

*United States Government*  
**2004 Trade Capacity Building Assistance (\$US)**  
***GHANA***

<b>Activity Title</b>	<b>Activity Description</b>	<b>TCB Category</b>	<b>FY 04 Total</b>
<b>Ghana - Timebound Program to Combat the Worst Forms of Child Labor</b>	Provides capacity to governments to adhere to internationally recognized labor standards, including freedom from child labor, which is a requirement for receipt of U.S. trade benefits. Funded and implemented by Department of Labor/ILAB.	Human Resources & Labor Standards	<b>4,750,000</b>
<b>Improving Labor Law Compliance in Ghana</b>	This project funded a study tour of the Ghanaian labor ministry officials to the U.S. in order to learn about U.S. laws, regulations, polices, and procedures with respect to implementing wages and hour laws, occupational safety and health laws, and collecting labor market statistics. Funded and implemented by Department of Labor/ILAB.	Human Resources & Labor Standards	<b>100,000</b>
<b>Trade Investment Reform Program (TIRP)</b>	The Trade and Investment Reform Program (TIRP) focuses on three major components: macro, trade and financial sector policy and institutional reforms, capacity of firms to export selected non-traditional exports, including tourism, and technical assistance for countries negotiating the West African Gas pipeline. TIRP's main focus is aimed at expanding Ghana's economy and is in its final year. The program supports key macro and sectoral policy reforms and provides TA and training to improve the investment environment and technical/managerial capacity of Ghanaian enterprises. Policy reforms focus on eliminating or revising regulations that adversely impact international competitiveness in sectors with the best export potential. The program also strives to promote tourism-led economic growth which focuses on continued support to the private sector tourism industry to generate increased foreign exchange, employment and income. The program is designed specifically to attract foreign tourism trade. Funded and implemented by USAID/Ghana.	Export Promotion	635,792
		Business Services & Training	1,112,636
		Regional Trade Agreements (RTA)	158,948
		Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	741,757
		Tourism Sector Development	2,649,134
		<b>Activity Total</b>	<b>5,298,267</b>
<b>Treasury International Affairs Technical Assistance-Government-Debt Program</b>	The Government Debt Team from the Treasury Department is providing advisors to help the Government of Ghana to improve its strategic debt management, leading to more prudent fiscal policies, an expanded its financial sector, and the enabling environment for international trade. Funded and implemented by Department of Treasury/IATA.	Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	<b>276,804</b>
<b>Treasury International Affairs Technical Assistance-Tax Program</b>	The Tax Team from the Treasury Department is providing advisors to help the Government of Ghana to improve its tax administration capacity, leading to more prudent fiscal policies, a more favorable business climate, and the enabling environment for international trade. Funded and implemented by Department of Treasury/IATA.	Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	<b>203,149</b>
<b>Total FY04 USG Trade Capacity Building Assistance to Ghana</b>			<b>10,628,220</b>