

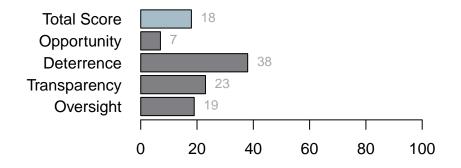
## **United States**

## **Overall Risk Score: 18**

## **Risk Level: very low**

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:** The United States receives a very good score of 7 in this domain, based on a very low degree of government interaction, a low expectation of bribes, and a very low regulatory burden.
- 2. **Anti-bribery Deterrence and Enforcement:** The United States receives a good score of 38 in this domain, based on a high quality of anti-bribery dissuasion and a high quality of anti-bribery enforcement.
- 3. **Government and Civil Service Transparency:** The United States receives a good score of 23 in this domain, based on good governmental transparency and good transparency of financial interests.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight: The United States receives a good score of 19 in this domain, based on a high degree of media freedom/quality and a high degree of civil society engagement.



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