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Trade in Services

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## NAMIBIA

### Draft converted Schedule of Specific Commitments<sup>1</sup>

Attached is a draft converted version of the Schedule of Specific Commitments of Namibia in word format. This document does not substitute for the legally binding commitments undertaken by Namibia in its Schedule of Specific Commitments (GATS/SC/60).

The draft converted 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.

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<sup>1</sup> 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.

**NAMIBIA – SCHEDULE OF SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS**

Modes of supply:       (1)   Cross-border   (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 |
|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>I. HORIZONTAL COMMITMENTS</b>      |   |                                   |                        |
| ALL SECTORS INCLUDED IN THIS SCHEDULE | <p>3) Commercial presence requires that foreign service providers incorporate or establish the business locally in accordance with the provision of Namibian laws (Companies Act 61 of 1973). Enterprises with foreign investment in Namibia have the same rights and responsibilities as domestic enterprises.</p> <p>4) In Namibia, the entry and residence of foreign natural persons (service providers) are subject to Namibia's Immigrations Control Act of 1993 and labour laws. In accordance with Namibian legislation, the employment of foreign natural persons for implementation of the foreign investment shall be agreed upon by the contracting parties and be subject to approval by the Namibian Government, and such personnel shall be employed in management and expert jobs only.</p> |                                   |                        |

Modes of supply: (5) Cross-border (6) Consumption abroad (7) Commercial presence (8) Presence of natural persons

| Sector or Sub-sector  | Limitations on Market Access   | Limitations on National Treatment  | Additional Commitments |
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| <b>II. SECTOR-SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS</b>  |  |  |                        |
| 1. BUSINESS SERVICES<br><br>F. <u>Other</u><br><br>f) Related scientific and technical consulting services: off-shore oil and gas exploration (CPC 86751)<br><br>9. TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES<br><br>A. <u>Hotels and Restaurants</u> (CPC 641-643) | 1) None<br>2) None<br>3) None<br>4) None<br><br>1) None<br>2) None<br>3) None<br>4) None | 1) None<br>2) None<br>3) None<br>4) None<br><br>1) None<br>2) None<br>3) None<br>4) None |                        |

Modes of supply: (9) Cross-border (10) Consumption abroad (11) Commercial presence (12) Presence of natural persons

| Sector or Sub-sector  | Limitations on Market Access             | Limitations on National Treatment        | Additional Commitments |
|---|--|--|------------------------|
| B. <u>Travel Agencies and Tour Operators Services</u><br>(CPC 7471) | 1) None<br>2) None<br>3) None<br>4) None | 1) None<br>2) None<br>3) None<br>4) None |                        |