#### ANNEX III: FINANCIAL SERVICES NON-CONFORMING MEASURE

#### Schedule of Peru

### **Introductory Note**

- 1. The Schedule of Peru to this Annex sets out:
  - (a) headnotes that limit or clarify the commitments of Peru with respect to the obligations described in subparagraph (b)(i) through (v) and in subparagraph (c);
  - (b) in Section A, pursuant to Article 12.9 (Non-Conforming Measures), the existing measures of Peru that do not conform with some or all of the obligations imposed by:
    - (i) Article 12.2 (National Treatment),
    - (ii) Article 12.3 (Most-Favored-Nation Treatment),
    - (iii) Article 12.4 (Market Access for Financial Institutions),
    - (iv) Article 12.5 (Cross-Border Trade), or
    - (v) Article 12.8 (Senior Management and Boards of Directors); and
  - (c) in Section B, pursuant to Article 12.9 (Non-Conforming Measures), the specific sectors, subsectors, or activities for which Peru may maintain existing, or adopt new or more restrictive, measures that do not conform with the obligations imposed by Article 12.2, 12.3, 12.4, 12.5, or 12.8.
- 2. Each entry in Section A sets out the following elements:
  - (a) **Sector** refers to the general sector for which the entry is made;
  - (b) **Subsector** refers to the specific sector for which the entry is made;
  - (c) **Obligations Concerned** specifies the article(s) referred to in paragraph 1(b) that, pursuant to Article 12.9.1(a), do not apply to the non-conforming aspects of the law, regulation, or other measure, as set out in paragraph 4;
  - (d) **Level of Government** indicates the level of government maintaining the scheduled measure(s);
  - (e) **Measures** identifies the laws, regulations, or other measures for which the entry is made. A measure cited in the **Measures** element:
    - (i) means the measure as amended, continued, or renewed as of the date of entry into force of this Agreement, and

- (ii) includes any subordinate measure adopted or maintained under the authority of and consistent with the measure; and
- (f) **Description** provides a general, non-binding description of the measure for which the entry is made.
- 3. Each entry in Section B sets out the following elements:
  - (a) **Sector** refers to the general sector for which the entry is made;
  - (b) **Subsector** refers to the specific sector for which the entry is made;
  - (c) **Obligations Concerned** specifies the article(s) referred to in paragraph 1(c) that, pursuant to Article 12.9.2, do not apply to the sectors, subsectors, or activities scheduled in the entry;
  - (d) **Level of Government** indicates the level of government maintaining the listed measure(s); and
  - (e) **Description** sets out the scope of the sectors, subsectors, or activities covered by the entry.
- 4. For entries in Section A, in accordance with Article 12.9.1(a), and subject to Article 12.9.1(c), the articles of this Agreement specified in the **Obligations Concerned** element of an entry do not apply to the non-conforming aspects of a law, regulation, or other measure identified in the **Measures** element of that entry, except to the extent that such non-conforming aspects are inconsistent with a Specific Commitment in Annex 12.15.
- 5. For entries in Section B, in accordance with Article 12.9.2, the articles of this Agreement specified in the **Obligations Concerned** element of an entry do not apply to the sectors, subsectors, and activities identified in the **Description** element of that entry.
- 6. Where Peru maintains a measure that requires that a service supplier be a citizen, permanent resident, or resident of its territory as a condition to the supply of a service in its territory, a Schedule entry for that measure taken with respect to Article 12.2, 12.3, 12.4, or 12.5 shall operate as a Schedule entry with respect to Article 10.3 (National Treatment), 10.4 (Most-Favored-Nation Treatment), or 10.9 (Performance Requirements) to the extent of that measure.

### **ANNEX III, Schedule of Peru**

#### **Headnotes**

- 1. Commitments in these subsectors under the Agreement are undertaken subject to the limitations and conditions set forth in these headnotes and in the Schedule below.
- 2. To clarify the commitment of Peru with respect to Article 12.4 (Market Access for Financial Institutions), juridical persons supplying financial services constituted under the laws of Peru are subject to non-discriminatory limitations on juridical form.<sup>1</sup>
- 3. Article 12.9.1(c) (Non-Conforming Measures) shall not apply to those non-conforming measures relating to Article 12.4(b) (Market Access for Financial Institutions).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For example, partnerships and sole proprietorships are generally not acceptable juridical forms for financial institutions in Peru. This headnote is not itself intended to affect, or otherwise limit, a choice by an investor of the other Party between branches and subsidiaries.

### **ANNEX III, Schedule of Peru**

#### **Section A**

**Sector:** Financial Services

**Subsector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (excluding insurance)

**Obligation concerned:** Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Measure:** Ley General del Sistema Financiero y del Sistema de Seguros y

Orgánica de la Superintendencia de Banca y Seguros, Ley Nº

26702 y sus modificatorias.

**Description:** A financial institution of another Party providing banking services

and established in Peru through a branch must assign to its branch certain capital, which must be located in Peru. In addition to measures that Peru may impose consistent with Article 12.10.1, the operations of the branch are limited by its capital located in Peru.

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**Subsector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (excluding insurance)

**Obligation concerned:** Cross-Border Trade (Article 12.5)

**Measure:** Texto Único Ordenado de la Ley del Mercado de Valores,

aprobado por el Decreto Supremo Nº 093-2002-EF; Artículos 280, 333, 337 y Décimo Séptima Disposición

Final.

Ley N° 26702 y sus modificatorias, Ley General del

Sistema Financiero y del Sistema de Seguros y Orgánica de la Superintendencia de Banca y Seguros; Artículos 136 y

296.

**Description:** Financial institutions constituted under the laws of Peru and

debt securities offered in a primary or secondary public offering in the territory of Peru must be rated by Credit Rating Companies constituted under the laws of Peru. They may also be rated by other credit rating agencies, but only

in addition to the mandatory rating.

**Subsector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (excluding insurance)

**Obligation concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Measure: Ley General del Sistema Financiero y del Sistema de Seguros y

Orgánica de la Superintendencia de Banca y Seguros, Ley Nº

26702 y sus modificatorias.

Ley de Creación del Banco Agropecuario, Ley N° 27603.

Ley de creación de la Corporación Financiera de Desarrollo

(COFIDE), Decreto Ley N° 18807.

Ley de Creación del Banco de la Nación, Ley Nº 16000.

Ley N° 28579, Fondo MiVivienda.

Decreto Supremo N° 157-90-EF.

Decreto Supremo Nº 07-94-EF y sus modificatorias.

**Description:** Peru may grant advantages or exclusive rights, without limitation,

to one or more of the following financial entities, so long as they are partially or fully owned by the State: Corporación Financiera

de Desarrollo (COFIDE), Banco de la Nación, Banco

Agropecuario, Fondo Mivivienda, Cajas Municipales de Ahorro y

Crédito, and the Caja Municipal de Crédito Popular.

Examples of such advantages are the following:<sup>2</sup>

The Banco de la Nación and Banco Agropecuario are not required to diversify their risk; and

The Cajas Municipales de Ahorro y Crédito may directly sell collateral they repossess in cases of loan default, in accordance

with pre-established procedures.

<sup>2</sup> For greater certainty, and notwithstanding the location of this non-conforming measure within Section A of this Schedule, the Parties understand that the advantages or exclusive rights that a Party may grant to the specified entities are not limited only to the cited examples.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Measures:** Texto Único Ordenado de la Ley del Mercado de Valores,

*aprobado por el Decreto Supremo* Nº 093-2002-EF; *Artículos* 130, 167, 185, 204, 223, 259, 269, 270, 302, 324 y *Décimo* 

Séptima Disposición Final.

Decreto Legislativo N° 862, Ley de Fondos de Inversión y sus

Sociedades Administradoras, Artículo 12.

Ley N° 26361, Ley sobre Bolsas de Productos, modificada

por la Ley N° 27635, Artículos 2, 9 y 15.

Decreto Ley N° 22014, Artículo 1.

Texto Único Ordenado de la Ley del Sistema Privado de Administración de Fondos de Pensiones, aprobado por el

Decreto Supremo N° 054-97-EF, Artículo 13; y el

Reglamento del Texto Único Ordenado de la Ley del Sistema

Privado de Administración de Fondos de Pensiones,

aprobado por el Decreto Supremo Nº 004-98-EF, Artículo

18.

**Description:** Financial institutions established in Peru to supply financial

services in the securities or commodities markets or financial services related to asset management, including by pension fund managers, must be constituted under the laws of Peru. Therefore, financial institutions of another Party established

in Peru to supply these financial services may not be

established as branches or agencies.

**Subsector:** All

**Obligation Concerned:** Cross-Border Trade (Article 12.5)

Measure: Ley General del Sistema Financiero y del Sistema de Seguros y

Orgánica de la Superintendencia de Banca y Seguros, Ley Nº

26702 y sus modificatorias.

**Description:** Creditors domiciled in Peru have legal preference with regard to

the assets located in Peru of a branch of a foreign financial

institution, in case of liquidation of the financial institution or its

branch in Peru.

# **ANNEX III, Schedule of Peru**

### **Section B**

**Sector:** Financial Services

**Subsector:** Social Services

**Obligation Concerned:** Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Description:** Peru reserves the right to adopt or maintain measures that do not

conform with the obligations of Article 12.4(a)(ii) and (iii) with respect to the supply of services described in Article 12.1.3(a).

**Subsector:** Insurance and Insurance-related Services

**Obligation concerned:** Cross-Border Trade (Article 12.5)

**Measure:** Ley N° 27181 y su Reglamento aprobado mediante Decreto

Supremo 024-2002-MTC.

Ley N° 26790, Ley de la Modernización de la Seguridad Social en Salud, y el Reglamento aprobado por Decreto Supremo N° 03-98-

SA.

**Description:** Peru reserves the right to adopt or maintain measures that restrict

the acquisition of obligatory insurance outside of Peru, or that require that obligatory insurance be purchased from suppliers established in Peru, such as *Seguro Obligatorio de Accidentes de Transito* (SOAT) and *Seguro Complementatrio de Trabajo en Riesgo*. These restrictions do not apply to any insurance covered

by Annex 12.5.1.

#### ANNEX III: FINANCIAL SERVICES NON-CONFORMING MEASURES

#### **Schedule of the United States**

#### **Introductory Note**

- 1. The Schedule of the United States to this Annex sets out:
  - (a) headnotes that limit or clarify the commitments of the United States with respect to the obligations described in subparagraph (b)(i) through (v) and in subparagraph (c);
  - (b) in Section A, pursuant to Article 12.9 (Non-Conforming Measures), the existing measures of the United States that do not conform with some or all of the obligations imposed by:
    - (i) Article 12.2 (National Treatment),
    - (ii) Article 12.3 (Most-Favored-Nation Treatment),
    - (iii) Article 12.4 (Market Access for Financial Institutions),
    - (iv) Article 12.5 (Cross-Border Trade), or
    - (v) Article 12.8 (Senior Management and Boards of Directors); and
  - in Section B, pursuant to Article 12.9 (Non-Conforming Measures), the specific sectors, subsectors, or activities for which the United States may maintain existing, or adopt new or more restrictive, measures that do not conform with the obligations imposed by Article 12.2, 12.3, 12.4, 12.5, or 12.8.
- 2. Each entry in Section A sets out the following elements:
  - (a) **Sector** refers to the general sector for which the entry is made;
  - (b) **Subsector** refers to the specific sector for which the entry is made;
  - (c) **Obligations Concerned** specifies the article(s) referred to in paragraph 1(b) that, pursuant to Article 12.9.1(a), do not apply to the non-conforming aspects of the law, regulation, or other measure, as set out in paragraph 4;
  - (d) **Level of Government** indicates the level of government maintaining the scheduled measure(s);
  - (e) **Measures** identifies the laws, regulations, or other measures for which the entry is made. A measure cited in the **Measures** element:

- (i) means the measure as amended, continued, or renewed as of the date of entry into force of this Agreement, and
- (ii) includes any subordinate measure adopted or maintained under the authority of and consistent with the measure; and
- (f) **Description** provides a general, non-binding description of the measure for which the entry is made.
- 3. Each entry in Section B sets out the following elements:
  - (a) **Sector** refers to the general sector for which the entry is made;
  - (b) **Subsector** refers to the specific sector for which the entry is made;
  - (c) **Obligations Concerned** specifies the article(s) referred to in paragraph 1(c) that, pursuant to Article 12.9.2, do not apply to the sectors, subsectors, or activities scheduled in the entry;
  - (d) **Level of Government** indicates the level of government maintaining the listed measure(s); and
  - (e) **Description** sets out the scope of the sectors, subsectors, or activities covered by the entry.
- 4. For entries in Section A, in accordance with Article 12.9.1(a), and subject to Article 12.9.1(c), the articles of this Agreement specified in the **Obligations Concerned** element of an entry do not apply to the non-conforming aspects of the law, regulation, or other measure identified in the **Measures** element of that entry, except to the extent that such non-conforming aspects are inconsistent with a Specific Commitment in Annex 12.15.
- 5. For entries in Section B, in accordance with Article 12.9.2, the articles of this Agreement specified in the **Obligations Concerned** element of an entry do not apply to the sectors, subsectors, and activities identified in the **Description** element of that entry.
- 6. Where the United States maintains a measure that requires that a service supplier be a citizen, permanent resident, or resident of its territory as a condition to the supply of a service in its territory, a Schedule entry for that measure taken with respect to Article 12.2, 12.3, 12.4, or 12.5 shall operate as a Schedule entry with respect to Article 10.3 (National Treatment), 10.4 (Most-Favored-Nation Treatment), or 10.8 (Performance Requirements) to the extent of that measure.

### **ANNEX III, Schedule of the United States**

#### Headnotes

- 1. Commitments in these subsectors under the Agreement are undertaken subject to the limitations and conditions set forth in these headnotes and in the Schedule below.
- 2. National treatment commitments in these subsectors are subject to the following limitations:
  - (a) National treatment with respect to banking will be provided based upon the foreign bank's "home state" in the United States, as that term is defined under the International Banking Act, where that Act is applicable. A domestic bank subsidiary of a foreign firm will have its own "home state," and national treatment will be provided based upon the subsidiary's home state, as determined under applicable law.<sup>1</sup>
  - (b) National treatment with respect to insurance financial institutions will be provided according to a non-U.S. insurance financial institution's state of domicile, where applicable, in the United States. State of domicile is defined by individual states, and is generally the state in which an insurer either is incorporated, is organized, or maintains its principal office in the United States.
- 3. To clarify the U.S. commitment with respect to Article 12.4 (Market Access for Financial Institutions), juridical persons supplying banking or other financial services (excluding insurance) and constituted under the laws of the United States are subject to non-discriminatory limitations on juridical form.<sup>2</sup>
- 4. The United States limits its commitments under Article 12.9.1(c) (Non-Conforming Measures) with respect to Article 12.4 (Market Access for Financial Institutions) in the following manner: with respect to banking and other financial services (excluding insurance), Article 12.9.1(c) shall apply only to non-conforming measures relating to Article 12.4(a) and not to those non-conforming measures relating to Article 12.4(b).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Foreign banking organizations are generally subject to geographic and other limitations in the United States on a national treatment basis. Where such limitations do not conform to national treatment, they have been listed as non-conforming measures. For purposes of illustration, under this approach, the following situation does not accord national treatment and would therefore be listed as a non-conforming measure: a foreign bank from a particular home state is accorded less favorable treatment than that accorded to a domestic bank from that state with respect to expansion by branching.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For example, partnerships and sole proprietorships are generally not acceptable juridical forms for depository financial institutions in the United States. This headnote is not itself intended to affect, or otherwise limit, a choice by an investor of another Party between branches or subsidiaries.

## **Annex III, Schedule of the United States**

### **Section A**

**Sector:** Financial Services

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Senior Management & Boards of Directors (Article 12.8)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. § 72

**Description:** All directors of a national bank must be U.S. citizens, except that

the Comptroller of the Currency may waive the citizenship requirement for not more than a minority of the total number of

directors.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. § 619

**Description:** Foreign ownership of Edge corporations is limited to foreign banks

and U.S. subsidiaries of foreign banks, while domestic non-bank

firms may own such corporations.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. §§ 1463 et seq. & 12 U.S.C. §§ 1751 et seq.

**Description:** Federal and state laws do not permit a credit union, savings bank,

or savings association (both of the latter two entities may also be called thrift institutions) in the United States to be established through branches of corporations organized under a foreign

country's law.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. § 3104(d)

**Description:** In order to accept or maintain domestic retail deposits of less than

\$100,000, a foreign bank must establish an insured banking subsidiary. This requirement does not apply to a foreign bank branch that was engaged in insured deposit-taking activities on

December 19, 1991.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 15 U.S.C. §§ 80b-2, 80b-3

**Description:** Foreign banks are required to register as investment advisers under

the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 to engage in securities advisory and investment management services in the United States, while domestic banks\* (or a separately identifiable department or division of the bank) do not have to register unless they advise registered investment companies. The registration

requirement involves record maintenance, inspections, submission

of reports and payment of a fee.

subsidiaries of foreign banks.

<sup>\*</sup> For greater clarity, "domestic banks" include U.S. bank

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. §§ 221, 302, 321

**Description:** Foreign banks cannot be members of the Federal Reserve System

and, thus, may not vote for directors of a Federal Reserve Bank. Foreign-owned bank subsidiaries are not subject to this measure.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. § 36(g); 12 U.S.C. § 1828(d)(4); 12 U.S.C. §

1831u(a)(4)

**Description:** The United States undertakes no commitment with respect to

Article 12.4(b) in relation to the expansion, via the establishment of a branch or the acquisition of one or more branches of a bank without acquisition of the entire bank, by a foreign bank into another state from its "home state," as that term is defined under applicable law. Except as provided elsewhere in this Schedule, such expansion shall be accorded on a national treatment basis in

accordance with headnote 2(a).

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. § 1831u

**Description:** Interstate expansion by a foreign bank through the establishment

of branches by merger with a bank located outside the "home state," as that term is defined under applicable law, of a foreign bank shall be accorded on a national treatment basis in accordance with headnote 2(a), except as provided elsewhere in this Schedule.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 12 U.S.C. § 3102(a)(1); 12 U.S.C. § 3103(a); 12 U.S.C. § 3102(d)

**Description:** Establishment of a federal branch or agency by a foreign bank is

not available in the following states that may prohibit establishment of a branch or agency by a foreign bank:

• Branches and agencies may be prohibited in Alabama, Kansas, Maryland, North Dakota, and Wyoming.

Branches, but not agencies, may be prohibited in Delaware,

• Branches, but not agencies, may be prohibited in Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri,

Oklahoma, Texas, and West Virginia.

Certain restrictions on fiduciary powers apply to federal agencies.

Note: The cited federal measures provide that certain state law restrictions shall apply to the establishment of federal branches or

agencies.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Most-Favored-Nation Treatment (Article 12.3)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 15 U.S.C. § 77jjj(a)(1)

**Description:** The authority to act as a sole trustee of an indenture for a bond

offering in the United States is subject to a reciprocity test.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Most-Favored-Nation Treatment (Article 12.3)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 22 U.S.C. §§ 5341-5342

**Description:** Designation as a primary dealer in U.S. government debt securities

is conditioned on reciprocity.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** Most-Favored-Nation Treatment (Article 12.3)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 15 U.S.C. § 78o(c)

**Description:** A broker-dealer registered under U.S. law that has its principal

place of business in Canada may maintain its required reserves in a

bank in Canada subject to the supervision of Canada.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

**Level of Government:** Central

Measures: 12 U.S.C. §§ 1421 et seq. (Federal Home Loan Banks); 12 U.S.C.

§§ 1451 et seq. (Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation; 12 U.S.C. §§ 1717 et seq. (Federal National Mortgage Association); 12 U.S.C. §§ 2011 et seq. (Farm Credit Banks); 12 U.S.C. §§ 2279aa-1 et seq. (Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation); 20 U.S.C. §§ 1087-2 et seq. (Student Loan Marketing Association)

**Description:** The United States may grant advantages, including but not limited

to the following,<sup>3</sup> to one or more of the Government-Sponsored

Enterprises (GSEs) listed above:

• Capital, reserves, and income of the GSE are exempt from certain taxation.

• Securities issued by the GSE are exempt from registration and periodic reporting requirements under federal securities laws.

• The U.S. Treasury may, in its discretion, purchase obligations

issued by the GSE.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For greater certainty, and notwithstanding the location of this non-conforming measure within Section A of this Schedule, the Parties understand that the advantages or exclusive rights that a Party may grant to the specified entities are not limited only to the cited examples.

**Sub-Sector:** Banking and Other Financial Services (Excluding Insurance)

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Most-Favored-Nation Treatment (Article 12.3)

Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4) Senior Management and Boards of Directors (Article 12.8)

**Level of Government:** Regional

Measures: All existing non-conforming measures of all states, the District of

Columbia, and Puerto Rico.

**Description:** 

**Sub-Sector:** Insurance

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Cross-Border Trade (Article 12.5)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 31 U.S.C. § 9304

**Description:** Branches of foreign insurance companies are not permitted to

provide surety bonds for U.S. Government contracts.

**Sub-Sector:** Insurance

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Cross-Border Trade (Article 12.5)

**Level of Government:** Central

**Measures:** 46 C.F.R. § 249.9

**Description:** When more than 50 percent of the value of a maritime vessel the

hull of which was built under federally guaranteed mortgage funds is insured by a non-US insurer, the insured must demonstrate that

the risk was first substantially offered in the U.S. market.

**Sub-Sector:** Insurance

**Obligations Concerned:** National Treatment (Article 12.2)

Most-Favored-Nation Treatment (Article 12.3)

Cross-Border Trade (Article 12.5)

Senior Management and Boards of Directors (Article 12.8)

**Level of Government:** Regional

Measures: All existing non-conforming measures of all states, the District of

Columbia, and Puerto Rico.

**Description:** 

# **Annex III, Schedule of the United States**

## **Section B**

**Sector:** Financial Services

**Sub-Sector:** Insurance

**Obligations Concerned:** Market Access for Financial Institutions (Article 12.4)

**Level of Government:** All

**Description:** The United States reserves the right to adopt or maintain any

measure that is not inconsistent with the United States' obligations

under Article XVI of the GATS.