



## Benin

Ratified Agreement: Yes

Ratification Date: 2018-03-28

Implementation Notifications (Categories A, B, C)	Due date	Status
Notified all category ABC designations	by 22 February 2018	<span>Yes</span>
A - 65.5% B - 21.8% C - 12.6%	Not yet notified - 0.0%	
Notified indicative dates in Category B	by 22 February 2018	<span>Yes</span>
Notified definitive dates in Category B	by 22 February 2020	<span>Yes</span>
Notified indicative dates in Category C	by 22 February 2021	<span>Yes</span>
Notified definitive dates in Category C	by 22 August 2022	<span>Yes</span>
Notified Technical Assistance requirements	by 22 February 2019	<span>Yes</span>
Notified arrangements on the provision of technical assistance support	by 22 February 2021	<span>No</span>
Notified progress in the provision of technical assistance support	by 22 August 2022	<span>No</span>

## Transparency notifications

Notified Art. 1.4	Category B	Definitive implementation date 30 June 2020	No
Notified Art. 10.4.3	Category B	Definitive implementation date 31 December 2020	No
Notified Art. 10.6.2	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2018	No
Notified Art. 12.2	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2018	No

## Information on Assistance and Capacity Building

Notified Art. 22.3	Yes
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**Legend:** Yes      No      Notification presented      Notification due      No      Notification not yet due

Implementation schedule		Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
1.1	Publication	A	by 22 February 2018
1.2	Information available through internet	B	by 31 December 2019 by 30 June 2020
1.3	Enquiry points	A	by 22 February 2018
1.4	Notification	B	by 31 December 2019 by 30 June 2020
2.1	Comments and information before entry into force	B	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
2.2	Consultations	B	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
3	Advance rulings	A	by 22 February 2018
4	Procedures for appeal or review	B	by 30 April 2020 by 31 December 2020
5.1	Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections	A	by 22 February 2018
5.2	Detention	A	by 22 February 2018
5.3	Test procedures	A	by 22 February 2018
6.1	General disciplines on fees and charges	A	by 22 February 2018
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	A	by 22 February 2018
6.3	Penalty Disciplines	A	by 22 February 2018
7.1	Pre-arrival processing	A	by 22 February 2018
7.2	Electronic payment	B	by 29 March 2019 by 31 December 2020
7.3	Separation of release	C	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
7.4	Risk management	B	by 31 December 2019 by 30 June 2020

Implementation schedule		Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
7.5	Post-clearance audit	A	by 22 February 2018
7.6	Average release times	C	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
7.7	Authorized operators	A	by 22 February 2018
7.8	Expedited shipments	B	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
7.9	Perishable goods	A	by 22 February 2018
8	Border Agency Cooperation	B	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
9	Movement of goods	A	by 22 February 2018
10.1	Formalities	A	by 22 February 2018
10.2	Acceptance of copies	B	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
10.3	Use of international standards	A	by 22 February 2018
10.4	Single window	B	by 30 June 2020 by 31 December 2020
10.5	Preshipment inspection	A	by 22 February 2018
10.6	Use of customs brokers	A	by 22 February 2018
10.7	Common border procedures	A	by 22 February 2018
10.8	Rejected Goods	A	by 22 February 2018
10.9	Temporary admission of goods and inward and outward processing	A	by 22 February 2018
11	Transit	C	by 31 December 2020 by 31 December 2021
12	Customs cooperation	A	by 22 February 2018

## Legend

A	Notified in Cat. A	Ap	Partially notified in A		
B	Notified in Cat. B	Bp	Partially notified in B	G>B	Shift from C to B
C	Notified in Cat. C	Cp	Partially notified in C	B>C	Shift from B to C
N	Not yet notified	E	Extension of time requested		

## Notifications and other documents

Symbol	Date	Description
G/TFA/W/92	2023-07-05	The role of technology transfer in building resilience: Trade Facilitation
G/TFA/N/BEN/2	2020-02-21	Categories A, B, C
G/TFA/N/BEN/1	2020-01-30	Article 22.3

7.3 Separation of release



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7.3.2 (a), (b)  
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**Indicative date of implementation**

30 June 2020

**Definitive date of implementation**

31 December 2020

**Assistance required for implementation**

- Evaluation of the existing provision
- Capacity-building for the various stakeholders
- Experience-sharing with States that have achieved successful implementation
- Training in the formulation of technical assistance

**Tags:** *Diagnostic and Needs Assessment, Human resources and training*

7.6.1  
7.6.2**Indicative date of implementation**  
30 June 2020**Definitive date of implementation**  
31 December 2020**Assistance required for implementation**

- Organization of a mission to share experiences and good practices
- WCO TACB mission on TRS

**Tags:** *Human resources and training*

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**Indicative date of implementation**

31 December 2020

**Definitive date of implementation**

31 December 2021

**Assistance required for implementation**

- Capacity-building with regard to 'freedom of transit' or World Customs Organization (WCO) directives relating to transit
- Technical assistance for the establishment of joint border posts (JBP), separate physical infrastructures for transit traffic

**Tags:** *Legislative and regulatory framework, Infrastructure and equipment, Human resources and training***Legend**

Notified in Cat. C

Cp



Donor arrangement notified

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Extension of time requested

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