

- Cabinet Committees are in place
- DFAIT has stakeholders at Privy Council Office

Potential Impacts

If this risk were to materialize, a potential consequence is a constrained ability to allocate resources or instances of misallocation of resources away from DFAIT priorities. The complex nature of coordination and reliance on partners also means that instances of non-compliance (with treaties, etc.) could grow.

If DFAIT is unable to project a cohesive image abroad, the perception of Canada on the world stage may be negatively impacted. Canada may be perceived as delivering a mixed message with regards to its international priorities. This has downstream effects on DFAIT's (and Canada's) credibility and political relevance.