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Dear OIRA,

Being married to an American overseas has created a lot of distress for me and my family. I have never earned income in the United States nor have I lived in the United States, thus the US should not have any right to any information regarding my bank accounts. I feel that this law is breaking GDPR and is infringing on our rights to privacy in Europe.

In addition, the threat of fines that are imposed on Americans who do not file forms is outrageous and causes an abundance of stress. We have an obligation to disclose our balances of our bank accounts within our country of residence, and again I am not sure why the US has any right to my bank account information even if my family has signatory rights- my country has this information, I never lived or earned income in the United States. It is also extremely confusing what is considered a financial account, and what is required to be filed.

I ask on behalf of my family:

Please, Exempt U.S. persons from reporting the financial accounts in their country of residence.

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