Benin

**Overall Risk Score: 53**

**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:** Benin receives a medium score of 57 in this domain, based on a medium degree of government interaction, a medium expectation of bribes, and a high regulatory burden.

2. **Anti-bribery Deterrence and Enforcement:** Benin receives a good score of 41 in this domain, based on a high quality of anti-bribery dissuasion and a medium quality of anti-bribery enforcement.

3. **Government and Civil Service Transparency:** Benin receives a poor score of 66 in this domain, based on medium governmental transparency and poor transparency of financial interests.

4. **Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** Benin receives a medium score of 39 in this domain, based on a medium degree of media freedom/quality and a medium degree of civil society engagement.

![Bar chart showing the breakdown of the risk score into Total Score, Opportunity, Deterrence, Transparency, and Oversight, with scores of 53, 57, 41, 66, and 39 respectively.]

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