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Draft consolidated Schedule of Specific Commitments¹

Revision

Attached is a revised version of the draft consolidated Schedule of Specific Commitments of Macao, China in word format (S/DCS/W/MAC). This document does not substitute for the legally binding commitments undertaken by Macao, China in its Schedule of Specific Commitments (GATS/SC/50; GATS/SC/50/Suppl.1)

The revised draft consolidated version of the Schedule was prepared by the Secretariat, at the request of Members, to facilitate the process of negotiations, including the presentation of initial offers.

The revised document contains corrections to the entry relating to

- 7. FINANCIAL SERVICES; B. Banking and Other Financial Services (excluding Insurance). Under sub-item (f), the draft consolidated schedule contained erroneous references to CPC codes. These references have been deleted from the revised version.

¹ This document has been prepared, in English only, under the Secretariat's own responsibility and without prejudice to the positions of Members and to their rights and obligations under the WTO.

MACAO, CHINA – SCHEDULE OF SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS

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Sector or Sub-sector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
1. BUSINESS SERVICES			
E. <u>Rental/Leasing Services without Operators</u>			
(c) Related to other transport equipment (CPC 83101 + 83102 + 83105)	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None 4) Unbound	1) Unbound 2) Unbound 3) None 4) Unbound	
7. FINANCIAL SERVICES			
A. <u>All Insurance and Insurance-related Services</u>			
(a) Life, accident and health insurance services; and (b) Non-life insurance services.	1) Unbound 2) None other than compulsory insurances, like third party liability in respect of vehicles and publicity and propaganda materials, employer's liability in respect of employees, professional liability of travel agents, etc., must be purchased from insurers authorised to operate in Macau. 3) None other than under the Macau Insurance Companies Ordinance only a corporate entity is permitted to conduct insurance business in Macau, after obtaining the necessary licence. Commercial presence may be in the form of a locally incorporated subsidiary, branch or representative office. However, a representative office is not permitted to carry on insurance business. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than the general-manager of the branch of an insurer incorporated overseas must be resident in Macau. 4) None	

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(c) Reinsurance and retrocession.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than under the Macau Insurance Companies Ordinance only a corporate entity is permitted to conduct reinsurance business in Macau. Commercial presence of reinsurers may be in the form of a locally incorporated subsidiary, branch or representative office. However, a representative office is not permitted to retain any portion of reinsurance premiums. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than the general-manager of the authorised reinsurer has to be resident in Macau. 4) None	
(d) Services auxiliary to insurance (including broking and agency services).	1) None, other than insurance intermediaries (brokers, agents and salesmen) need to obtain licence prior to commencement of business. 2) None 3) None other than only a company can be permitted to act as a broker or a corporate agent. 4) None in relation to consultancy services, loss adjusters and other services which do not involve the selling of insurance or carrying on of insurance intermediary business. Unbound for other services in this subsector.	1) None other than individuals (agents and salesmen) must be residents in Macau. 2) None 3) None other than the general-manager or representative of an overseas broker firm or of the corporate agent must be resident in Macau. 4) None	

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<p>B. <u>Banking and Other Financial Services</u> (excluding insurance)</p> <p>(a) Acceptance of deposits and other repayable funds from the public.</p>	<p>1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry on the activities of a banking institution.</p> <p>Under the present Financial System Act of Macau, banks incorporated overseas may apply for a license to operate a full-licence or offshore licence branch or subsidiary.</p> <p>The present main authorization criterion is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adequacy of the objectives of the applicant with the economic and financial policies pursued by the local government. A full-licence branch or subsidiary may apply for authorization to open sub-branches or branches and to install ATMs. Other than branch or subsidiary, a bank incorporated overseas may apply for a authorization to open a representative office. Such office is prohibited from taking deposits or from undertaking any kind of banking business. <p>4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.</p>	<p>1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau.</p> <p>4) None</p>	

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(b) Lending of all types, including <i>inter alia</i> , consumer credit, mortgage credit, factoring and financing of commercial transaction.	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of an authorised credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau. 4) None	
(c) Financial leasing.	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of an authorised credit institution, or a locally incorporated financial leasing company. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas or a financial leasing company authorised under Financial System Act must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau. 4) None	

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(d) All payment and money transmission services.	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of: a) an authorised branch of a bank incorporated overseas or locally incorporated bank; b) an authorised locally incorporated cash remittance company. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; c) a locally incorporated cash remittance company authorised under the FSA must have one general-manager resident in Macau. 4) None	
(e) Guarantees and commitments.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of a branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry on the activities of a credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; 4) None	

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<p>(f) Trading for own account or for account of customers, whether on an exchange, in an over-the-counter market or otherwise, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Money market instruments (cheques, bills, certificates of deposits, etc.). - Foreign exchange. - Derivative products, including but not limited to, futures and options. - Exchange rate and interest rate instruments, including products such as swaps, forward rate agreements, etc. - Transferable securities. - Other negotiable instruments and financial assets, including bullion. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of a branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry on the activities of a credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1) None 2) None 3) None other than: (a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; (b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; 4) None 	

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(g) Participation in issues of all kinds of securities, including under-writing and placement as agent (whether of service related to such issues publicly or privately) and provision of services related to such issues.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of a branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry on the activities of a credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: (a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; (b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; 4) None	
(h) Money broking.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of a branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry on the activities of a credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; 4) None	

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(i) Asset management, such as cash or portfolio management, all forms of collective investment management, pension fund management, custodial, depository and trust services.	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of a branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry out the activities of a credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; 4) None	
(j) Settlement and clearing services for financial assets, including securities, derivatives products, and other negotiable instruments.	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None other than that commercial presence must take the form of a branch or subsidiary, duly authorised to carry out the activities of a credit institution. 4) Unbound except for transfer of CEO, alternate CEO, directors, specialists and other staff who are not available in the local labour market.	1) None 2) None 3) None other than: a) a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the Financial System Act to open a branch must appoint a chief executive officer and at least one alternate CEO, each of whom must be resident in Macau; b) a subsidiary of a bank incorporated overseas authorised under the FSA must have at least 3 directors, two of whom must be residents in Macau; 4) None	

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(k) Advisory and other auxiliary financial services on all the activities listed in 5(a) subparagraphs (v) to (xv), of the Annex on Financial Services, including credit reference and analysis, investment and portfolio research and advice, advice on acquisitions and on corporate restructuring and strategy.	1) None 2) None 3) None 4) None	1) None 2) None 3) None 4) None	
(l) Provision and transfer of financial information, and financial data processing and related software by providers of other financial services.	1) None 2) None 3) None 4) None	1) None 2) None 3) None 4) None	
9. TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES			
A. <u>Hotels and Restaurants</u> (excluding catering) (CPC 641-643, ex. 64230)	1) Unbound 2) None 3) None 4) Unbound	1) Unbound 2) Unbound 3) None 4) Unbound	
B. <u>Travel Agencies and Tour Operator Services</u> (CPC 7471)	1) Unbound 2) None 3) Branches and subsidiaries are not allowed 4) Unbound	1) Unbound 2) Unbound 3) None 4) Unbound	