59. Sector:	Business Services; Agricultural Services	
Sub-Sector:	Placement and Supply Services of Personnel; Agency Services; Services Incidental to Agriculture and Forestry	
Industry Classification:	CPC 872	Placement and supply services of personnel
	CPC 87909	Other business services n.e.c. (limited to agency services on behalf of individual performers)
	CPC 8811	Services incidental to agriculture (limited to services of farm labour contractors)
	CPC 8814	Services incidental to forestry and logging (limited to services of forest labour contractors)
Type of Reservation:	Market access (Article 46)	
	National treatment (Article 47)	
Level of Government:	Federal	
Measures:	Federal Law on employment services and the hiring of services (SR 823.11), Articles 2, 3, 12, 13 and 14	
Description:	The placement and hiring of services from abroad to Switzerland by a foreign company offering services for hire is not allowed (*i.e.* cross-border supply is not allowed).	
	A placement and/or hiring agency must be registered in a cantonal Commercial Register.	
	The placement and hiring of services within Switzerland requires a cantonal licence. Companies providing staff from Switzerland for hire or placement abroad or providing newly arriving foreign staff for hire in Switzerland additionally require a federal licence. Natural persons responsible for management of a placement and/or hiring agency must be Swiss nationals or foreigners with a residence permit.	
	Additional conditions apply to the placement and/or hiring of services, for example: sufficient business expertise, lodging of a deposit as a guarantee, natural persons responsible for management must be qualified to offer services for hire on a professional basis and be of proven good repute, etc.	
	These measures apply to all types of placement and hiring, including for example "head-hunter" services, placement and casting of artists, photo models or fashion models, athletes, hiring of household personnel, maids or au pairs, harvesting, logging and other services of farm or forest labour contractors.	
	These measures apply to all types of placement and hiring including in connection with rental services of machinery or vehicles with operator, driver or crew.	