U.S. - JORDAN FREE TRADE AGREEMENT

Services Schedule A in Annex 3.1

The United States Of America

Schedule of Specific Commitments

(This is authentic in English only)

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA - SCHEDULE OF SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS

Modes of supply: 1) Cro	oss-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons			
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments			
I. HORIZONTAL COMMITMENTS						
ALL SECTORS COVERED BY THE District of Columbia.	HIS SCHEDULE: For the purpose of this schedule the "	United States" is defined as encompassing the 50 states	ees of the United States, plus			
All Sectors: Temporary Entry And Stay of Natural Persons ¹	4) Unbound, except for measures concerning temporary entry and stay of nationals of another member who fall into the categories listed below:	4) Unbound				
	Services Salespersons - persons not based in the territory of the United States and receiving no remuneration from a source located within the United States, who are engaged in activities					
	related to representing a services supplier for the purpose of negotiating for the sale of the services of that supplier where: a) such sales are not directly made to the general public and b) the					
	salesperson is not engaged in supplying the service. Entry for persons named in this section is limited to a ninety-day period.					

Temporary entry means entry without intent to establish permanent residence under immigration laws of the US and confers no rights with respect to citizenship. US commitments regarding entry and temporary stay in the US do not apply in cases of labour/management disputes.

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	Intra-corporate Transferees - managers, executives and specialists, as defined below, who are employees of firms that provide services within the United States through a branch, subsidiary, or affiliate established in the United States and who have been in the prior employ of their firm outside the United States for a period of not less than one year immediately preceding the date of their application for admission and who are one of the following:		
	a) Managers - persons within an organization who primarily direct the organization, or a department or sub-division of the organization, supervise and control the work of other supervisory, professional or managerial employees, have the authority to hire and fire or recommend hiring, firing, or other personnel actions (such as promotion or leave authorization), and exercise discretionary authority over day-to-day operations. Does not include first-line supervisors, unless the employees supervised are professionals, nor does it include employees who primarily perform tasks necessary for the provision of the service.		

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	b) Executives - persons within the organization who primarily direct the management of the organization, establish the goals and policies of the organization, exercise wide latitude in decision-making, and receive only general supervision or direction from higher-level executives, the board of directors, or stockholders of the business. Executives would not directly perform tasks related to the actual provision of a service or services of the organization. c) Specialists - persons within an organization		
	who possess knowledge at an advanced level of continued expertise and who possess proprietary knowledge of the organization's services, research equipment, techniques, or management. (Specialists may include, but are not limited to, members of licenced professions.) Entry for persons named in this section is limited to a three-year period that may be extended for up to two additional years for a total term not to exceed five years.		

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	Personnel Engaged in Establishment - A person who has been employed in the immediately preceding year by an entity described in Section II, receiving remuneration from that source, who occupies a managerial or executive position with that entity and is entering the territory of the United States for the purpose of establishing an entity described in Section II that will support employment of persons named in paragraphs a), b), and c) therein. The subject persons shall present proof of acquisition of physical premises for the entity that shall commence its business operations within one year of the date of entry of that person.		

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	Fashion Models and Specialty Occupations - Up		
	to 65,000 persons (total number from all eligible		
	countries) annually on a worldwide basis in		
	occupations as set out in 8 USC. § 1101 (a) (15) (H)		
	(i) (b), consisting of (i) fashion models who are of		
	distinguished merit and ability; and (ii) persons		
	engaged in a specialty occupation, requiring (a)		
	theoretical and practical application of a body of		
	highly specialized knowledge; and (b) attainment		
	of a bachelor's or higher degree in the specialty (or		
	its equivalent) as a minimum for entry into the		
	occupation in the United States. Persons seeking		
	admission under (ii) above shall possess the		
	following qualifications: (a) full licensure in a US		
	state to practice in the occupation, if such		
	licensure is required to practice in the occupation		
	in that state; and (b) completion of the required		
	degree, or experience in the specialty equivalent to		
	the completion of the required degree and		
	recognition of expertise in the specialty through		
	progressively responsible positions relating to the		
	specialty. Entry for persons named in this section		
	is limited to three years.		

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	Specialty occupation aliens and their employers must be in compliance with all labour condition application requirements that are attested to by the established employer. These requirements are: a) wages paid to the person are the greater of: 1) the actual wage paid by the employer to individuals in that place of employment with similar qualifications and experience, or 2) the prevailing wage for that occupational classification in the area of employment; b) conditions of work are such that they will not adversely affect working conditions for those similarly employed; c) there is no strike or lockout in the course of a labour/management dispute in progress at the place of employment affecting the subject occupation; labour/management dispute in progress at the place of employment;		

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	d) the employer has not laid off or otherwise displaced workers in the subject occupation in the previous six months and will not lay off or displace any US worker during the 90-day period following the filing of an application or the 90-day periods preceding and following the filing of any visa petition supported by the application; e) the employer has taken and is taking timely and significant steps to recruit and retain sufficient US workers in the specialty occupation; and f) notice is given at the time of application by the employer to employees or their representatives at the place of employment.		
All Sectors: Acquisition of Land	3) None	3) The federal government restricts initial sale of federally-owned lands to US citizens. (Preceding restriction does not apply to foreign-owned companies formed under the laws of any state of the United States.) Acquisition of land reclaimed with federal funds and reclamation of desert land is restricted to individual US citizens	

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		Ownership of land by non-US citizens is limited in: Kentucky (restrictions apply only to individuals, not to foreign-owned companies incorporated within the United States) and South Carolina (applies to individuals and foreign-owned corporations). Purchase of land by non-US citizens not resident within the state is restricted in: Oklahoma, Florida, and Wyoming. In Mississippi, non-US citizens may not purchase more than 5 acres for residential property, or more than 320 acres for industrial development.	
		Non-US citizens may not purchase or bid on sales of public lands in: Hawaii, Idaho, Mississippi, Montana, and Oregon	

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All Sectors: Taxation Measures	1) None 2) None 3) None	1), 2), 3) At the federal level, with respect to direct taxes: Differential tax treatment may be provided between trusts created or organized in the United States to provide employee benefits and trusts not created or organized in the United States and their respective beneficiaries. Such provisions affect the taxation of the income of the trust or the beneficiary, the availability of deductions to taxpayers for contributions to the trust, and tax administration requirements; these provisions include different rules for allowing deductions to, and determining the earnings of, foreign employee benefit plans. An increase in the rate or a widening of the base of a federal income tax may be imposed on a national, resident or corporation of a foreign country where a national, resident or corporation of the United States is being subjected to discriminatory or extraterritorial taxes (as described in section 891 or section 896 of the Internal Revenue Code). At the federal level, with respect to taxes other	

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		An excise tax may be imposed in connection with transfers of any property by a citizen or resident of the United States, or by a domestic entity (corporations, partnership, estate or trust) to a foreign entity (corporation partnership, estate or trust). An excise tax may be imposed on US source gross investment income of foreign organizations that are private foundations.	
	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
All Sectors: Subsidies	1) Unbound	1) Unbound	
	2) Unbound	2) Unbound	
	3) None	3) The Federal Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC) insurance and loan guarantees are not available to certain aliens, foreign enterprises, and foreign-controlled enterprises established in the United States Trade and Development Agency financing is limited to:	

Modes of supply: 1)	Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural p	ersons
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		I. individuals 1) who are either US citizens or non-US citizens lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United States and 2) whose principal places of business are in the United States, or	
		II. privately-owned commercial corporations or partnerships that are incorporated or legally organized under the laws of the United States and whose principal places of business are in the United States and (1) that are more than 50 per cent beneficially owned by individuals who are US citizens or (2) that have been incorporated or legally organized in the United States for more than 3 years, have performed similar services in each of the prior 3 years, and employ US citizens in more than half of their permanent full-time positions in the United States and have the existing capability in the United States to perform the contract	
		Unbound for measures at the federal, state or local levels that accord rights or preferences to members of socially or economically disadvantaged groups in the United States, including:	

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		Federal Small Business Administration - loans are restricted to US citizens or companies that are 100 per cent owned by US citizens and whose directors are all US citizens	
		Maine - The Maine Veterans Small Business Loan Guarantee Program provides guarantees to eligible resident veterans for business loans from local lending institutions. A qualifying business is one that is independently owned and operated in Maine, and the applicant must be a war veteran. The Small Business Loan Guarantee Program in Maine provides guarantees of	
		loans made by private lenders to eligible residents of Maine for business purposes.	

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		Maryland - The Maryland Small Business Development Financing Authority makes direct loans to socially or economically disadvantaged business persons. Applicants must be US citizens and have a business that is 70 per cent owned by socially or economically disadvantaged persons. Applicants for the Maryland Small Business Surety Bond Guarantee Program must be US citizens and, if entities, must have their principal places of business in Maryland.	
		Minnesota - Community Development Corporations are only eligible to receive grants if 60 per cent of their directors are residents of the specific geographic community in Minnesota within which they will operate.	
		Oregon - Oregon law requires that the Economic Development Corporation (EDC) give preference in OBDF loans to businesses owned in whole or in part by dislocated timber workers.	
		Pennsylvania - Minority Business Development Authority provides long-term low interest loans to minority-owned businesses. Applicants must be Blacks, Aleuts, Eskimos, Hispanics or American Indians who are residents of Pennsylvania.	

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	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	Unbound for research and development subsidies 4) None	

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II. SECTOR-SPECIFIC COMM	TTMENTS		
1. BUSINESS SERVICES			
A. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES			
a) 1) Legal Services: practice as or through a qualified US lawyer	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: in (all states)		
	An in-state office must be maintained for licensure in: District of Columbia, Indiana (or an affiliate with an office and with other attorneys in the state), Michigan, Minnesota (or maintain individual residency in Minnesota), Mississippi, New Jersey, Ohio, South Dakota and Tennessee.	 In-state or US residency is required for licensure in: Hawaii, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota (or maintain an office in Minnesota), Mississippi, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, Wyoming. 	
	An in-state office must be maintained for licensure in: District of Columbia, Indiana (or an affiliate with an office and with other attorneys in the state), Michigan, Minnesota (or maintain individual residency in Minnesota), Mississippi, New Jersey, Ohio, South Dakota and Tennessee.	2) In-state or US residency is required for licensure in: Hawaii, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota (or maintain an office in Minnesota), Mississippi, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, Wyoming.	

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	3) Services must be supplied by a natural person	3) None	
	Partnership in law firms is limited to persons licenced as lawyers		
	US citizenship is required to practice before the US Patent and Trademark Office		
	4) Services must be supplied by a natural person	4) In-state or US residency is required for licensure in: Hawaii, Iowa, Kansas,	
	An in-state office must be maintained for licensure in: District of Columbia, Indiana (or	Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota (or maintain an office in Minnesota),	
	an affiliate with an office and with other attorneys in the state), Michigan, Minnesota (or maintain individual residency in	Mississippi, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, Wyoming.	
	Minnesota), Mississippi, New Jersey, Ohio, South Dakota and Tennessee.		
	US Citizenship is required to practice before		
	the US Patent and Trademark Office		

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a) 2) Legal Services:		For the following jurisdiction, the following		DAMAGES OF THE STATE OF THE STA	a)	Practice of international
consultancy on law of		commitments apply: Alaska ²			<i>a)</i>	law: permitted, provided
jurisdiction where service		communicity appry. Attaska				foreign legal consultant
supplier is qualified as a	1)	None	1)	None		(FLC) is competent.
lawyer (such consultancy	1)	None	1)	None	b)	Practice of 3rd-country law:
excludes the following:	2)	None	2)	None	0)	permitted provided that
i) appearing for a person	2)	None	2)	None		FLC obtains written legal
other than himself or herself	3)	None	3)	None		advice from an attorney
as attorney in any court, or	3)	None	3)	None		licenced in that jurisdiction.
before any magistrate or	4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4)	None	c)	Practice of host-country
other judicial officer, in this	(4)	section	4)	None	()	law: permitted provided
· ·		section				that FLC obtains written
state (other than upon						
admission <u>pro haec vice</u>);						legal advice from an
ii) preparing any instrument						attorney licenced to
effecting the transfer or					15	practice in that jurisdiction.
registration of title to real					d)	Association with local
estate located in the United						lawyers: partnerships with
States of America;						local lawyers permitted.
iii) preparing any will or					e)	Employment of local
trust instrument effecting						lawyers: permitted.
the disposition on death of					f)	Use of firm name: permitted.
any property located in the					g)	Other: n/a.
United States of America						
and owned by a resident						
thereof, or any instrument						
relating to the						
administration of a						
decedent's						

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant (FLC) in Alaska. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, and agreement to be bound by the Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement, Ethics Opinions adopted by the Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar Association, and the Code of Professional Responsibility. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

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estate in the United States of America; and iv) preparing any instrument in respect of the marital or parental relations, rights or duties of a resident of the United States of America, or the custody or care of the children of such a resident.)	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: California ³		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the experience of t
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted. d) Association with local lawyers: partnership we local lawyers permitted.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in California. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, an experience requirement (4 of the 6 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, and agreement to be bound by the requirements of the State Bar of California. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

		Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
			e) Employment of local
			lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted.
			g) Other: n/a.
	For the following jurisdiction, the following		
	commitments apply: Connecticut ⁴		
1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international
			law: permitted to the extent
2	2) None	2) None	incorporated in
			home-country law.
3	None	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
			permitted provided FLC
4	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4) None	first obtains advice from an
	section		attorney licenced in that
			jurisdiction.
			c) Practice of host-country
			law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local
			lawyers: partnership with
			local attorneys permitted.
			e) Employment of local
			lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted.
			g) Other: n/a.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Connectic ut. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, an overdraft notification, good standing with home-country bar, and a written commitment to observe the Connecticut Rules of Professional Conduct. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

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	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: District of Columbia ⁵		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted, provided
	2) None	2) None	FLC is competent. b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
	3) In-state office required	3) None	permitted, provided FLC is competent.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. Additionally, an in-state office is	4) None	c) Practice of host-country law: permitted provided
	required.		FLC first obtains advice from an attorney licenced in that jurisdiction and identifies the person to the client.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a.

The following information is provided for transparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in the District of Columbia. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 8 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, and a written commitment to be bound by the Code of Professional Responsibility of the American Bar Association. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Florida ⁶		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the exte
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country l not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnerships w local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permig) Other: n/a.

The following information is provided for transparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Florida. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, and asworn statement to abide by the Rules of Professional Conduct. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

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Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Georgia ⁷		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law: not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Georgia. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, and a commitment to observe the Rules of Professional Responsibility and Disciplinary Rules applicable to members of the State Bar of Georgia. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-	border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Hawaii ⁸		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international
			law: permitted, provided
	2) None	2) None	FLC is competent.
			b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
	3) None	3) None	permitted provided FLC
			obtains advice from an
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4) None	attorney licenced in that
	section		jurisdiction and identifies
			that person to the client.
			c) Practice of host-country
			law: permitted provided
			FLC obtains advice from an
			attorney licenced in that
			jurisdiction and identifies
			that person to the client.
			d) Association with local
			lawyers: partnership with
			local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local
			lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted.
			g) Other: n/a.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Hawaii. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), and certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natura	l persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Illinois ⁹		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law: not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with
			local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted.
			g) Other: n/a

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Illinois. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, a written commitment to observe the Rules of Professional Conduct, and certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Michigan 10		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) In-state residency required	b) Practice of 3rd-country law: not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) In-state residency required	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a.
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Minnesota ¹¹		

The following information is provided for transparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Michigan. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 18 years, an experience requirement (3 of the 5 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), and certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Minnesota. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, and are subject to the Minnesota Rules of Professional Conduct. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
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	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international
	2) None	2) None	law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) In-state office required	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
			not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4) None	c) Practice of host-country
	section. Additionally, an in-state office is		law: not permitted.
	required.		d) Association with local
			lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local
			lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted.
			g) Other: n/a.
	For the following jurisdiction, the following		
	commitments apply: New Jersey ¹²		

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in New Jersey. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, and shall observe the Rules of Professional Conduct of the American Bar Association. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) In-state office required	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law: permitted provided FLC
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. Additionally, an in-state office is required.	4) None	obtains advice from an attorney licenced in that jurisdiction and identifies
			that person to the client. c) Practice of host-country
			law: permitted provided FLC obtains advice from an attorney licenced in that jurisdiction and identifies that person to the client.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: New York ¹³		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted, provided
	2) None	2) None	FLC is competent. b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
	3) In-state office required	3) None	permitted, provided FLC is competent.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. Additionally, an in-state office is required.	4) None	c) Practice of host-country law: permitted to practice NY and federal law provided FLC relies on advice from a person duly qualified and entitled to render professional legal advice on NY or US law. Permitted to practice law of other US states, provided FLC is competent.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in New York. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (3 of the 5 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, and agreement to be bound by the New York Bar Code of Ethics. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-	border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
			e) Employment of local
			lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name:
			unrestricted.
			g) Other: n/a.
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Ohio 14		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international
			law: permitted.
	2) None	2) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
			permitted if FLC obtains
	3) In-state office required	3) None	advice from an attorney
			licenced in that jurisdiction
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4) None	and identifies that person
	section. Additionally, an in-state office is		to the client.
	required.		c) Practice of host-country
			law: permitted if FLC
			obtains advice from an
			attorney licenced in that
			jurisdiction and identifies
			that person to the client.
			d) Association with local
			lawyers: partnership with
			local lawyers not permitted.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Ohio. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 21 years, an experience requirement (4 of the 6 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, and being subject to the Ohio Code of Professional Responsibility and the disciplinary procedural rules set for thin Gov. Bar R. V. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cros	s-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural presence 5	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
			e) Employment of local
			lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted.
			g) Other: n/a.
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Oregon ¹⁵		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international
			law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in
			home-country law.
	3) None	3) None	b) Practice of 3rd-country law:
			permitted if FLC obtains
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4) None	advice from an attorney
	section		licenced in that jurisdiction
			and identifies that person to the client.
			c) Practice of host-country
			law: permitted if FLC obtains advice from an
			attorney licenced in that
			-
			jurisdiction and identifies that person to the client.
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The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Oregon. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 18 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), and certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, and agreement to comply with ORS Chapter 9, the Oregon Code of Professional Responsibility and the Oregon State Bar's Rules of Procedure. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyer permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a.

Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Texas ¹⁶		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) In-state residency required	b) Practice of 3rd-country law: not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) In-state residency required	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnership with local lawyers permitted.
			e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Texas. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, a minimum age of 26 years, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), meeting the professional liability insurance requirement, certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, and taking an oath to abide by the State Bar Act, the State Bar Rules, and the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Washington ¹⁷		
	1) None	1) None	a) Practice of international law: permitted to the extent
	2) None	2) None	incorporated in home-country law.
	3) None	3) In-state residency required at time admitted	b) Practice of 3rd-country law: not permitted.
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) In-state residency required at time admitted	c) Practice of host-country law: not permitted.
			d) Association with local lawyers: partnerships with
			local lawyers permitted. e) Employment of local lawyers: permitted.
			f) Use of firm name: permitted. g) Other: n/a.

The following information is provided fortransparency purposes only. A supplier regularly providing services in the jurisdiction is required to be licenced as a foreign legal consultant in Washington. Licensure is subject to meeting requirements of registration, an experience requirement (5 of the 7 years preceding registration must have been spent practising law), and certification of registration and good standing with home-country bar, and agreement to be bound by the Discipline Rules for Lawyers and the Rules of Professional Conduct. Professional privileges apply to all foreign lawyers.

Modes of supply: 1) Cros	ss-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	For the following jurisdiction, the following commitments apply: Other States		
	1) None	1) None	
	2) None	2) None	
	3) Unbound for Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.	3) None	
	4) Unbound for Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.	4) None	

	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitat	tions on national treatment	Additional commitments
b)	Accounting, Auditing and Bookkeeping Services	1) None	None		
	200meeping services	2) None	None		
		3) Sole proprietorships or partnerships are limited to persons licenced as accountants, except in Iowa where accounting firms must incorporate	None		
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. In addition, an in-state office must be maintained for licensure in: Arkansas, Connecticut, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Mexico, Ohio, Vermont, and Wyoming. US citizenship is required for licensure in North Carolina.	in: Arizo District of Kansas, K Michigan Missouri, Mexico, N Ohio, Okl	esidency is required for licensure na, Arkansas, Connecticut, f Columbia, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, , Minnesota, Mississippi, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New North Carolina, North Dakota, lahoma, Rhode Island, South Tennessee, and West Virginia.	
c)	Taxation Services	1) None	None		
		2) None	None		
		3) None	None		
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	None		

Mo	des of supply: 1) Cross	s-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Comi	mercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access		Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
d)	Architectural Services	1) None	1)	None	
		2) None	2)	None	
		3) Two-thirds of the officers, partners, and/or directors of an architectural firm in Michigan must be licenced in Michigan as architects, professional engineers and/or land surveyors.	3)	None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
e)	Engineering Services	1) None	1)	None	
		2) None	2)	None	
f)	Integrated Engineering Services	3) None	3)	None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. In addition, US citizenship is required for licensure in the District of Columbia.	4)	In-state residency is required for licensure in: Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Mississippi, Nevada, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, and West Virginia.	

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	rder supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commo	ercial presence 4) Presence of natural per	rsons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
g)	Urban Planning & Landscape Services		None	
		None 2)	None	
		Two-thirds of the officers, partners, and/or directors of an architectural firm in Michigan must be licenced in Michigan as architects, professional engineers and/or land surveyors	None	
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	None	
В.	COMPUTER AND RELATED SERVICES	None 1)	None	
	(MTN.GNS/W/120 a) - e), except airline computer	None 2)	None	
	reservation systems)	None 3)	None	
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section 4)	None	
D.	REAL ESTATE SERVICES		Corporations that own real estate in Florida must maintain an office and registered agent in Florida	
		None 2)	None	
		None 3)	None	
		section. In addition, US citizenship is required	In-state residency or US citizenship is required for licensure as a real estate broker in South Dakota	

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	-bord	er supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Comr	nercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
	Sector or subsector		Limitations on market access		Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
E.	RENTAL/LEASING SERVICES WITHOUT OPERATORS:					
c)	Relating to Other Transport Equipment	1)	None	1)	None	
d)	Relating to Other	2)	None	2)	None	
	Machinery and Equipment	3)	None	3)	None	
e)	Other (except Harbour Dredges)	4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
F.	OTHER BUSINESS SERVICES					
a)	Advertising (except aerial advertising and skywriting)	1)	None	1)	None	
	Ç , Ç	2)	None	2)	None	
		3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
b)	Market Research and Public Opinion Polling	1)	None	1)	None	
		2)	None	2)	None	
		3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	

MOC	des of supply: 1) Cross Sector or subsector	-borae	Limitations on market access	Comi	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
						Additional commitments
c)	Management Consulting	1)	None	1)	None	
		2)	None	2)	None	
		3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
d)	Services Related to	1)	None	1)	None	
	Management Consulting					
		2)	None	2)	None	
		3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
f)	Services Incidental to	1)	None	1)	None	
	Agriculture, Hunting and					
	Forestry (except provision	2)	None	2)	None	
	of agricultural machinery					
	with drivers and crew,	3)	None	3)	None	
	harvesting and related services, services of farm	4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4)	None	
	labour contractors, and	4)	section	(4)	None	
	aerial fire fighting)		Section .			

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	s-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment Additional commitments
g)	Services Incidental to Fishing	1) None	1) None
	Tishing	2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
h)	Services Incidental to Mining	1) None	1) None
	5	2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
j)	Services Incidental to Energy Distribution	1) None	1) None
	Ziioig) Ziidiidaida	2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment Additional commitments
k)	Placement and Supply Services of Personnel	1) None	1) None
	bervices of refisalmer	2) None	2) None
		3) US citizenship is required for ownership of employment agencies in Arkansas.	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. In addition, US citizenship is required for licensure as an employment agent, employment agency counsellor and employment agency manager in Arkansas.	
1)	Investigation and Security Services	1) None	1) None
		2) None	2) None
		Permanent resident alien status or US citizenship is required to own contract security companies in Maine	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. In addition, permanent resident alien status or US citizenship is required for private investigators and security guards in: Maine and New York.	4) In-state residency is required for private detectives in Michigan

	les of supply: 1) Cross Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons Limitations on national treatment Additional commitments
m)	Related Scientific &	1) None	1) None ¹⁸
	Technical Consulting (except land surveying for the purpose of establishing	2) None	2) None ¹⁸
	legal boundaries, aerial surveying and aerial	3) None	3) None ¹⁸
	map-making)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
n)	Maintenance & Repair of Equipment (except maritime	1) None	1) None
	vessels, aircraft, and other transport equipment)	2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
o)	Building-Cleaning Services	1) Unbound*	1) Unbound*
		2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None

For those functions where an engineering degree is required, the US limitations on engineering also apply.

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment Additional commitments
p)	Photographic Services (except aerial photographic	1) None	1) None
	services)	2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
q)	Packaging Services	1) None	1) None
		2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
r)	Publishing (Only part of MTN.GNS/W/120 category:	1) None	1) None
	"r) Printing, Publishing")	2) None	2) None
		3) A single company or firm is not permitted to own a combination of newspaper, radio and/or TV broadcast stations serving the same local market	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None

Mod	les of supply: 1) Cross	-bord	er supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Comr	nercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
	Sector or subsector		Limitations on market access		Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
s)	Convention Services	1)	None	1)	None	
		2)	None	2)	Unbound with respect to tax deductions	
		3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
2.	COMMUNICATION SERVICES					
В.	LAND-BASED COURIER SERVICES (except courier	1)	None	1)	None	
	services involving any prior or subsequent movement	2)	None	2)	None	
	by air)	3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	

	Sector or subsector		Limitations on market access		Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
C. TEL	ECOMMUNICATIONS					
2.C.TEL	LECOMMUNICATIONS CES***:					
2.C.a.	Voice services	(1)	None	(1)	None	The United States undertakes the obligations contained in the
2.C.b.	Packet-switched data transmission services	(2)	None	(2)	None	reference paper attached hereto.
2.C.c.	Circuit-switched data transmission services	(3)	None, other than - Comsat has exclusive rights to links with Intelsat and Inmarsat.	(3)	None	
2.C.d.	Telex services		- Ownership of a common carrier radio			
2.C.e.	Telegraph services		license:			
2.C.f. Fa	acsimile services		Indirect: None			
2.C.g.	Private leased circuit services		Direct: May not be granted to or held by			
	services		(a) foreign government or the representative thereof			
			(b) non-U.S. citizen or the representative of any non-U.S. citizen			

Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
2.C.o. Other	(c) any corporation not organized under the		
	laws of the United States or		
Mobile Services			
	(d) U.S. corporation of which more than 20%		
Analogue/Digital	of the capital stock is owned or voted by		
cellular	a foreign government or its		
services	representative, non-U.S. citizens or their		
	representatives or a corporation not		
PCS (Personal	organized under the laws of the United		
Communications	States.		
services)			
	(4) Unbound except as indicated by horizontal	(4) Unbound except as indicated by horizontal	
Paging services	commitments	commitments.	
Mobile data services			
***Excluding one-way			
satellite transmissions of			
DTH and DBS television			
services and of digital audio			
services			

Modes of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural r	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
Enhanced Telecommunications	1) None	1) None	
Services, as defined by the US			
Federal Communications	2) None	2) None	
Commission in Section 64.702 of	a) Maria	2) N	
the Commission's Rules and	3) None	3) None	
Regulations: services, offered over common carrier transmission	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal	4) None	
facilities (i.e., public	section	4) None	
telecommunications transport	Section		
services) which employ computer			
processing applications that:			
i) act on the format, content			
code, protocol or similar			
aspects of the subscriber's			
transmitted information; or			
ii) provide the subscriber			
additional, different, or			
restructured information; or			
iii) involve subscriber			
interaction with stored			
information.			

Modes of supply: 1) Cro	s-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
Includes the following: h) Electronic Mail i) Voice Mail j) On-line Information and Data Base Retrieval k) Electronic Data Interchang l) Enhanced/Value-added Facsimile Services (including store and forward, store and retrieve m) Code and Protocol Conversion n) On-line Information and/or Data Processing (including transaction processing) o) Other			
D. AUDIOVISUAL SERVICES a) Motion Picture & Video Tape Production & Distribution Services	 None None 	Grants from the National Endowment for the Arts are only available for: individuals with US citizenship or permanent resident alien status, and non-profit companies. None	
	3) None	3) Grants from the National Endowment for the Arts are only available for: individuals with US citizenship or permanent resident alien status, and non-profit companies.	
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	

	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
b)	Motion Picture Projection Service	1) None	1) None	
	Service	2) None	2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
c)	Radio & Television Services	1) None	1) None	
		2) None	2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
d)	Radio and Television Transmission Services	1) None	1) None	
	Transmission Bervices	2) None	2) None	
		3) A single company or firm is prohibited from owning a combination of newspapers, radio and/or TV broadcast stations serving the same local market.	3) None	

Modes of supply: 1) Cr	oss-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
	Radio and television licences may not be held by: a foreign government; a corporation chartered under the law of a foreign country or which has a non-US citizen as an officer or director or more than 20 per cent of the capital stock of which is owned or voted by non-US citizens; a corporation chartered under the laws of the United States that is directly or indirectly controlled by a corporation more than 25 per cent of whose capital stock is owned by non-US citizens or a foreign government or a corporation of which any officer or more than 25 per cent of the directors are non-US citizens.		
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. In addition, US citizenship is required to obtain radio and television licences.	4) None	
e) Sound Recording	1) None	1) None	
	2) None	2) None	
	3) None	3) None	
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	

	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
f)	Other Audiovisual Services	1) None	1) None	
		2) None	2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
3.	CONSTRUCTION & RELATED ENGINEERING	1) Unbound*	1) Unbound*	
	SERVICES - (except Marine Dredging)	2) None	2) None	
	Dreaging	3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section. In addition, an in-state office must be maintained by all contractors in Michigan.	4) None	
4.	DISTRIBUTION SERVICES			
A.	COMMISSION AGENTS' SERVICES	1) None	1) None	
		2) None	2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural p	ersons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
В.	WHOLESALE TRADE (except wholesale trade of	1) None	1) None	
	alcoholic beverages, firearms and military	2) None	2) None	
	equipment)	3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
В.	WHOLESALE TRADE of alcoholic beverages	1) Unbound	1) None	
	Ç	2) Unbound	2) None	
		3) Unbound	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
C.	RETAILING (except retail sale of alcoholic beverages,	1) None	1) None	
	firearms and military equipment)	2) None	2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	

Mo			Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural p	
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access	Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
D.	FRANCHISING	1) None 2) None	1) None 2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
5.	EDUCATIONAL SERVICES			
D.	Adult Education (except flying instruction)	1) None	1), 2), 3), 4) Scholarships and grants may be	
		2) None	limited to US citizens and/or residents of particular states and may, in some cases,	
		3) The number of licences for cosmetology schools in Kentucky is limited to 48 total licences, with a total of 8 licences allowed for operation of such schools per congressional district	only be used at certain states institutions or within certain US jurisdictions.	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section		
E.	Other Education Services	1) None	1), 2), 3), 4) Scholarships and grants may be limited to US citizens and/or residents of	
		2) None	particular states and may, in some cases, only be used at certain states institutions	
		3) None	or within certain US jurisdictions.	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section		

Mod	les of supply: 1) Cross	s-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	С	ommercial presence 4	4) Presence of natural	persons
	Sector or subsector	Limitations on market access		Limitations on nati	ional treatment	Additional commitments
6.	ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES ^{19,20}					
A.	Sewage Services (contracted by private	1) None		1) None		
	industry)	2) None	2	2) None		
		3) None		3) None		
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	. 4	4) None		
В.	Refuse Disposal Services (contracted by private	1) None		1) None		
	industry)	2) None	2	2) None		
		3) None		3) None		
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section		4) None		

In each of the following subsectors, US commitments are limited to the following activities: implementation and installation of new or existing systems for environmental cleanup, remediation, prevention and monitoring; implementation of environmental quality control and pollution reduction services; maintenance and repair of environment-related systems and facilities not already covered by the US commitments on maintenance and repair of equipment; on-site environmental investigation, evaluation, monitoring; sample collection services; training on site or at the facility; consulting related to these areas.

Nothing in this offer related to transportation should be construed to supersede the existing US commitments on transportation or related MFN exemptions.

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross	-bord	er supply 2) Consumption abroad 3)	Comr	nercial presence 4) Presence of natural	persons
	Sector or subsector		Limitations on market access		Limitations on national treatment	Additional commitments
C.	Sanitation and Similar Services	1)	None	1)	None	
	Services	2)	None	2)	None	
		3)	None	3)	None	
		4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	
D.	Other (Cleaning services of exhaust gases; Noise	1)	None	1)	None	
	abatement services; Nature and landscape protection	2)	None	2)	None	
	services; Other environmental services,	3)	None	3)	None	
	n.e.c.)	4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4)	None	

	Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access		Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
7. A.	FINANCIAL SERVICES INSURANCE:				
		ector are undertaken in accordance with the Understand set forth in these headnotes and the schedule below.	ing o	n Commitments in Financial Services (the "Unde	erstanding"), subject to the
	indicated in paragraphs B. (2), as described in paragrathe Understanding. It is ubusiness, and no commitment	ments in this subsector in respect of mode (1), as descri 3(a) and B.3(b) of the market access section of the Und aph 2(b) of Article I of the Agreement, are limited to the inderstood that paragraph B.4 of the Understanding does ent to such solicitation is undertaken.	erstai e serv s not	nding. The market access commitments in this suices indicated in paragraphs B.4(a) and B.4(b) of require that non-resident financial service supplies	absector in respect of mode the market access section of ters be permitted to solicit
	provided according to a no generally the state in which	ments in this subsector are subject to the following limin-U.S. service supplier's state of domicile, where applien an insurer either is incorporated, is organized or main r do not cover measures set out in the entry applicable to	cable tains	, in the United States. State of domicile is define its principal office in the United States.	d by individual states, and is
	Life, Accident, and Health Insurance Services (except	Government-owned or government-controlled insurance companies, whether US or foreign, are not authorized to conduct business in: Alabama, Alaska,	1)	A one per cent federal excise tax is imposed on all life insurance premiums and a four per cent federal excise tax is imposed on all non-life insurance premiums covering US	The United States undertakes the obligations contained in Additional
a)	workers compensation insurance)	Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Montana,		risks that are paid to companies not incorporated under US law, except for premiums that are earned by such companies	Commitments Paper I attached hereto.

substantially first offered in the US market.

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-bord	ler supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commer	cial presence 4) Presence of natural persons	
Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	2) None	2) None	
	3) Government-owned or government-controlled insurance companies, whether US or foreign, are not authorized to conduct business in: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Montana, Nevada, New Jersey (only with respect to surplus lines), New York (non-life companies are authorized; life and health companies are not authorized), North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Tennessee, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming. Branches are not permitted to provide surety bonds for US federal government contracts.	3) None	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	The following states have no mechanism for		
	licensing initial entry of a non-US insurance		
	company as a subsidiary, unless that		
	company is already licensed in some other		
	US state: Minnesota, Mississippi, and		
	Tennessee.		
	The following states have no mechanism for		
	licensing initial entry of a non-US insurance		
	company as a branch, unless that company		
	is already licensed in some other US state:		
	Arkansas, Arizona, Connecticut, Georgia,		
	Hawaii, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota,		
	Nebraska, New Jersey, North Carolina,		
	Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont,		
	Wyoming, West Virginia.		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presen	2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence	e of natural persons
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Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	US citizenship is required for members of the		
	board of directors of locally established and		
	licensed companies in the following states		
	and in the following shares or numbers: 100		
	per cent required in Louisiana; three-quarters		
	in Washington (mutual life companies with		
	the majority of the board being resident in		
	the state); two-thirds required in Oklahoma		
	(for stock and mutual companies) and		
	Pennsylvania; a majority required in		
	California (for mutual insurers operating as		
	authorized insurers only in the state of		
	California), Florida (for stock and mutual		
	insurers), Georgia (for stock and mutual		
	insurers with one fourth resident in the		
	state), Idaho (for stock and mutual insurers),		
	Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi, Ohio (for		
	legal reserve life insurers), Oregon, New		
	York, South Dakota (except if more than 1000		
	persons are entitled to vote for the board of		
	directors and a majority of the voters reside		
	outside the state, or less than one per cent of		
	the shares are owned by state residents),		
	Wyoming (for an insurer operating as an		
	authorized insurer only in Wyoming); seven		
	in Tennessee (for mutual life insurance		
	companies; three resident in Illinois (for		
	stock, mutual, or legal reserve insurers) and		
	Missouri (life and accident).		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-bord	der supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commer	cial presence 4) Presence of natural persons	1
Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	US citizenship for incorporators of insurance		
	companies is required in the following states		
	and in the following percentages or numbers:		
	100 per cent in Hawaii, Idaho (for stock or		
	mutual insurer), Indiana, South Dakota and		
	Washington; two-thirds in Arizona (for		
	stock and mutual insurers), two-thirds		
	resident in Georgia (for stock and mutual		
	insurers); a majority in Alaska, Florida (for		
	stock and mutual insurers), Arkansas		
	(majority for mutuals or stock), Kansas (all		
	life insurance companies and mutual insurers		
	other than life), Kentucky (for mutual or		
	stock insurers); Maine (life, health, and		
	accident and mutual aid assoc with state		
	residency for mutuals), Missouri (minimum		
	13 with overall majority resident in the state),		
	Montana (stock or mutual insurers), Texas		
	(life, health, accident and mutual aid assoc		
	with state residency for mutuals), Wyoming		
	(for reserve stock and mutual insurers).		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-bord	der supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial	presence 4) Presence of natural persons	
Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	State residency is required in the following		
	states for the organizing members of the		
	following types of mutual insurance		
	companies: Arkansas (mutuals and farm		
	mutual insurers), California (county mutual		
	fire insurer); Idaho (all mutuals); Kansas (all		
	mutuals); North Dakota (all mutuals),		
	Minnesota (township mutuals, farmers		
	mutual fire insurance companies);		
	Mississippi (all mutuals); Montana (farm		
	mutual insurer); Vermont (fire cooperatives);		
	Wyoming (farm mutual insurer).		
	Seven or more US citizens, a majority of		
	whom are residents of the state, may		
	organize a fraternal benefit society in the		
	following states: Alaska, Arizona (requires		
	10 or more US citizens, a majority of whom		
	are citizens of the state), Arkansas,		
	California, Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Idaho,		
	Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky,		
	Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota,		
	Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska,		
	New Jersey, North Dakota, Oklahoma		
	(requires 10 or more US citizens, a majority of		
	whom are residents of the state), Oregon,		
	Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Virginia,		
	Vermont, Washington, West Virginia and		
	Wyoming.		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-bord	der supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commer	cial presence 4) Presence of natural persons
Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment Additional Commitments
c) Reinsurance and retrocession	Twenty-five or more persons domiciled in the state may organize a domestic reciprocal insurer in: Arizona, Arkansas, California, Delaware, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Mississippi, Montana, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, Washington and Wyoming. 4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section 1) Government-owned or government-controlled insurance companies, whether US or foreign, are not authorized to conduct business in: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Montana, Nevada, New York (non-life companies are authorized; life and health companies are not), North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Tennessee, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming.	 4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section 1) A one per cent federal excise tax is imposed on all premiums covering US risks that are paid to companies not incorporated under US law, except for premiums that are earned by such companies through an office or dependent agent in the United States. In Texas, total direct reinsurance of mutual life insurance companies may not be entered into with non-US companies.

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on	National Treatment	Additional Commitments
2)	Insurance companies incorporated in Nevada may purchase reinsurance only from an insurer admitted to Nevada. All insurers writing workers' compensation insurance in Minnesota must purchase reinsurance from the Minnesota Workers' Compensation Reinsurance Authority. Unbound for Maine for the provision of reinsurance for workers' compensation.	2) None		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-boro		cial presence 4) Presence of natural persons	
Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	3) Government-owned or government-controlled insurance companies, whether US or foreign, are not authorized to conduct business in: Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Montana, Nevada, New York (non-life companies are authorized; life and health companies are not), North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Tennessee, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming.	3) None	
	The following states have no mechanism for licensing initial entry of a non-US insurance company as a subsidiary, unless that company is already licensed in some other US state: Maryland, Minnesota, Mississippi, and Tennessee. After a license is obtained in some other US state, licensing and entry into the states listed above is permitted.		

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	The following states have no mechanism for licensing initial entry of a non-US insurance company as a branch, unless that company is already licensed in some other US state: Arkansas, Arizona, Connecticut, Georgia, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Jersey, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Wyoming, West Virginia. After a license is obtained in some other US state, licensing and entry into the states listed above is permitted. 4) Unbound, except as indicated in the		
	horizontal section.	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
d) Services Auxiliary to Insurance: (applicable to sub-sectors i), ii) and iii) below)	1), 3) Nonresident licenses are not issued to individuals not licensed in another US state in Arkansas (agents, brokers, adjusters, consultants), Connecticut (producers/ adjusters/appraisers/consultants/brokers/ reinsurance intermediary), Colorado (producer, adjuster and reinsurance intermediary), California (agents/brokers), Delaware (broker/agent/reinsurance intermediary), Georgia (counsellor/adjuster), Florida (agent/broker), Hawaii, Illinois (producers/ adjusters/reinsurance intermediaries), Indiana (agent/broker), Kansas (agent/broker), Kentucky (agent/broker), Louisiana (agent/broker), Maine (agent/broker), Maryland (agent/broker/ reinsurance agent/reinsurance broker), Mississippi (agent/broker), Missouri (brokers), Montana (producer's license/agent/broker), Nevada (solicitor/adjuster/property bondsman/bail solicitor), New Jersey (producer's agent/broker), New Mexico (bailbondsmen/solicitors/brokers) North Dakota (agents/brokers) Nebraska (producer's license/agent/broker), New York (reinsurance intermediary), North Carolina (reinsurance intermediary),		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	Oregon (agent/adjuster/consultant/ reinsurance intermediary), Pennsylvania (adjuster/solicitor), South Dakota (agent), Virginia (agents/brokers/consultants), West Virginia (broker/reinsurance intermediary) and Texas (agent/broker), Washington (agent/broker).		
i) Brokerage Services ²¹	1), 3) Brokerage licenses are not issued to non-residents in: South Dakota, Wyoming. Brokerage licenses are issued to non-residents for only certain lines of insurance in: Alabama (all except life, accident & health), Arkansas (property, casualty, surety & marine), California, Louisiana (property & casualty), New Mexico (property & casualty).	1), 3) Higher license fees for non-residents may be charged in: Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Georgia, Indiana, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Utah, Vermont.	
	All states require in-state residency for surplus lines brokers.		
	2) None	2) None	
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	

²¹ For transparency purposes, it should be noted that brokerage firms can generally offer services in most states by obtaining licenses as "brokers" and in other states by obtaining licenses to operate as "agents". Brokerage licenses are not issued in Florida, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Oregon, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin.

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
ii) Agency Services	1), 3) Agency licenses are issued to non-residents for all or only certain lines of insurance in: California, Florida (general lines, life & health), Kansas, Kentucky (general lines, life & health), Louisiana (life & health), New Mexico (life & health), Ohio (life & casualty), Oregon, Rhode Island (all except general lines), Texas. All states require in-state residency for surplus lines agents.	1), 3) Higher license fees for non-residents may be charged in: Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, Wisconsin, Wyoming.	
	2) None4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	None Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
) Consultancy, Actuarial, Risk Assessment, and Claim Settlement Services	1), 3) Licenses are not issued to nonresidents in: Alabama (adjuster, solicitor, service representative), California (adjuster, insurance analyst, motor club agents, bail bondsman), Florida (customer representative), Georgia (counsellor, adjuster), Hawaii (adjuster, solicitor), Idaho (solicitor), Indiana (bail bondsmen), Kentucky (adjuster), Maryland (adjuster), Michigan (adjuster), Montana (adjuster), Nevada (solicitor, adjuster, property bondsman), New Mexico (solicitor), North Carolina (limited representatives, adjusters, motor vehicle damage appraisers, professional bondsmen, runners), Oklahoma (bail license), Oregon, Pennsylvania (motor vehicle damage appraiser), Washington (solicitor, adjuster), West Virginia (adjuster, solicitor), and Wyoming (adjuster, solicitor). In-state residency is required for licensure in: California (for adjusters; and for life and disability insurance analysts), Georgia (for inspection when not accompanied by a licensed resident adjuster), Illinois (for	1), 3) None	

licensed in a state which does not permit equal treatment to Illinois residents), Maryland, Mississippi (for independent adjusters), and Nevada (for appraisers and

adjusters).

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access		Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitmen
	US citizenship is required for licensure in:			
	Alabama (for agents, brokers, solicitors,			
	managing general agents and service			
	representatives), Idaho (for agents, brokers,			
	solicitors and surplus lines brokers),			
	Missouri (for brokers), Nebraska (for			
	brokers), New Mexico (for solicitors and			
	bailbondsmen), Ohio (for surplus lines			
	brokers) and Oklahoma (for bail license).			
	2) None			
	2) 1000	2)	None	
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the	-/		
	horizontal section.	4)	Unbound, except as indicated in the	
			horizontal section.	

B. FINANCIAL SERVICES (LIMITED TO BANKING AND OTHER FINANCIAL SERVICES AND EXCLUDING INSURANCE):

1. Commitments in these subsectors are undertaken in accordance with the Understanding on Commitments in Financial Services (the "Understanding"), subject to the limitations and conditions set forth in these headnotes and the schedule below.

2. The market access commitments in these subsectors in respect of modes (1) and (2), as described in paragraphs 2(a) and (b) of Article I of the Agreement, are limited to the services indicated in paragraphs B.3(c) and B.4(c) of the market access section of the Understanding, respectively. It is understood that paragraph B.4 of the Understanding does not require that non-resident financial service suppliers be permitted to solicit business, and no commitment to such solicitation is undertaken.

3. National treatment commitments in these subsectors are subject to the following limitation: National treatment will be provided based upon the foreign bank's "home state" in the United States, as that term is defined under the International Banking Act, where that Act is applicable. A domestic bank subsidiary of a foreign firm will have its own "home state" and national treatment will be provided based upon the subsidiary's home state, as determined under applicable law. 22

4. Service suppliers choosing to supply a service through a juridical person constituted under the laws of the United States are subject to non-discriminatory limitations on

1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons

The offer of new financial services or products is subject, on a non-discriminatory basis, to relevant institutional and juridical form requirements.

Modes of supply:

iuridical form.²³

²² Foreign banking organizations are generally subject to geographic and other limitations in the United States on a national treatment basis. Where such limitations do not conform to national treatment, they have been reserved as market access restrictions. For purposes of illustration, under this approach, the following situation does not accord national treatment and would therefore be scheduled as a limitation: a foreign bank from a particular home state is accorded less favourable treatment than that accorded to a domestic bank from that state with respect to expansion by branching.

²³ For example, partnerships and sole proprietorships are generally not acceptable juridical forms for depository financial institutions in the United States.

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access		Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
All Subsectors, except as specifically provided below	1),2),3) Michigan limits, according to the country of their home charters, the banks in which corporate credit unions may place deposits.	1) 2)	None None	The United States undertakes the obligations contained in Additional Commitments Paper II attached hereto.
	3) All directors of a national bank must be U.S. citizens unless a national bank is an affiliate or subsidiary of a foreign bank, in which case only a majority of the board need be U.S. citizens. Foreign ownership of Edge corporations is limited to foreign banks and US subsidiaries of foreign banks, while domestic non-bank firms may own such corporations. Federal and state law do not permit a credit union, savings bank, home loan or thrift business in the United States to be provided through branches of corporations organized under a foreign country's law. In order to accept or maintain domestic retail deposits of less than \$100,000, a foreign bank must establish an insured banking subsidiary. This requirement does not apply to a foreign bank branch that was engaged in insured deposit-taking activities on December 19, 1991.	3)	Foreign banks are required to register under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to engage in securities advisory and investment management services in the United States, while domestic banks are exempt from registration. The registration requirement involves record maintenance, inspections, submission of reports and payment of a fee. Foreign banks cannot be members of the Federal Reserve System, and thus may not vote for directors of a Federal Reserve Bank. Foreign-owned bank subsidiaries are not subject to this measure.	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commit
	Unbound with respect to paragraph 2(e) of		
	Article XVI of the Agreement, and		
	paragraphs A, B.5 and B.6 of the		
	Understanding in relation to the expansion,		
	via the establishment of a branch or the		
	acquisition of one or more branches of a		
	bank without acquisition of the entire bank,		
	by a foreign bank into another state from its		
	"home state," as that term is defined under		
	applicable law. Except as specifically set		
	forth elsewhere in this schedule, such		
	expansion shall be provided on a national		
	treatment basis in accordance with headnote		
	3.		
	Interstate expansion by a foreign bank		
	through the establishment of branches by		
	merger with a bank located outside the		
	"home state," as that term is defined under		
	applicable law, of a foreign bank is		
	prohibited where Montana or Texas is the		
	home state of the foreign bank or is the state		
	where the bank is located that is to be		
	merged into the foreign bank, resulting in the		
	establishment of branches. Except as		
	specifically set forth elsewhere in this		
	schedule, such expansion shall be provided		
	on a national treatment basis in accordance		

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	Unbound for initial entry by establishment or acquisition of state-chartered banks or state-licensed offices of foreign banks as indicated in the following forms: California (branch; also savings and loan association); Connecticut (bank or holding company; also credit union); Georgia (agency); Illinois (branch); Kentucky (subsidiary); Louisiana (agency); Massachusetts (subsidiary or branch); Michigan (agency); North Carolina (subsidiary, branch, agency, or representative office); Pennsylvania (any deposit-taking or representative bank office); Washington (branch, agency, or representative office). The limitations in this paragraph do not apply to initial establishment or acquisition of a national bank subsidiary by a foreign person or establishment of a federal branch or agency by a foreign bank that does not already have a banking presence in the United States, or generally to interstate expansion. Such limitations may apply to interstate expansion through state-licensed limited branches, agencies, or representative offices. ²⁴		

²⁴ The limitations in this paragraph reflect state reciprocity measures.

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	The following states are unbound for the specified activities: Indiana (establishment of service offices by foreign-owned credit unions); Iowa (activities of foreign-owned savings and loan associations; foreign-owned bank or trust company acting as fiduciary; use of satellite banking terminals). ²⁵		
	Initial entry or expansion by a foreign person (but not a domestic person) through acquisition or establishment of a state-chartered commercial bank subsidiary is prohibited or otherwise limited in the following states: Alabama; Arizona; Arkansas; California (limit on foreign non-bank ownership of international banking corporation); Colorado; Delaware; Indiana; Kansas; Louisiana; Maryland; Michigan; Minnesota; Mississippi; Montana; Nebraska; Nevada; North Carolina; North		
	Dakota; Oklahoma; Oregon; Pennsylvania; South Carolina; Tennessee; Vermont; Virginia; Washington; West Virginia; Wisconsin; Wyoming. The limitations in this paragraph do not apply to establishment or acquisition of a national bank subsidiary by a foreign person that does not already have a banking presence in the United States.		

²⁵ The limitations in this paragraph reflect state reciprocity measures.

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	The following states limit initial entry or expansion by a foreign person through acquisition or establishment of the following entities: Delaware (savings and loan associations; savings banks); Ohio (savings and loan associations; savings banks; credit unions); Tennessee (savings and loan associations; savings banks; credit unions; trust companies); Washington (savings and loan associations; savings banks; credit unions; trust companies). The boards of directors of depository financial institutions organized under the following states' laws are subject to U.S. citizenship requirements of up to the specified proportions: Alabama (all); Colorado (3/4); District of Columbia (all); Florida (majority); Georgia (all); Indiana (3/4); Iowa (majority); Kentucky (all); Louisiana (majority); Massachusetts (majority); Mississippi (all); Missouri (all); New Hampshire (majority); New Jersey (all); New Mexico (3/4); New York (all; applies also to trustees of mutual savings bank or savings and loan associations, and to committees of credit unions); North Carolina (3/4); North Dakota (majority); Pennsylvania (all, but may be waived); South Dakota (3/4); Tennessee (all); Vermont (2/3); West Virginia (majority); Wisconsin (2/3).	Texas allows pre-judgment seizure remedies and civil discovery requests to be applied against foreign bank agencies, while subsidiaries are exempt. The following states require direct branches or agencies of foreign banks to register under securities broker-dealer or investment adviser measures, while bank subsidiaries of foreign banks are exempt from such registration to the same extent as domestic banks incorporated in the state: Alabama; Arizona; Arkansas; California; Connecticut; Delaware; District of Columbia; Georgia; Idaho; Iowa; Kansas; Louisiana; Maryland; Mississippi; Missouri; Nebraska; New Hampshire; New Jersey; New Mexico; New York; North Carolina; Ohio; Oklahoma; Pennsylvania; South Dakota; Tennessee; Texas; Vermont; Washington. These limitations do not apply to Federally licensed branches or agencies.	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
Sector or Sub-sector	U.S. citizenship is also required for the incorporators or organizers of depository financial institutions organized under state law. Residence within a state may also be required for directors, incorporators, organizers, or executive committee members of depository financial institutions organized under state law. U.S. citizenship is required to engage in specified activities in the following states: Arizona (collection agency); Indiana (collection agency); Illinois (safe deposits); Nevada (collection agency). Establishment of a branch or agency by a foreign bank is limited as specified in the following states: • State branch license subject to certain limitations California (no trust/fiduciary powers); Hawaii (no trust/fiduciary powers); Massachusetts; Oregon; Pennsylvania; Utah (no trust/fiduciary powers); Washington (limited trust/fiduciary powers and restricted to one office per bank). These limitations do not apply to Federal branches.	The following states require direct branches or agencies of foreign banks, but not bank subsidiaries of foreign banks, to register or obtain licenses in order to engage in the following activities: Arkansas (selling checks; mortgage transactions); California (selling payment instruments); Delaware (sale or cashing of checks, drafts, money orders; motor vehicle financing; transportation of money/valuables); Georgia (mortgage lending/brokerage, check selling/cashing); Indiana (money transmission; loan brokerage); Kansas (money transmission); Maryland (selling payment instruments, traveller's checks); Massachusetts (check selling/cashing; foreign transmittal agencies; motor vehicle financing; insurance premium financing; retail instalment sales/servicing; residential real estate mortgage financing license requirement applies only to agencies); North Carolina (selling checks); Oklahoma (selling checks); Pennsylvania (mortgage banking/brokerage); Tennessee (money transmission; residential lending/brokerage; industrial loan and thrift activities); Texas (currency exchange or transmission does not apply to Texas agencies; selling checks); Virginia (mortgage lending/brokerage; money transmission; sale of money orders; check cashing); Wisconsin (selling checks).	Additional Commitments

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	 State branch license not available, but state agency license is available in Idaho and West Virginia. 		
	No state branch or agency license available Arizona; Arkansas; Colorado; Indiana; Iowa; Minnesota; Montana; Nebraska; New Mexico; North Dakota; Oklahoma; Rhode Island; South Carolina; South Dakota; Tennessee; Vermont; Virginia; Wisconsin. These limitations do not apply to Federal offices.		

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons			
Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	license is, subject to any specified limitations Delaware (state license limited to one office per bank and cannot operate in a manner likely to result in a substantial detriment to existing bank; no fiduciary powers); Florida (available only to a foreign bank with at least \$25 million in capital or that is one of five largest banks in its home country); Georgia (available only to foreign bank with at least \$50 million in excess of liabilities; no fiduciary and limited other powers); Louisiana (limited to parishes with more than 350,000 residents); Mississippi; Missouri (no fiduciary powers); Oklahoma (foreign bank must have at least \$25 million in capital or, inter alia, be one of five largest banks in its home country; special asset maintenance/capital equivalency rules apply, as do other restrictions); Texas (one office only, limited to metropolitan areas with at least 500,000 residents; limited fiduciary powers). Certain restrictions on fiduciary powers apply to federal agencies.	The following states restrict various commodities transactions by foreign bank branches and agencies, but not by other depository financial institutions: Arizona; California; Idaho; Indiana; Iowa; Mississippi; Missouri; Nebraska; New Hampshire; Washington. Offers and sales of securities to foreign bank branches and agencies in the following states are subject to registration/disclosure requirements that do not apply if the transaction involves other financial institutions: Illinois; Indiana; Louisiana; Montana; Nebraska; New Jersey; North Dakota; Tennessee; Texas (applies to branches and agencies of all foreign financial institutions).	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
Sector or Sub-sector	 No branch or state agency license available Wyoming. No branch or agency license available Alabama; Kansas; Maryland; North Dakota. Representative offices of foreign banks are not permitted in the following states, or are limited as specified: Arizona; Arkansas; Colorado; Kansas; Kentucky; Michigan; Mississippi; Montana; North Dakota; Oklahoma (foreign bank must have at least \$10 million in capital or, inter alia, be one of the five largest banks in its home country; special asset maintenance/capital equivalency requirements may apply); Oregon; Rhode Island; South Carolina; 	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
	South Dakota; Tennessee; Vermont; Virginia; Wisconsin; Wyoming. Other states require incorporation of representative offices.		
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment Additional Commitments
Trading of Securities and Derivative Products and Services Related Thereto; Participation in Securities Issues	1), 2), 3) Federal law prohibits the offer or sale of futures contracts on onions, options contracts on onions, and options on futures contracts on onions in the United States, and services related thereto.	1), 2), 3) None
	Unbound for the authority to act as a sole trustee of an indenture for a bond offering in the United States.	
	Unbound with respect to the use of simplified registration and periodic reporting forms for securities issued by small business corporations.	
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
Participation in Issues of Government Debt Securities	 1), 2) None 3) Unbound for the granting or continuation of Federal Reserve designation as a primary dealer in US government debt. 	1), 2), 3) None	
	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section.	

Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
8. HEALTH RELATED & SOCIAL SERVICES			
A. HOSPITAL AND OTHER	1) Unbound*	1) Unbound*	
HEALTH CARE FACILITIES - Direct ownership and management and operation by contract of such facilities on a "for fee" basis	2) None	 Federal or state government reimbursement of medical expenses is limited to licensed, certified facilities in the United States or in a specific US state 	
	3) Establishment of hospitals or other health care facilities, procurement of specific types of medical equipment, or provision of specific types of medical procedures may be subject to needs-based quantitative limits. In New York, corporate ownership of an operating corporation for, and limited partnerships as operators of, hospitals, nursing homes (including long term health care centres) or diagnostic and treatment centres is prohibited. If the operator has any members which are not natural persons or is a corporation whose shares of stock are owned by another corporation, a New York corporation must be established as the operator of a licenced home care services agency and a certified home health agency.	3) None	

	Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
		In Michigan and New York Health Maintenance Organizations must b incorporated in those states. 4) Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
9.	TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES	nonzonan seenon		
A.	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS	1) None	1) None	
	(INCLUDING CATERING)	2) None	2) None	
		3) None	3) None	
		 Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section 	4) None	
В.	TRAVEL AGENCIES AND TOUR OPERATORS	1) None	1) None	
		2) None	2) None	
		3) Official tourism offices with diplom official status are not permitted to a commercial basis in the United Stact as agents or principals in commtransactions	perate on tes or to	
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	

1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons Modes of supply: **Sector or Sub-sector Limitations on Market Access Limitations on National Treatment Additional Commitments** C. TOUR GUIDE SERVICES 1) None 1) None None None The number of concessions available for None commercial operations in federal, state and local facilities is limited Unbound, except as indicated in the None horizontal section OTHER D. None None None None 2) None None 3) Unbound, except as indicated in the None horizontal section 10. RECREATIONAL, CULTURAL, & SPORTING SERVICES A. ENTERTAINMENT 1) None None SERVICES (INCLUDING THEATRE, LIVE BANDS None None AND CIRCUS SERVICES) None None Unbound, except as indicated in the None horizontal section

Modes of supply: 1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence	ence of natural persons	š
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	Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment Additional Commitments
B.	NEWS AGENCY SERVICES	1) None	1) None
		2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
C.	LIBRARIES, ARCHIVES, MUSEUMS AND OTHER	1) None	1) None
	CULTURAL SERVICES	2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
D.	OTHER RECREATIONAL SERVICES (except sporting)	1) None	1) None
	SERVICES (except sporting)	2) None	2) None
		 The number of concessions available for commercial operations in federal, state and local facilities is limited 	3) None
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None

Mod	des of supply: 1) Cross-bord	der supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commo	cial presence 4) Presence of natural persons	
	Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
11.	TRANSPORT SERVICES			
C.	AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES: Aircraft repair	1) Unbound*	1) Unbound*	
	and maintenance. (Aircraft repair and maintenance	2) None	2) None	
	activities, when undertaken on an aircraft or a part	3) None	3) None	
	thereof, while it is withdrawn from service. Does not include line maintenance or other repair or maintenance activities undertaken by an air carrier (includes its agents or contractors) on aircraft it owns, leases, or operates.)	4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	
E.	RAIL TRANSPORT			
a)	Passenger Transportation, excluding high speed rail	1) None	1) None	
b)	Freight Transportation	2) None	2) None	
		Foreign railroads must incorporate in Vermont or in an adjacent state in order to own directly or indirectly the stock of a railroad company incorporated in Vermont	3) None	
		4) Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None	

Sector or Sub-sector		Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment Additional Commitment
d)	Maintenance and Repair of Rail Transport Equipment	1) None	1) None
		2) None	2) None
		3) None	3) None
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None
F.	ROAD TRANSPORT		
a)	Passenger transport: Interurban regular transport	1) Unbound until January 1, 1997. No limitations after that date.	1) Unbound until January 1, 1997. No limitations after that date.
		2) None	2) None
		3) Unbound until January 1, 2001. No limitations after that date.	3) Unbound until January 1, 2001. No limitations after that date.
		Unbound, except as indicated in the horizontal section	4) None

1) Cross-border supply 2) Consumption abroad 3) Commercial presence 4) Presence of natural persons Modes of supply: **Sector or Sub-sector Limitations on Market Access Limitations on National Treatment Additional Commitments** Unbound until December 17, 1995. After 1) None Freight transport (Commitment limited to December 17, 1995, unbound except to or transportation of cargo that from California, Arizona, New Mexico and has either an origin or a Texas through different ports of entry. No limitations after January 1, 2000. destination outside the United States) None None Unbound until December 17, 1995. After None December 17, 1995, no limitations Unbound, except as indicated in the None horizontal section Maintenance and Repair of Unbound* Unbound* Road Transport Equipment None None None None Unbound, except as indicated in the None horizontal section

Sector or Sub-sector Limita		itations on Market Access		Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments	
H.	SERVICES AUXILIARY TO AL	L MODES OF TR	ANSPORT			
d)	Other Supporting and Auxiliary Transport Services:	1) Unbound	*	1)	Unbound*	
	Customs House Brokers	2) None		2)	None	
		associatio corporatio members o customs b entity to e customs b	n or partnership. One officer of a on or association or one of the of a partnership must hold a valid roker's licence in order for the engage in such business. A proker's licence may only be by a US citizen.	3)4)	None	
		4) Unbound,	except as indicated in the	7)	Tone	

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ATTACHMENT TO THE UNITED STATES SCHEDULE

REFERENCE PAPER

Scope

The following are definitions and principles on the regulatory framework for the basic telecommunications services.

Definitions

<u>Users</u> mean service consumers and service suppliers.

Essential facilities mean facilities of a public telecommunications transport network or service that

- (a) are exclusively or predominantly provided by a single or limited number of suppliers; and
- (b) cannot feasibly be economically or technically substituted in order to provide a service.

<u>A major supplier</u> is a supplier which has the ability to materially affect the terms of participation (having regard to price and supply) in the relevant market for basic telecommunications services as a result of:

- (a) control over essential facilities; or
- (b) use of its position in the market.

1. <u>Competitive safeguards</u>

1.1 <u>Prevention of anti-competitive practices in telecommunications</u>

Appropriate measures shall be maintained for the purpose of preventing suppliers who, alone or together, are a major supplier from engaging in or continuing anti-competitive practices.

1.2 Safeguards

The anti-competitive practices referred to above shall include in particular:

- (a) engaging in anti-competitive cross-subsidization;
- (b) using information obtained from competitors with anti-competitive results; and
- (c) not making available to other services suppliers on a timely basis technical information about essential facilities and commercially relevant information which are necessary for them to provide services.

2. <u>Interconnection</u>

2.1 This section applies to linking with suppliers providing public telecommunications transport networks or services in order to allow the users of one supplier to communicate with users of another supplier and to access services provided by another supplier, where specific commitments are undertaken.

2.2 Interconnection to be ensured²⁶

Interconnection with a major supplier will be ensured at any technically feasible point in the network. Such interconnection is provided.

- (a) under non-discriminatory terms, conditions (including technical standards and specifications) and rates and of a quality no less favourable than that provided for its own like services or for like services of non-affiliated service suppliers or for its subsidiaries or other affiliates;
- (b) in a timely fashion, on terms, conditions (including technical standards and specifications) and costoriented rates that are transparent, reasonable, having regard to economic feasibility, and sufficiently unbundled so that the supplier need not pay for network components or facilities that it does not require for the service to be provided; and
- (c) upon request, at points in addition to the network termination points offered to the majority of users, subject to charges that reflect the cost of construction of necessary additional facilities.

2.3 Public availability of the procedures for interconnection negotiations

The procedures applicable for interconnection to a major supplier will be made publicly available.

2.4 <u>Transparency of interconnection arrangements</u>

It is ensured that a major supplier will make publicly available either its interconnection agreements or a reference interconnection offer.

2.5 <u>Interconnection: dispute settlement</u>

A service supplier requesting interconnection with a major supplier will have recourse, either:

- (a) at any time or
- (b) after a reasonable period of time which has been made publicly known

Rural telephone companies do not have to provide interconnection to competing local exchange carriers in the manner specified in section 2.2. until ordered to do so by a state regulatory authority.

Rural local exchange carriers may be exempted by a state regulatory authority for a limited period of time from the obligations of section 2.2. with regard to interconnection with competing local exchange carriers.

to an independent domestic body, which may be a regulatory body as referred to in paragraph 5 below, to resolve disputes regarding appropriate terms, conditions and rates for interconnection within a reasonable period of time, to the extent that these have not been established previously.

3. Universal service

Any Member has the right to define the kind of universal service obligation it wishes to maintain. Such obligations will not be regarded as anti-competitive *per se*, provided they are administered in a transparent, non-discriminatory and competitively neutral manner and are not more burdensome than necessary for the kind of universal service defined by the Member.

4. Public availability of licensing criteria

Where a licence is required, the following will be made publicly available:

- (a) all the licensing criteria and the period of time normally required to reach a decision concerning an application for a licence and
- (b) the terms and conditions of individual licences.

The reasons for the denial of a licence will be made known to the applicant upon request.

5. Independent regulators

The regulatory body is separate from, and not accountable to, any supplier of basic telecommunications services. The decisions of and the procedures used by regulators shall be impartial with respect to all market participants.

6. Allocation and use of scarce resources

Any procedures for the allocation and use of scarce resources, including frequencies, numbers and rights of way, will be carried out in an objective, timely, transparent and non-discriminatory manner. The current state of allocated frequency bands will be made publicly available, but detailed identification of frequencies allocated for specific government uses is not required.

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ADDITIONAL COMMITMENTS PAPER I

- (a) Taking note of principles of federalism under the United States Constitution, recognizing that insurance has been regulated at the state government level since the beginning of insurance regulation in the United States, and further recognizing the provision of the McCarran-Ferguson Act that "[t]he business of insurance...shall be subject to the laws of the several States," the Government of the United States welcomes efforts by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners ("NAIC") to promote the harmonization of state insurance regulation, through such steps as its Accreditation Program and the preparation of model insurance laws.
- (b) The Government of the United States notes that under Accreditation Program, the NAIC selects an independent team of auditors to review the compliance of states with the laws, regulations, and regulatory and organizational practices contained in the NAIC accreditation standards. The team reports to the NAIC, which determines whether a state qualifies for accreditation under the standards. As of October 11, 1994, 37 states were accredited by the NAIC through this program.
- (c) The Government of the United States notes that NAIC Model Laws are designed to facilitate legislative and regulatory action on common problems among the states and are intended to save duplication of effort on the part of the states. Some models are adopted by all or most of the states, so there is a harmonizing effect. Some models serve as guidelines which the states may adopt, utilize or amend to fit their individual needs. Certain models have been identified as being of such import that their adoption is necessary for states to be accredited pursuant to NAIC financial regulation standards.
- (d) The Government of the United States encourages the NAIC to continue its effort to work with state governments on these programs.
- (e) Recognizing principles of federalism, the long history of state regulation of insurance in the United States, and the McCarran-Ferguson Act, and noting the concerns of regulators who seek to further increase internationalization of their insurance markets while addressing prudential concerns, the Government of the United States:
 - (i) welcomes that the NAIC in October 1993 adopted a model law on the initial entry of non-U.S. insurance providers without their prior establishment in another state, and the Government of the United States encourages the NAIC to continue and as appropriate intensify its efforts with relevant state authorities with regard to this issue;
 - (ii) would welcome consideration by the NAIC, if appropriate, of the issue of the time period for review of licensing applications of insurance providers, from the perspective that regulatory authorities should make administrative decisions on completed applications of insurance providers within a reasonable time; and
 - (iii) welcomes efforts by the NAIC to review with the states the question of citizenship requirements for the boards of directors of foreign insurance providers, and the Government of the United States encourages the NAIC to continue and as appropriate intensify its efforts with relevant state authorities within regard to this issue.

reg de _l	the Government of the United States notes the concern raised by another Member that different state gulations for foreign insurance providers on lines of products permitted, trusteed assets requirements, posit requirements, remittance ceiling and reinsurance trust funds affect foreign insurance providers' ility to enter the insurance market of the United States.

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ADDITIONAL COMMITMENTS PAPER II

- (1) The Administration has expressed its support for Glass-Steagall reform on a national treatment basis and will work with Congress to achieve an appropriate framework to accomplish this objective.
- (2) The Administration, noting that even before the adoption of the Riegle-Neal banking legislation, many states had taken action to liberalize interstate acquisitions of banks on a basis that provided national treatment to foreign banks, welcomes further initiatives by states to provide additional access on a nondiscriminatory basis.
- (3) The Government of the United States has taken action to remove impediments to the offering of securities in the United States by foreign and domestic issuers. The National Securities Markets Improvement Act of 1996 preempts state regulation of offerings of certain securities, including those listed on the New York Stock Exchange, the National Association of Securities Dealers Automated Quotation/National Market System, and securities issued by registered investment companies. This legislation eliminates duplicative state and federal securities legislation in the area of securities registration.
- (4) Section 7(d) of the Investment Company Act authorizes the SEC to permit a foreign investment company to register and publicly offer its shares in the United States if the SEC makes the following prudential findings:
 - 1. that it is both legally and practically feasible for the SEC and U.S. investors effectively to enforce the provisions of the Investment Company Act against the investment company, and
 - 2. that it is consistent with the requirements set forth in the Investment Company Act.
- (5) The Government of the United States notes that the Federal Reserve, working in cooperation with other domestic supervisory authorities, has established an enhanced framework for the regulation and supervision of U.S. operations of foreign banks, which endeavors to coordinate annual examinations of foreign banks and provide uniform guidance with respect to examination policies.
