



SCB GHANA ABC PROGRAM

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Here for good





Group recognizes the <u>critical importance</u> of <u>protecting the integrity</u> of the global financial system <u>from financial crime</u>, particularly from the <u>laundering</u> of the proceeds of crime, <u>terrorist financing</u>, and <u>Bribery and Corruption</u>.

Financial Crime Risk

The potential for legal or regulatory penalties, material financial loss or reputational damage resulting from the failure to comply with applicable laws and regulations relating to International Sanctions, Anti-Money Laundering and Anti-Bribery

FC Risk Appetite

The Group has no appetite for breaches in laws and regulations related to Financial Crime, recognising that whilst incidents are unwanted, they cannot be entirely avoided

FC Risk Type Framework

Sets out the overall risk management approach to FC as a Principal Risk Type

FC Risk Type Framework

The Group measures the inherent and residual FC risk through the Group Risk Assessment and implements Policies, Standards and Controls to manage FC within its approved risk appetite.

The Bank's commitment in this area ensures it's long-term stability and fulfils the Group's '<u>Here for good'</u> Promise





Group's Board Risk Statement for ABC:

"The Group will demonstrate that it is leading the way in combating financial crime, whilst providing quality service for its Clients. The Group will also continuously improve the design and execution of its Anti-Bribery and Corruption compliance framework and benchmark consistently against peer practices."



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ABC Mission

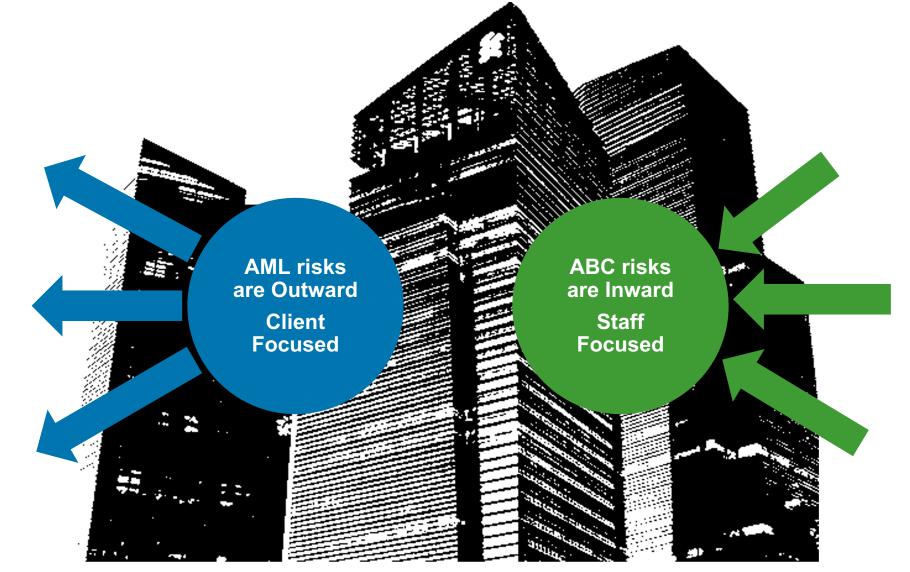
Leading the fight against bribery and corruption through a best in class ABC programme that protects the Bank whilst partnering to raise ethical business standards across our markets

A Group Anti-Bribery and Corruption Policy defines statements of principle to reflect a **zero-tolerance approach**.

ABC risk vs. AML/Sanctions risk







What do we mean by "bribery"?

Free use of facilities and / or office space.



Insider information.



Active Bribery	Foreign Public Officials	Corporate Liability	Passive Bribery
An agent of the Bank	An agent of the Bank	. An agent of the Bank	Someone else
Bribes someone else's agent	Gives an advantage to an FPO	Commits active bribery or bribes an FPO	Bribes an agent of the Bank
To do something improper	To influence their decisions and get an advantage for the	And the Bank fails to stop it.	To do something improper
So as to get an advantage for the Bank.	Bank. No need for the	The only defence is to have "adequate	Against the Bank's interests.
	recipient to be influenced to act improperly.	procedures".	Source: UK Bribery Act 2010
ibes can be anything value	Money or cash.	Jobs, or even unpaid internships.	Lavish gifts or entertainment.
os for family members / extra acc	commodation. Invitations	to training and / or seminars.	Charitable donations or sponsor

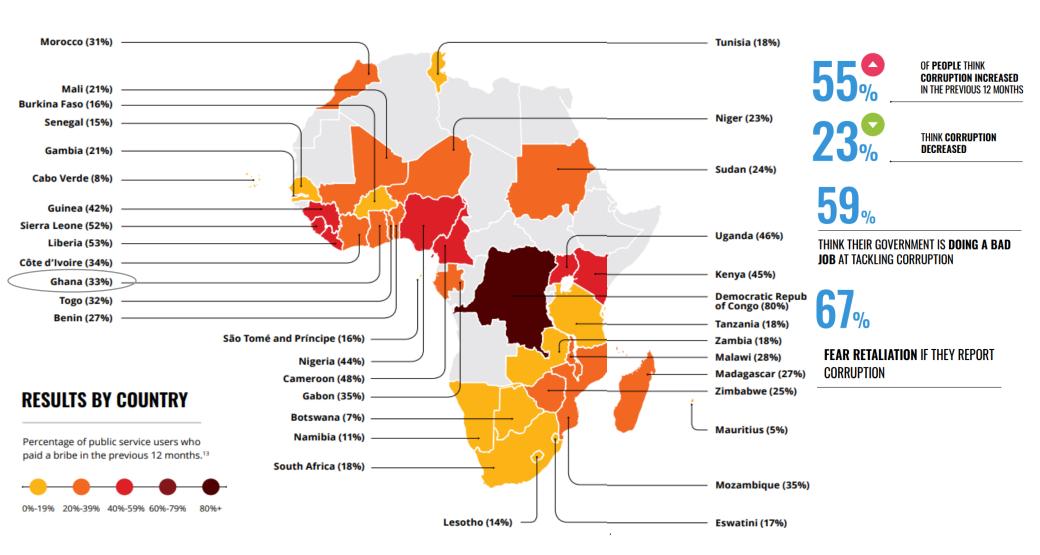
Loans at preferred rates.

Standard Chartered Bank Ghana

Global Corruption Barometer Africa 2019



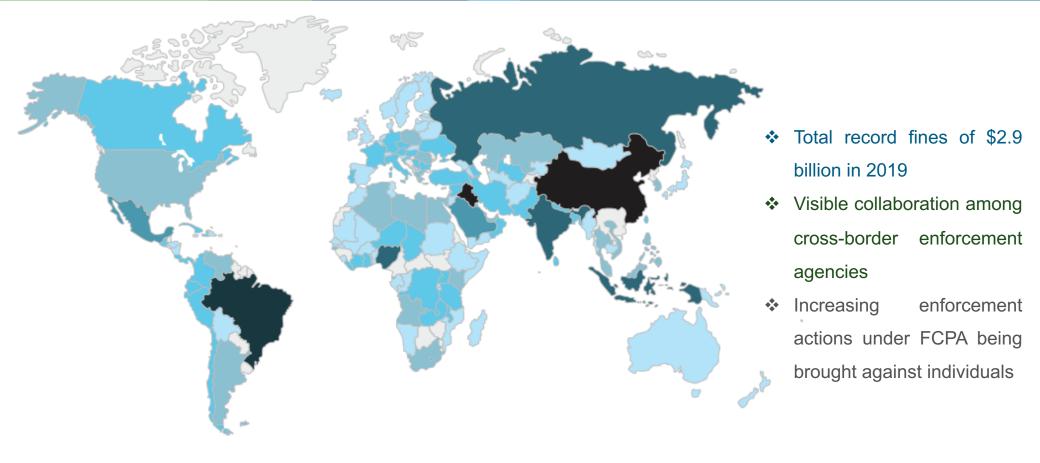








ABC Enforcement Trends



Number of Enforcement Events

■ 0-4 ■ 5-14 ■ 15-24 ■ 25-34 ■ 35-54 ■ 55-74 ■ 75+ □ N/A

Source: 2019 Trace Global Enforcement Report

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ABC Internal Risk Areas

Procurement, Suppliers & Intermediaries

Engaging a vendor to perform services and that vendor engages in bribery. Heightened risk for intermediaries, who are engaged to obtain clients or government approvals, licenses,

<u>Hiring</u> <u>Practices</u>

Hiring a candidate for employment (as staff, intern, etc.) as a way of making a bribe

<u>Business</u> <u>Deals</u>

Joint Ventures, Equity Investments, M&A, Project Finance

<u>Gifts &</u> <u>Entertainment</u>

Business hospitality including meals, travel, gifts conferences, training, will be used to, or create the appearance it is being used to, make a bribe

Sponsorships & Donations

The giving of a sponsorship or donation is used to disguise a bribe or it creates the appearance that it is being used as a bribe

<u>Other</u> <u>Payments</u>

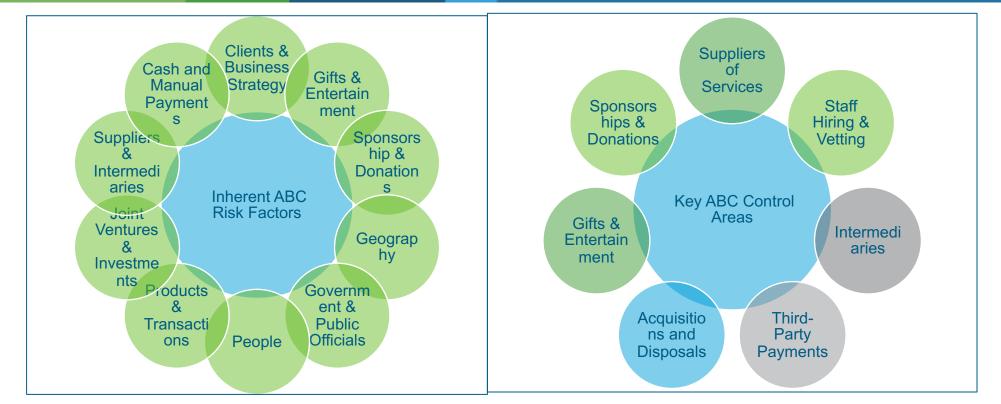
Facilitation payments, Lobbying payments, or other payments constitute a bribe or may be perceived to be a bribe

Group ABC team works with business & functions to develop and implement new controls relating to the following risk areas which are regularly assessed and updated. Standard Chartered Bank Ghana 8



Establishing the Foundation & Objectively Assessing Risk

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"FI's can manage ABC Risk, but to do so requires a lens that is ABC focused, illuminates the critical ABC risks and reflects how successful the Bank is in mitigating those risks, using objective criteria set against thoughtful tolerances and within an overall risk appetite."

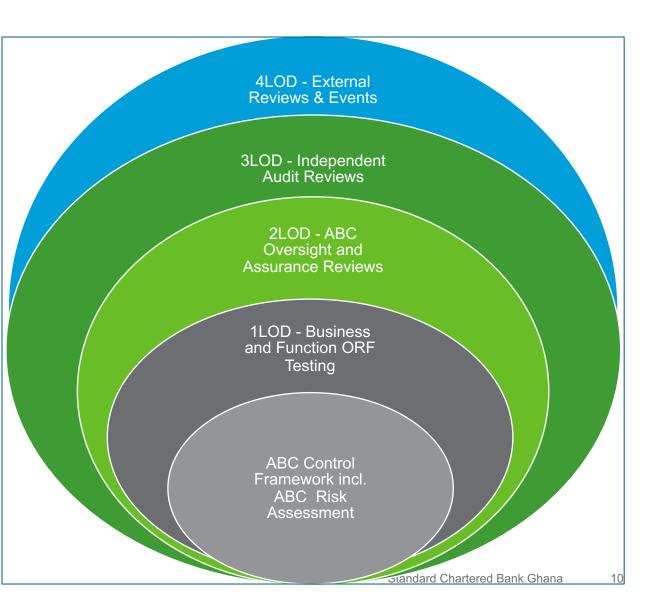


ABC Risk Management

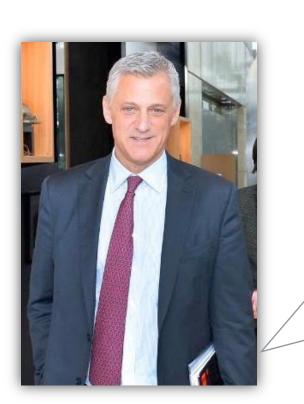




- Identify the inherent risk
- Develop controls to manage the risk, using an ABC lens
- Implement and utilise the Lines of Defence to test the effectiveness of that framework
- Obtain a view on residual risk



Tone from the Top



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"We have a responsibility to the broader communities in which we operate.

Our ethical standards must be beyond reproach and we must play a robust role in the global fight against financial crime.

That is a key role for any bank in the world today and is one that we will continue to embrace. We must remain Here for good."

-Bill Winters, Group Chief Executive



These financial institutions provided employment positions to the family members of foreign public officials through official or specially-devised hiring programs with the intended goal to retain business opportunities, despite some candidates being unqualified.

Internal accounting controls around the firms' hiring practices didn't provide reasonable assurances to prevent the bribery to government officials.

Rather, internal corporate records were falsified to conceal the true source and reason of the hiring.



Speaking Up

All Staff are responsible for Speaking Up if you suspect non-compliance with any Group polices & procedures and/or the Group Code of Conduct.

Group Code of Conduct

- Living the code day by day by Staff
- Reject Bribery and Corruption





