28 Sector: Professional Services

Sub-Sector:

Industry Classification: JSIC 7242 Auditors' offices

Type of Reservation: Market Access (Article 9.3)

Local Presence (Article 9.6)

Level of Government: Central Government

Measures: Certified Public Tax Accountant Law (Law No. 237 of 1951), Chapters 3, 4, 5-2, 6 and 7

Enforcement Regulation on Certified Public Tax Accountant Law (Ministerial Ordinance of the Ministry of Finance No. 55 of 1951)

Description: Trade in Services

A natural person who intends to supply certified public tax accountant services is required to be qualified as a certified public tax accountant under the laws and regulations of Japan ("Zeirishi") and to establish an office within the district of certified public tax accountant association to which the natural person belongs.

An enterprise which intends to supply certified public tax accountant services is required to establish a certified public tax accountant corporation under the laws and regulations of Japan ("Zeirishi-Hojin").

29 Sector: Professional Services

Sub-Sector:

Industry Classification: JSIC 7231 Administrative scriveners' offices

JSIC 7294 Certified real estate appraisers

JSIC 7299 Professional services, n.e.c.

JSIC 7421 Architectural design services

Type of Reservation: Market Access (Article 9.3)

Local Presence (Article 9.6)

Level of Government: Central Government

Measures: Architect and/or Building Engineer Law (Law No. 202 of 1950), Chapters 1, 2 and 6

Description: Trade in Services

An architect and/or building engineer, qualified as such under the laws and regulations of Japan ("Kenchikushi"), or a person employing such an architect and/or building engineer, who intends to conduct business of design, superintendence of construction work, administrative work related to construction work contracts, supervision of building construction work, survey and evaluation of buildings, and representation in procedure under the laws and regulations concerning construction, upon request from others for remuneration, is required to establish an office in Japan.