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List of related writing

- Constructing Corruption: Identifying the Enablers Helping Build Violent Kleptocracies, September 2022 available [here](#).
- Safe Harbor No More: The UK and International Kleptocracy, December 2020, available [here](#).
- Sudan Banking Sector Reforms and Asset Recovery, October 2021, available [here](#).