery and Mapping Agency prepares and issues the Bulletin on a quarterly basis, or as needed.

This twenty-ninth bulletin provides former names and new names of major features approved by the US BGN since the issuance of the twenty-eighth bulletin in November 2001.

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INTERPRETATION OF ENTRIES

- Geographic names from languages not written in the Roman script are spelled in accordance with romanization systems approved by the U.S. Board on Geographic Names (US BGN) and the Permanent Committee on Geographical Names for British Official Use (PCGN).
- Letters with diacritical marks (graphic marks usually occurring above or below a letter, e.g., an acute accent) define differences in pronunciation and/or meaning. By policy the US BGN retains these marks in its decisions.
- The US BGN may approve several alternate names for international features and features in multilingual areas. Labels in brackets distinguish these alternate names.
- The US BGN may approve conventional names (English-language names for features in areas where English is not habitually used) when such names are in widespread current usage. U.S. Federal Government users should refer to their own agency's policy for use of conventional names in lieu of or in addition to local official names.
- US BGN approved short-form names are identified by **bold** type. U.S. Federal Government users should refer to their own agency's policy for use of short-form names in lieu of or in addition to long-form names.
- The four-character Federal Information Processing Standard 10 (FIPS 10 "Countries, Dependencies, Areas of Special Sovereignty, and their Principal Administrative Divisions") code follows entries for country names and names of first-order administrative divisions. The code in the Former Name column is the heretofore-active code for the entity; FIPS 10 code changes are reflected in the New Name column.
- The term (historical) after a place name entry indicates that the named feature is historical in nature, and no longer exists.

DESIGNATION CODES AND DESIGNATIONS

ADM1	first-order administrative division (for example, a province)
RGN	region

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*Former Name**New Name*1. **COLOMBIA****Santafé de Bogotá**, Distrito Capital de:

ADM1 4°15'N 74°11'W (CO34)

Bogotá, Distrito Capital de:

ADM1 4°15'N 74°11'W (CO34)

2. **CZECH REPUBLIC**

Brněnský Kraj:

ADM1 49°10'N 16°35'E (EZ78)

Jihomoravský Kraj:

ADM1 49°10'N 16°35'E (EZ78)

Budějovický Kraj:

ADM1 49°05'N 14°30'E (EZ79)

Jihočeský Kraj:

ADM1 49°05'N 14°30'E (EZ79)

Jihlavský Kraj:

ADM1 49°25'N 15°30'E (EZ80)

Vysočina:

ADM1 49°25'N 15°30'E (EZ80)

Ostravský Kraj:

ADM1 49°50'N 18°00'E (EZ85)

Moravskoslezský Kraj:

ADM1 49°50'N 18°00'E (EZ85)

3. **IRELAND****Carlow**, County:

ADM1 52°40'N 6°50'W (EI01)

Carlow, County [English];

Ceatharlach [Irish];

ADM1 52°40'N 6°50'W (EI01)

Cavan, County:

ADM1 53°55'N 7°15'W (EI02)

Cavan, County [English];

An Cabhán [Irish];

ADM1 53°55'N 7°15'W (EI02)

Clare, County:

ADM1 52°50'N 9°00'W (EI03)

Clare, County [English];

An Clár [Irish];

ADM1 52°50'N 9°00'W (EI03)

Connaught:

RGN 53°40'N 9°00'W (EI00)

Connaught [English];

Cúige Chonnacht [Irish];

RGN 53°40'N 9°00'W (EI00)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
Cork , County: ADM1 51°58'N 8°35'W (EI04)	Cork , County [English]; Corcaigh [Irish]: ADM1 51°58'N 8°35'W (EI04)
Donegal , County: ADM1 54°55'N 8°00'W (EI06)	Donegal , County [English]; Dún na nGall [Irish]: ADM1 54°55'N 8°00'W (EI06)
Dublin , County: ADM1 53°25'N 6°15'W (EI07)	Dublin , County [English]; Baile Átha Cliath [Irish]: ADM1 53°25'N 6°15'W (EI07)
Galway , County: ADM1 53°20'N 9°00'W (EI10)	Galway , County [English]; Gaillimh [Irish]: ADM1 53°20'N 9°00'W (EI10)
Kerry , County: ADM1 52°10'N 9°45'W (EI11)	Kerry , County [English]; Ciarraí [Irish]: ADM1 52°10'N 9°45'W (EI11)
Kildare , County: ADM1 53°10'N 6°45'W (EI12)	Kildare , County [English]; Cill Dara [Irish]: ADM1 53°10'N 6°45'W (EI12)
Kilkenny , County: ADM1 52°35'N 7°15'W (EI13)	Kilkenny , County [English]; Cill Chainnigh [Irish]: ADM1 52°35'N 7°15'W (EI13)
Laois , County: ADM1 53°00'N 7°24'W (EI15)	Laois , County [English]; Laois [Irish]: ADM1 53°00'N 7°24'W (EI15)
Leinster: RGN 53°05'N 7°00'W (EI00)	Leinster [English]; Cúige Laighean [Irish]: RGN 53°05'N 7°00'W (EI00)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
Leitrim , County: ADM1 54°07'N 8°00'W (EI14)	Leitrim , County [English]; Liatroim [Irish]: ADM1 54°07'N 8°00'W (EI14)
Limerick , County: ADM1 52°30'N 8°45'W (EI16)	Limerick , County [English]; Luimneach [Irish]: ADM1 52°30'N 8°45'W (EI16)
Longford , County: ADM1 53°40'N 7°45'W (EI18)	Longford , County [English]; An Longfort [Irish]: ADM1 53°40'N 7°45'W (EI18)
Louth , County: ADM1 53°50'N 6°30'W (EI19)	Louth , County [English]; Lú [Irish]: ADM1 53°50'N 6°30'W (EI19)
Mayo , County: ADM1 53°54'N 9°15'W (EI20)	Mayo , County [English]; Maigh Eo [Irish]: ADM1 53°54'N 9°15'W (EI20)
Meath , County: ADM1 53°40'N 6°40'W (EI21)	Meath , County [English]; An Mhí [Irish]: ADM1 53°40'N 6°40'W (EI21)
Monaghan , County: ADM1 54°15'N 7°00'W (EI22)	Monaghan , County [English]; Muineachán [Irish]: ADM1 54°15'N 7°00'W (EI22)
Munster : RGN 52°15'N 8°35'W (EI00)	Munster [English]; Cúige Mumhan [Irish]: RGN 52°15'N 8°35'W (EI00)
Offaly , County: ADM1 53°15'N 7°30'W (EI23)	Offaly , County [English]; Uíbh Fhailí [Irish]: ADM1 53°15'N 7°30'W (EI23)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
Roscommon , County: ADM1 53°45'N 8°15'W (EI24)	Roscommon , County [English]; Ros Comáin [Irish]: ADM1 53°45'N 8°15'W (EI24)
Sligo , County: ADM1 54°15'N 8°40'W (EI25)	Sligo , County [English]; Sligeach [Irish]: ADM1 54°15'N 8°40'W (EI25)
Tipperary , County: ADM1 52°40'N 7°50'W (EI26)	Tipperary , County [English]; Tiobraid Árann [Irish]: ADM1 52°40'N 7°50'W (EI26)
Ulster: RGN 54°30'N 7°00'W (EI00)	Ulster [IRELAND; UNITED KINGDOM]; Cúige Uladh [IRELAND]: RGN 54°30'N 7°00'W (UK00)
Waterford , County: ADM1 52°15'N 7°30'W (EI27)	Waterford , County [English]; Port Láirge [Irish]: ADM1 52°15'N 7°30'W (EI27)
Westmeath , County: ADM1 53°30'N 7°30'W (EI29)	Westmeath , County [English]; An Iarmhí [Irish]: ADM1 53°30'N 7°30'W (EI29)
Wexford , County: ADM1 52°30'N 6°40'W (EI30)	Wexford , County [English]; Loch Garman [Irish]: ADM1 52°30'N 6°40'W (EI30)
Wicklow , County: ADM1 53°00'N 6°25'W (EI31)	Wicklow , County [English]; Cill Mhantáin [Irish]: ADM1 53°00'N 6°25'W (EI31)

4. **MOLDOVA**

Dubăsari , Județul: ADM1 47°20'N 29°15'E (MD49)	Sfînga Nistrului , Unitatea Teritorială din: ADM1 47°20'N 29°15'E (MD49)
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*Former Name**New Name*5. **MONGOLIA****Darhan Hot:**

ADM1 49°30'00"N 106°30'00"E

Darhan Hot (historical):

ADM1 49°30'00"N 106°30'00"E (MGxx)

Erdenet Hot:

ADM1 49°02'00"N 104°05'30"E

Erdenet Hot (historical):

ADM1 49°02'00"N 104°05'30"E (MGxx)

None

Darhan Uul Aymag:

ADM1 49°30'00"N 106°30'00"E (MG23)

None

Govĭ-Sumber Aymag:

ADM1 46°30'00"N 108°30'00"E (MG24)

None

Orhon Aymag:

ADM1 49 05'00"N 104 20'00"E (MG25)

6. **TURKEY**

None

Bartın İli:

ADM1 41°35'N 32°30'E (TU87)