(b) Auxiliary services to maritime transport

With respect to Investment liberalisation – Market access, National treatment, Senior management and boards of directors and Cross-border trade in services – Market access, National treatment:

The **EU**: The supply of pilotage and berthing services. For greater certainty, regardless of the criteria which may apply to the registration of ships in a Member State of the European Union, the European Union reserves the right to require that only ships registered on the national registers of Member States of the European Union may provide pilotage and berthing services (CPC 7452).

The **EU**, with the exception of **LT** and **LV**: Only vessels carrying the flag of a Member State of the European Union may provide pushing and towing services (CPC 7214).

In **LT**: Only juridical persons of Lithuania or juridical persons of a Member State of the European Union with branches in Lithuania that have a Certificate issued by the Lithuanian Maritime Safety Administration may provide pilotage and berthing, pushing and towing services (CPC 7214).

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

In **BE**: Cargo handling services can only be operated by accredited workers, eligible to work in port areas designated by royal decree (CPC 741).

Existing measures:
BE: Loi du 8 juin 1972 organisant le travail portuaire;
Arrêté royal du 12 janvier 1973 instituant une Commission paritaire des ports et fixant sa dénomination et sa compétence;
Arrêté royal du 4 septembre 1985 portant agrément d'une organisation d'employeur (Anvers);
Arrêté royal du 29 janvier 1986 portant agrément d'une organisation d'employeur (Gand);
Arrêté royal du 10 juillet 1986 portant agrément d'une organisation d'employeur (Zeebrugge);
Arrêté royal du 1er mars 1989 portant agrément d'une organisation d'employeur (Ostende); and
Arrêté royal du 5 juillet 2004 relatif à la reconnaissance des ouvriers portuaires dans les zones portuaires tombant dans le champ d'application de la loi du 8 juin 1972 organisant le travail portuaire, tel que modifié.