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Customs and Anti-Corruption

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In a video interview with David Johnston of *Just Anti-Corruption*, Baker Donelson shareholder and import-export lawyer Ray Sullivan notes that American customs authorities are ramping up their anti-corruption efforts, focusing on cross-border transactions of companies that operate inside and outside the United States. Mr. Sullivan indicates that the inquiries appear to be aimed at making possible referrals to the Justice Department.