Samoa

Overall Risk Score: 50

Risk Level: medium

This score is a composite of the four domain scores discussed below, which are weighted and combined to produce the overall country risk score. Each country is given a score from 1 to 100 for each domain and for the total bribery risk. A higher score indicates a higher risk of business bribery. Assessments of whether a given domain score is “good” or “poor” are made relative to all other jurisdictions within that domain.

1. Business Interactions with Government: Samoa receives a medium score of 47 in this domain, based on a medium degree of government interaction, a high expectation of bribes, and a low regulatory burden.

2. Anti-bribery Deterrence and Enforcement: Samoa has no data for this domain. It receives a good score of 41 based on a gradient-boosting imputation algorithm.

3. Government and Civil Service Transparency: Samoa receives a poor score of 78 in this domain, based on poor governmental transparency and poor transparency of financial interests.

4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight: Samoa receives a medium score of 31 in this domain, based on a high degree of media freedom/quality and a medium degree of civil society engagement.

TRACE Bribery Risk Typology:
Authoritarian with robust enforcement

This group may be described as having a less democratic form of government while maintaining an effective enforcement environment.

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