9. The Philippines has a State policy and existing laws for the protection of the rights of indigenous peoples and cultural communities, thus, the implementation of these laws and policies shall not be construed as affecting any and all commitments made under this Agreement and this Schedule.

10. For purposes of transparency, upon transition to the Negative List in accordance with Article 8.12 (Transition), the Philippines shall make necessary reservations and non-conforming measures.

11. All limitations on market access and national treatment in the horizontal commitments shall apply to all sectors and subsectors where specific commitments are made in this Schedule.

ANNEX II
SCHEDULE OF SPECIFIC COMMITMENTS FOR SERVICES
THE PHILIPPINES

Modes of Supply: **1) Cross-border Supply** **2) Consumption abroad** **3) Commercial presence** **4) Presence of natural persons**

Sector or Subsector	Limitations on Market Access	Limitations on National Treatment	Additional Commitments
I. HORIZONTAL COMMITMENTS			
The Philippines reserves the right to adopt or maintain any measure that accords more favourable treatment to any services or service suppliers under any bilateral or multilateral international agreement in force or signed prior to the date of entry into force of this Agreement. The Philippines reserves the right to adopt or maintain any measure that accords more favourable treatment to any services or service supplier of a Party or of other countries under any international agreement in force or signed after the date of entry into force of this Agreement. If, after the date of entry into force of this Agreement, the Philippines enters into any agreement that accords more preferential treatment with other countries, the Philippines will give consideration, on request of a Party, to negotiate for the incorporation therein of treatment no less favourable than that provided under the aforesaid agreement. On request of a Party, the Philippines will give consideration to that Party to negotiate for the incorporation of treatment no less favourable than that provided under that agreement in question. Such incorporation shall take into account the overall balance of benefits. Notwithstanding the above, the Philippines reserves the right to adopt or maintain any measure that accords more favourable treatment: (a) to Member States of ASEAN under any ASEAN agreement open to participation by any Member State of ASEAN, in force or signed after the date of entry into force of this Agreement; (b) with respect of advantages accorded to adjacent countries to the extent covered by paragraph 3 of Article II of GATS; and (c) to any services or service suppliers under any international agreement in force or signed after the date of entry into force of this Agreement involving: i. aviation; ii. fisheries; iii. temporary entry and temporary stay of natural persons supplying service; iv. maritime transport services; v. telecommunication and information technology; vi. electronic commerce; or vii. banking and other financial services			