

TERMINATION OF THE DESIGNATION OF BURKINA  
FASO AS A BENEFICIARY SUB-SAHARAN AFRICAN  
COUNTRY UNDER THE AFRICAN GROWTH AND OP-  
PORTUNITY ACT

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COMMUNICATION

FROM

**THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES**

TRANSMITTING

NOTIFICATION OF THE INTENT TO TERMINATE THE DESIGNATION  
OF BURKINA FASO AS A BENEFICIARY SUB-SAHARAN AFRICAN  
COUNTRY UNDER THE AFRICAN GROWTH AND OPPORTUNITY  
ACT AS OF JANUARY 1, 2023, PURSUANT TO 19 U.S.C.  
2466a(a)(3)(B); PUBLIC LAW 93-618, SEC. 506A(a)(3)(B) (AS ADDED  
BY PUBLIC LAW 114-27, SEC. 105(a)(2)); (129 STAT. 365)



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THE WHITE HOUSE,  
*Washington, November 1, 2022.*

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives,*  
*Washington, DC.*

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: In accordance with section 506A(a)(3)(B) of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2466a(a)(3)(B)), I am providing advance notification of my intent to terminate the designation of Burkina Faso as a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country under the African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA).

I am taking this step because I have determined that the Government of Burkina Faso has not established, or is not making continual progress toward establishing, the protection of the rule of law and of political pluralism, as stated in the eligibility requirements of section 104 of the AGOA.

Accordingly, I intend to terminate the designation of Burkina Faso as a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country under the AGOA, effective January 1, 2023. I will continue to assess whether the Government of Burkina Faso is making continual progress toward meeting the AGOA eligibility requirements.

Sincerely,

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, Jr.

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