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**NOTIFICATION BASED ON ARTICLE 22.1 AND 22.2
OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE UNITED STATES

The following communication, dated 22 May 2023, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States.

The United States hereby makes the following notifications in response to Article 22.1 and 22.2 of the Trade Facilitation Agreement (WT/L/931).

1 NOTIFIED UNDER ARTICLE 22.1:

1.1. Annex I contains the information required pursuant to Article 22.1. It covers calendar year 2021, which is the latest year for which full information is available. With respect to Article 22.1(c), relevant information is contained in US Agency for International Development (USAID) Program Cycle, a framework which links the fundamental components of USAID's programming, including: Country/Regional Strategic Planning; Project Design and Implementation; Activity Design and Implementation; Monitoring and Evaluation; and Collaborating, Learning and Adapting. The Program Cycle is codified in the Automated Directive Systems (ADS) Chapter 201, which is USAID's operational model for planning, delivering, assessing and adapting development programming in a given region or country. Additional details can be found on USAID's website under Strategy and Planning at: <https://www.usaid.gov/results-and-data/planning>. The ADS 201 can be found at: <https://www.usaid.gov/ads/policy/200/201>.

1.2. Specific information regarding Millennium Challenge Corporation partnerships can be found under specific country links here: <https://mcc.gov/where-we-work>.

2 NOTIFIED UNDER ARTICLE 22.2:

Information on the process and mechanisms for requesting assistance and support for capacity building is as follows: USAID is the lead agency for the United States in providing capacity assistance and technical assistance. USAID maintains a comprehensive and informative website about their ongoing work, types of assistance available, mission statements, and contact information. Information about current programs and missions, accessing such programs and missions, and mission directory with contact points, and can be accessed at this webpage: <https://www.usaid.gov/where-we-work>.

2.1. The national contact points for the United States are:

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ANNEX 1

Description of the technical and financial assistance and capacity building resources	Status and amount committed/ Disbursed (USD)	Beneficiary country/Region (where necessary)	The implementing agency in the Member providing assistance	Procedures for disbursement of the assistance
*	\$72,300.00	Afghanistan	AID	ADS 201
*	\$4,157,360.00	Afghanistan	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$3,003,060.00	Asia, regional	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$443,930.00	Azerbaijan	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$586,370.00	Bilateral, unspecified	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$7,535,800.00	Bilateral, unspecified	AID	ADS 201
Border measures	\$7,210.00	Bilateral, unspecified	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$227,520.00	Bilateral, unspecified	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$109,550.00	Bilateral, unspecified	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$492,950.00	Bilateral, unspecified	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$1,005,930.00	Bosnia and Herzegovina	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$663,580.00	Central America, regional	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$2,935,970.00	Central Asia, regional	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$721,820.00	Eastern Africa, regional	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$297,970.00	El Salvador	AID	ADS 201

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NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$263,790.00	El Salvador	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$23,220.00	El Salvador	AID	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$157,510.00	Ghana	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$1,207,140.00	Guatemala	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$96,210.00	Haiti	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$34,510.00	Haiti	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$1,205,660.00	Indonesia	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$398,680.00	Jordan	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$1,055,970.00	Lao People's Democratic Republic	AID	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$3,150.00	Mozambique	AID	ADS 201
*	\$661,940.00	Myanmar	AID	ADS 201
*	\$2,119,800.00	Myanmar	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$83,750.00	Oceania, regional	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$2,114,280.00	Pakistan	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$2,415,000.00	Philippines	AID	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$829,530.00	Philippines	AID	ADS 201

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NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$1,883,710.00	Philippines	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$100,000.00	Philippines	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$1,407,140.00	Senegal	AID	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$100,800.00	Senegal	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$55,110.00	Senegal	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$4,638,960.00	South Africa	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$131,190.00	South Africa	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$2,679,810.00	South of Sahara, regional	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$753,460.00	Southern Africa, regional	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$490.00	Turkmenistan	AID	ADS 201
*	\$456,020.00	Ukraine	AID	ADS 201
*	\$7,734,580.00	Ukraine	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$59,490.00	Uzbekistan	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$941,730.00	Viet Nam	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$4,586,750.00	Viet Nam	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$4,078,090.00	Viet Nam	AID	ADS 201

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Publication and trade promotion	\$6,328,730.00	Western Africa, regional	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$549,490.00	Western Africa, regional	AID	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$68,500.00	Western Africa, regional	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$1,486,180.00	Western Africa, regional	AID	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$1,674,890.00	Zambia	AID	ADS 201
Publication and trade promotion	\$48,330.00	Zambia	AID	ADS 201
Border and related agencies capacity building	\$101,370.00	El Salvador	MCC	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$31,160.00	China (People's Republic of)	TDA	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$62,320.00	China (People's Republic of)	TDA	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$47,900.00	India	TDA	ADS 201
Administrative procedures	\$67,260.00	India	TDA	ADS 201
NCTF and private sector engagement and capacity building	\$44,720.00	South & Central Asia, regional	TDA	ADS 201

Note: Calendar year 2021 OECD reported information; and Agencies listed: Department of Energy (DOE); Department of Homeland Security (DHS) (includes Customs and Border Protection); Department of State (DOS); US Agency for International Development (AID); Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC); Department of Commerce (DOC); US African Development Foundation (ADF); Trade and Development Agency (TDA).

* indicates USAID redacted this field in accordance with the exceptions outlined in the Foreign Aid Transparency and Accountability Act of 2016.