

U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

Supplemental Statement**Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended**For 6 Month Period Ending 04/30/2025

(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant
The Whitaker Group, Inc.
- (b) Registration Number
7482
- (c) Primary Business Address
1818 Library Street, Suite 500, Reston, VA 20190

2. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following?

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address(es) Yes No (2) Citizenship Yes No (3) Occupation Yes No

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name Yes No (2) Ownership or control Yes No (3) Branch offices Yes No

(c) Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Items (a) and (b) above.

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSES TO ITEMS 3, 4, 5, AND 6.3. If the registrant previously filed an Exhibit C¹, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period. Yes No If yes, has the registrant filed an updated Exhibit C? Yes No

If no, please file the updated Exhibit C.

¹ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, and by laws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530.)

4. (a) Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(b) Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position	Date Ceased
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5. (a) Has any person named in Item 4(a) rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal?

Yes No

If yes, identify each such person and describe the service rendered.

Name	Foreign Principal(s) Represented	Services
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(b) During this 6 month reporting period, did any employee or individual working in any capacity (including a partner, officer, director or similar official), other than in a clerical or secretarial capacity or in a related or similar capacity, begin rendering services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal(s)? Yes No

Name	Foreign Principal	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
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(c) Have any employees or individuals (including partners, officers, directors or similar officials), who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Date Terminated
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(d) Have any employees or individuals (including partners, officers, directors or similar officials), who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their connection with any foreign principal during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Foreign Principal	Date Terminated
Rosa M. Whitaker	President & CEO	African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	02/07/2025
Mekete ("Mike") Zeleke	consultant	African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	02/07/2025

6. Have short form registration statements been previously filed by all of the persons named in Items 5(a) and 5(b) of this supplemental statement or submitted with this filing? Yes No

II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

7. Has the registrant's connection with any foreign principal(s) ended during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date of Termination
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	02/07/2025

8. Has the registrant registered for any new foreign principal(s)² during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date Registered
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9. In addition to those named in Items 7 and 8, if any, list the foreign principal(s) whom the registrant continued to represent during this 6 month reporting period.

None

10. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant filed an amendment for changes to Exhibits A³ and/or B⁴ previously filed for any foreign principal(s)? Yes No

If no, and there is a change to any Exhibit A and/or B, please file an amendment if it is required.

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date Amended
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² The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in Section 1(b) of the Act, an individual organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a) (9)). A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

³ The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form NSD-3, sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

⁴ The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form NSD-4, sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes No

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail all activities and services:

Foreign Principal	Activities/Services
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	Registrant engaged with the Congress, the Executive Branch, and public policy institutes ("Think Tanks") to discuss and advocate for reauthorization of the African Growth & Opportunity Act ("AGOA") and advised the African Export-Import Bank ("Bank") on related subjects.

12. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant, on behalf of any foreign principal, engaged in political activity⁵ as defined below? Yes No

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures, social media, internet postings, or media broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter. The response must include, but not be limited to, activities involving lobbying, promotion, perception management, public relations, economic development, and preparation and dissemination of informational materials.

Set forth below a general description of the registrant's political activities.

See Appendix for Response

Set forth below in the required detail the registrant's political activities.

Foreign Principal	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
See Appendix for Response				

13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, has the registrant engaged in activity or rendered any services on its own behalf which benefits the registrant's foreign principal(s)? Yes No

If yes, describe fully.

Foreign Principal	Activities/Services

⁵ "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity that the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION**14. (a) RECEIPTS-MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant received from any foreign principal, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise?

Yes No

If no, please explain why no monies were received.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.⁶

Foreign Principal See Appendix for Response	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
					\$ 67,200.00
					Total

(b) RECEIPTS - FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant received, as part of a fundraising campaign⁷, any money on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes No

If yes, has the registrant previously filed an Exhibit D⁸ to its registration? Yes No

If yes, indicate the date the Exhibit D was filed. Date _____

If no, please file the required Exhibit D.

(c) RECEIPTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant received any thing of value⁹ other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal? Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Thing of Value
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^{6, 7} A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he/she collects or receives contributions, loans, moneys, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fundraising campaign. (See Rule 201(e)).

⁸ An Exhibit D, for which no printed form is provided, sets forth an account of money collected or received as a result of a fundraising campaign and transmitted for a foreign principal.

⁹ Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) **DISBURSEMENTS-MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement or transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes No

If no, explain why no disbursements were made.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Foreign Principal	Date	Recipient	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Audio Visuals, LLC	Payment for microphones and related services for AV at lunch hosted by The Bennett Group to discuss AGOA.	\$ 1,350.00	
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$ 1,350.00

\$	1,350.00
	<u>Total</u>

(b) DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant disposed of anything of value¹⁰ other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date	Recipient	Purpose	Thing of Value
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(c) DISBURSEMENTS-POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant (or any short form registrant) from its own funds and on its own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value¹¹ in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office?

Yes No

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Donor	Political Organization/Candidate	Method	Amount/Thing of Value
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^{10, 11} Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

V - INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS

16. (a) During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant prepared, disseminated or caused to be disseminated any informational materials?¹² Yes No

(b) If yes, identify each such foreign principal for which informational materials were disseminated and respond to the remaining items in this section.

African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)

17. During this 6 month reporting period, has a budget been established or specified sum of money allocated to finance the registrant's activities in preparing or disseminating informational materials? Yes No

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, and specify the period of time and the amount.

Foreign Principal	Period of Time	Amount
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Total

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant's activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials included the use of any of the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine or newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising campaigns | <input type="checkbox"/> Press releases | <input type="checkbox"/> Pamphlets or other publications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lectures or speeches | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio or TV broadcasts | <input type="checkbox"/> Motion picture films | <input type="checkbox"/> Letters or telegrams |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email | | | |

Website URL(s): _____

Social media websites URL(s): https://www.linkedin.com/in/rosawhitaker/

Other (specify) See Appendix for Response

19. During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant prepared, disseminated, or caused to be disseminated informational materials among any of the following groups:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public officials | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspapers | <input type="checkbox"/> Libraries |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Legislators | <input type="checkbox"/> Editors | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational institutions |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Government agencies | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Civic groups or associations | <input type="checkbox"/> Nationality groups |

Other (specify) _____

20. Indicate the language used in the informational materials:

- English Other (specify) _____

21. Has the registrant filed with the FARA Unit, U.S. Department of Justice a copy of each item of such informational materials prepared, disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes No

If no, please file the required informational materials.

22. Has the registrant labeled each item of such informational materials with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act?

Yes No

¹² The term informational materials includes any oral, visual, graphic, written, or pictorial information or matter of any kind, including that published by means of advertising, books, periodicals, newspapers, lectures, broadcasts, motion pictures, or any means or instrumentality of interstate or foreign commerce or otherwise. Informational materials disseminated by an agent of a foreign principal as part of an activity in itself exempt from registration, or an activity which by itself would not require registration, need not be filed pursuant to Section 4(b) of the Act.

VI - EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, and subject to the penalties of 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and 22 U.S.C. § 618, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this statement filed pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof, and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date	Printed Name	Signature ¹³
02/10/2025	Rosa whitaker	<input data-bbox="854 499 922 541" type="text" value="Sign"/> /s/Rosa whitaker
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="854 590 922 632" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="854 674 922 716" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____
_____	_____	<input data-bbox="854 758 922 800" type="text" value="Sign"/> _____

¹³ This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.

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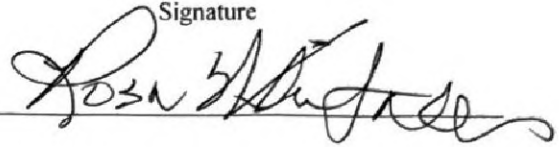
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Printed Name

Signature

Feb. 8, 2025

Rosa Whitaker



Appendix

Response to Item 12-Description

African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC): Registrant engaged with the Congress, the Executive Branch, and public policy institutes ("Think Tanks") to discuss and advocate for reauthorization of the African Growth & Opportunity Act ("AGOA") and advised the African Export-Import Bank (via the Bennett Group) on related subjects.

Appendix Response to Item 12-Detail

Foreign Principal(s)	Date	Contact	Method	Purpose
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Kayla Williams - Chief Of Staff, Office of Rep. Gregory Meeks	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Alexandra Whittaker - Chief Trade Counsel and Trade Subcommittee Staff Director; House Ways & Means Committee, US House of Representatives	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	James Gomez - Senior Legislative Assistant, Office of Congressman Jonathan Jackson	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Angelle Kwemo - Deputy Chief of Staff & Legislative Director, Office of Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Naomie Pierre-Louis - Chief of Staff, Office of Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Fanta Doumbia - Senior Legislative Advisor (Africa Diaspora), Office of Congresswoman Yvette Clarke	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	LaVerne Alexander - Chief of Staff, Office of Congresswoman Yvette Clark	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Elina Vanuska - Policy Fellow, New Democrat Coalition (Portfolio includes AGOA), Office of Rep. Marilyn Strickland	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Lois Lim - Senior Policy and Outreach Advisor, New Dem Coalition, Office of Rep. Marilyn Strickland	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Leighton Huch - Policy Director, New Dem Coalition, Office of Rep. Marilyn Strickland	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Nomcebisi "Noma" Ndlovu - International Trade Policy Advisor (African Diaspora), United States Senate Committee on Finance	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion

African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Vernon Baker - Senior Policy Advisor, Speaker Jeffries' Senior Policy Advisor	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Michael Gray - Senior Outreach Advisor (African Diaspora/Liberia), Office of Senator George Helmy	Email	invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	David Giordano - International Trade Policy Advisor, Ways and Means (Republicans)	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Hilary Pinegar - Legislative Director, Ways and Means (Republicans) - Rep. Jason Smith	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Jorge Rueda - Trade Counsel, House Ways and Means Committee - Minority	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Samantha Schifrin - Foreign Policy and Defense Advisor, Office of Senator Booker	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Darnley Howard - Partner, PAN Diaspora Capital Management/ Advansa International	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Benjamin Mossberg - Deputy Director, Africa Center, Atlantic Council; The Europe Centre	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Ndidi Nwuneli - President & CEO, ONE Campaign	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Sarah Troutman - Director, US Government Relations, ONE Campaign	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Laird Treiber - Senior Adviser, Corporate Council on Africa	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Dr. Witney Schneidman - Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Brookings Institute	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Florie Liser - President & CEO; Chair, Corporate Council on Africa; AGOA Renewal and Enhancement Alliance (AREA)	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Dr. Zainab Usman - Senior Fellow & Director, Africa Program, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (CEIP)	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Melvin Foote - President and CEO, Constituency for Africa	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Oge Onubogu - Director, Africa Program - Wilson	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion

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African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Amb. Rama Yade - Senior Director, Africa Center; Senior Fellow - Atlantic Council; The Europe Center	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Dr. Landry Signé - Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Africa Growth Initiative - Brookings	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Ani Joan Orugboh - International Affairs Government Affairs Advisor, Chevron	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Thomas Sheehy - Distinguished Fellow, United States Institute of Peace	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Dr. Gracelin Baskaran - Director of the Project on Critical Minerals Security, Centre for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/22/2024	Fred Oladeinde - President & Co-Founder, Foundation for Democracy in Africa	Email	Invitation to attend AGOA policy discussion
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Alexandra Whittaker - Chief Trade Counsel and Trade Subcommittee Staff Director; House Ways & Means Committee, US House of Representatives	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Angelle Kwemo - Deputy Chief of Staff & Legislative Director, Office of Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
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African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Dr Zainab Usman - Senior Fellow & Director, Africa Program, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (CEIP)	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Florie Liser - President & CEO, Corporate Council on Africa	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Dr Witney Schneidman - Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Brookings Institute	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Laird Treiber - Senior Adviser, Corporate Council on Africa	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC,

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African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Jorge Rueda - Trade Counsel, House Ways and Means Committee - Minority	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Hilary Pinegar - Legislative Director, Ways and Means (Republicans) - Rep. Jason Smith	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	David Giordano - International Trade Policy Advisor, Ways and Means (Republicans)	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/24/2024	Fanta Doumbia - Senior Legislative Advisor (Africa Diaspora), Office of Congresswoman Yvette Clarke	In Person	Discuss AGOA - exchanged ideas on AGOA opportunities, obstacles and impact with expert insights -- held in DC, co-hosted with Bennett Group & Cormac Group
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	11/08/2024	New York Times correspondent	Email	NYT Requested interview with Ms. Whitaker on AGOA Renewal
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	11/15/2024	New York Times correspondent,	Call	NYT interview with Ms. Whitaker on AGOA Renewal
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	11/15/2024	Oge Onubogu - Director, Africa Program, Wilson Center	Podcast	Conversation on History of AGOA, AGOA Renewal and Recommendations -- requested & disseminated by the Wilson Center
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	11/15/2024	Dr Witney Schneidman - Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Brookings Institute	Podcast	Conversation on History of AGOA, AGOA Renewal and Recommendations -- requested & disseminated by the Wilson Center
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/10/2024	Alexandra Whittaker - Chief Trade Counsel and Trade Subcommittee Staff Director; House Ways & Means	Email	F. Liser request for call with Alexandra Whittaker on AGOA (Rosa Whitaker cc)

		Committee, US House of Representatives		
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/11/2024	Angelle Kwemo - Deputy Chief of Staff & Legislative Director, Office of Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick	Call	Discuss AGOA recommendations
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/12/2024	Cong. Jonathan Jackson - House Committee on Foreign Affairs; House Committee on Agriculture	Call	Discuss support for AGOA
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/12/2024	UBUNTU Circle, ONE Campaign	Call	Discuss policy insights on the importance of AGOA
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/12/2024	James Gomez - Senior Legislative Assistant, Office of Congressman Jonathan Jackson	Call	Discuss support for AGOA
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/13/2024	Constance Hamilton - Assistant US Trade Representative for Africa, Office of the United States Trade Representative	Email	Request clarification of USTR's position on AGOA
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/15/2024	Florie Liser - President & CEO, Corporate Council on Africa	Email	Update AGOA recommendations
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/15/2024	Dr Witney Schneidman - Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Brookings Institute	Email	Discuss updated AGOA recommendations
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/15/2024	Angelle Kwemo - Deputy Chief of Staff & Legislative Director, Office of Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick	Email	Discuss updated AGOA recommendations
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/15/2024	James Gomez - Senior Legislative Assistant, Office of Congressman Jonathan Jackson	Email	Discuss updated AGOA recommendations
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/17/2024	Alexandra Whittaker - Chief Trade Counsel and Trade Subcommittee Staff Director; House Ways & Means Committee, US House of Representatives	Call	Discuss updates & ideas for AGOA
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	12/17/2024	Florie Liser - President & CEO, Corporate Council on Africa	Call	Discuss updates & ideas for AGOA

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Foreign Principal(s)	Date Received	From Whom	Purpose	Amount	Subtotal
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	10/28/2024	African Export-Import Bank	Travel Expenses	\$ 1,850.00	
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	11/22/2024	The Bennett Group DC	Reimbursement for microphones and AV services used at lunch to discuss the African Growth & Opportunity Act	\$ 1,350.00	
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	11/26/2024	The Bennett Group DC	Professional Fees	\$64,000.00	
African Export-Import Bank (via The Bennett Group DC)	-----	-----	-----	----->	\$67,200.00

Appendix Response to Item 18

Item 18: During this 6 month reporting period, has the registrant's activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials include the use of any of the following: Website URL(s):

Podcasts requested and disseminated by the Wilson Center discussing the history of the African Growth & Opportunity Act and its renewal.