**Reservation No. 8 - Distribution services**

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| Sector – sub-sector: | Distribution services – general, of tobacco, of alcoholic beverages |
| Industry classification: | CPC 3546, part of 621, 6222, 631, part of 632 |
| Type of reservation: | Market access |
| | National treatment |
| Section: | Investment liberalisation and Cross-border trade in services |
| Level of government: | EU/Member State (unless otherwise specified) |

Description:

**(a) Distribution services (CPC 3546, 631, 632 except 63211, 63297, 62276, part of 621)**

With respect to Investment liberalisation – Market access:

In **PT**: A specific authorisation scheme exists for the installation of certain retail establishments and shopping centres. This relates to shopping centres that have a gross leasable area equal or greater than 8,000$m^2$, and retail establishments having a sales area equal or exceeding 2,000$m^2$, when located outside shopping centres. Main criteria: Contribution to a multiplicity of commercial offers; assessment of services to consumer; quality of employment and corporate social responsibility; integration in urban environment; contribution to eco-efficiency (CPC 631, 632 except 63211, 63297).

With respect to Investment liberalisation – Market access, National treatment and Cross-border trade in services – Market access, National treatment:

In **CY**: Nationality requirement exists for distribution services on pharmaceutical representatives (CPC 62117).