



## Will South Africa's ratification of the OECD anti-bribery convention have any sustainable impact on the country's corruption perceptions index?

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