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Alien Land Holding	All services	All Sectors	Aliens (Licensing) Act (CAP 15:37)	Act prescribes the requirements for owning land, shares and debentures by aliens and companies controlled by aliens. [Provides for discriminatory treatment for non-nationals in accessing property]. Foreign companies and individuals wishing to possess property by title or on condition of paying rent need to first obtain a licence. The Act requires a body corporate or unincorporated holding land which becomes an alien company by reason of a disposition of the shares or other interest of the body corporate or unincorporated, to obtain a licence to hold the land within 3 months of the disposition.					
Company Registration	All services	All Services	Companies Act Registration of Business Names Act	The Companies Acts states that no association, partnership, society, body or other group consisting of more than twenty persons may be formed for the purpose of carrying on any trade or business for gain unless it is incorporated under this Act or formed under some other enactment.					
Exchange Controls	All services	All	Exchange Control Act	Act prescribes the prohibition in respect of foreign exchange dealings [Permission required for movements in excess of EC\$250,000]					
Location of Businesses	All services	All	National Conservation Authority Act No. 16 Of 1999	Act prescribes the requirements for grant of a licence to operate a business in a protected area. [Potential for use of discretion in granting licence exists					
Micro and Small Businesses	Miscellaneous services	All relevant	Micro And Small Scale Business Enterprises Act 1998	Act prescribes the requirements for small business to benefit from concessions. [Definition excludes non-national owned small businesses, hence these are unable to access any benefits under Act]					
Offshore Sector	All services	All relevant sectors	Registered Agent And Trustee Licensing Act No.37 Of 1999	Act prescribes for the licensing and regulation of international financial services representation including a registered agent or trustee. [Local presence or residence requirements apply; use of discretion possible in grant of licence]					
Trade Services	All services	All Services	Trade Licences Act No. 5 Of 1985	Act prescribes the requirements for issue of licences for all trade purposes. [Discriminatory licences for non-nationals since this applies only to non-nationals], citizens, nationals of member States and non-alien companies may also not engage in trade on behalf of others not falling within these groups without the approval of the Minister.					The Act further states that the Minister may make regulations, <i>inter alia</i> , "prescribing the limits to the number of licences issued either generally or in relation to a particular trade or in relation to any district or any area
Work Permit Requirement	All services	All Services	Caribbean Community Skilled Nationals Act	Act prescribes the rights of qualifying Caribbean Community Nationals in respect of working in St. Lucia. [Act imposes additional procedures for accessing labour market]					
Work Permit Requirement		All Services	Foreign Nationals And Commonwealth Citizens (Employment) Act Free Zone Act	Act prescribes the requirements for work permits for foreign nationals. [Discriminates against non-nationals]					
621	Non-specialized store retail trade services	Duty Free Retail Sales Services	Tourist (Duty Free Shopping System) Act No.23 Of 1986	Act prescribes for the registration, licensing and grant of permits for Duty Free Shops and to operators. [Discretion possible in grant of licence; policy dictates that retail sales and operation of agencies and distributorships be restricted to St Lucian nationals]					

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All services	All services	All services	Immigration Ordinance, Cap. 72	Section 12 of the Immigration Ordinance provides for a permit to remain in Saint Lucia for a temporary purpose. There, an immigration officer may at the request of an immigrant grant him to enter and remain in Saint Lucia for such period not exceeding six months for purposes of business. The Chief Immigration Officer is empowered under the same section to extend the period specified in the permit up to a maximum of three years from the date of entry into Saint Lucia.					
All services	All services	All services	Immigration Act, No. 20 of 2001	An immigration officer is empowered by section 9 of the Immigration Act, No. 20 of 2001 to grant a permit to a person upon request to enter and remain in Saint Lucia for a period not exceeding three months as specified in the permit as a passenger in transit; for medical treatment; as a visitor; for purposes of employment; for purposes of trade or business; or for any other purpose of a temporary nature, where the immigration officer is satisfied that the person's request for the permit is made in good faith. An amendment to the Immigration Act changed the period from three months to six months. The Chief Immigration Officer may by virtue of that section extend the period specified in the permit to a maximum of one year from the date of entry into Saint Lucia. To be amended to give effect to the terms and					
	Investment	All investment	Criminal Code, Cap. 3.01	Section 411 of the Criminal Code provides that where a person has done any act as a public officer he accepts, or agrees to offer to accept, for himself or for any other person, any valuable consideration on account of such act, he is presumed unless the contrary is shown, to have committed the offence of corruption, in respect of the act. Code to be amended to cover all corruption or persons involved in the corruption.					
	Investment	All investment	Labour Act, No. 37 of 2006	The Labour Act consolidates and reforms legislation relating to labour and industrial relations in Saint Lucia taking into account existing local standards and international labour law standards. Part II of the Act enacts the fundamental principles of employment. Under section 6 a person must not be required to perform forced labour. Section 7 prohibits discrimination against an employee on the grounds of race, colour, sex, religion, national extraction etc. Freedom of association is protected under section 8 of the Act. Therefore a person cannot dismiss or threaten to dismiss an employee, or discipline or suspend or threaten to discipline or suspend an employee; or impose any penalty upon an employee because the employee has acted in compliance with the Act, etc. Rights to associations are also protected under Part VII of the Code in sections 324-581. Child labour is also prohibited under section 122 of the Labour Code so a person is prohibited from employing or allowing to be employed a child who is under the minimum school leaving age except for employment during school holidays in light work.					
	Investment	Environmental and labour obligations	Waste Management Act, No. 8 of 2004						

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	Investment	Types of commercial presence		Foreign investors have to incorporate or establish the business locally. Companies not incorporated locally must be registered and powers and activities may be restricted, in accordance with relevant legislation.					
	Investment			The State prohibits the exploration, exploitation and processing of radioactive minerals, the recycle of nuclear fuel, the generation of nuclear energy, the transportation and storage of nuclear waste, the use and processing of nuclear fuel and regulation of its applications for other purposes, as well as the production of heavy water. Economic needs tests are applied in small business					
ISIC rev 3.1: 01	Investment	Agriculture and hunting	Forest, Soil and Water Conservation Act	Legislation prescribes production exclusively for the domestic market.					
ISIC rev.3.1: 05	Investment	Fishing	Fisheries Act	The State reserves the right to adopt or maintain measures on investment in this sector.					
	Investment	Mining and quarrying	Cabinet Conclusion No. 645 of 1984	Certain activities in small scale mining may be reserved to nationals. The State reserves the right to grant approval for private or public exploration, mining, processing, importation and exportation of minerals.					
ISIC rev 3.1: 15	Investment	Manufacture of food products and beverages	Cabinet Conclusion No. 645 of 1984	Regarding ISIC 1512, 1541, 1544, 155, legislation prescribes requirements for the granting of a license or production exclusively for domestic market.					
ISIC rev 3.1: 20	Investment	Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	Cabinet Conclusion No. 645 of 1984	The State reserve the right to adopt or maintain restrictions on small scale investment in this sector.					
ISIC rev 3.1:29	Investment	Manufacture of machinery and equipment	Cabinet Conclusion No. 645 of 1984	The State may reserve the right to adopt or maintain measures on investment in the production of weapons and ammunition.					
ISIC rev 3.1: 36	Investment	Manufacture of furniture; manufacturing n.e.c.	Cabinet Conclusion No. 645 of 1984	The State reserve the right to adopt or maintain restrictions on small scale investment in this sector. Production is reserved for domestic market except where production is for export					
	Investment	Production, transmission and distribution on own account of electricity, gas, steam and hot water (Excluding Nuclear Based Electricity Generation)		Unbound					

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86119**	Legal services: consulting in home law of the service provider	Professional Services (Legal Services)	Legal Profession Act Cap. 2.04. Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	The eligibility and admission of non-citizens to practice is based on the reciprocal treatment of Saint Lucian citizens. Section 15 of the Legal Profession Act provides for the admission of citizens to practice as an attorney-at-law in Saint Lucia. The court may admit persons from the UK (as an English, Irish and Scottish barrister, solicitor or advocate). The eligibility and admission of non-citizens to practice is provided under section 16 of the Act. Subsection (2) of that section requires the Attorney General to make an order for admission of a non-citizen if he is satisfied after consultation with the Chief Justice that the person is a citizen or a national of a country the laws of which gives reciprocal treatment to a citizen of Saint Lucia in relation to admission to practice law in that country. Citizens who have 5 years or less standing pay \$300; more than 5 years but less than 10 years pay \$500; and more than 10 years or more pay \$750. Non-citizens pay \$500 if they have 5 years or less standing; \$750 for more than 5 years but less than 10 years standing; and \$1000 for 10 years or more.	None	None	None. Local certification required. Attorneys from other jurisdictions cannot practice without acceptance by the respective local Bar Association	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
86119	Legal Services Consultancy in International Law	Professional Services (Legal Services)	Legal Profession Act Cap. 2.04. Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	The eligibility and admission of non-citizens to practice is based on the reciprocal treatment of Saint Lucian citizens. Section 15 of the Legal Profession Act provides for the admission of citizens to practice as an attorney-at-law in Saint Lucia. The court may admit persons from the UK (as an English, Irish and Scottish barrister, solicitor or advocate). The eligibility and admission of non-citizens to practice is provided under section 16 of the Act. Subsection (2) of that section requires the Attorney General to make an order for admission of a non-citizen if he is satisfied after consultation with the Chief Justice that the person is a citizen or a national of a country the laws of which gives reciprocal treatment to a citizen of Saint Lucia in relation to admission to practice law in that country. Citizens who have 5 years or less standing pay \$300; more than 5 years but less than 10 years pay \$500; and more than 10 years or more pay \$750. Non-citizens pay \$500 if they have 5 years or less standing; \$750 for more than 5 years but less than 10 years standing; and \$1000 for 10 years or more.	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	

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8621	Accounting, auditing and bookkeeping service	Professional Services	Institute Of Chartered Accountants Of St. Lucia (Incorporation)(Amendment) Act. Institute of Chartered Accountants of the Eastern Caribbean Agreement Act, Cap. 19.18 Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	<p>The following persons are entitled to be registered as a member under Article 12 of the Agreement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an accountant being a resident or a citizen of a member State who is a member of a parent body. A parent body is defined under Article 2 of the Agreement as the – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, o Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland, o Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland, o Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, o Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, o American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, o Chartered Institute of Management Accountants, o Certified General Accountants Association of Canada, o Certified Management Accountants of Canada or any other such body of accountants as may from time to time be recommended by the Council and approved by the Institute at a general meeting. • any person who successfully passes the accountancy examinations conducted by the Institute or by some other body on behalf of the Institute for the election of chartered membership and is awarded a certificate by the Institute. <p>According to article 15 of the Agreement a person cannot offer himself to be in public practice as or under the name of a or using the title Chartered Accountant unless the person is registered as a</p>	Unbound	Unbound	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8671	Architectural Service	Professional Services	Architects Registration Act, No. 11 of 2005. Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	<p>The Architects Registration Act which makes provision for the registration of Architects and for regulating the practice of architecture is not yet in force. The Trade Licence Act regulates the issue of licences for trade purposes. For the purposes of the Act a national by virtue of section 2 of the Act is a person who is a citizen of a member State (CARICOM or OECS); or a person who has a connection with a member State to belong to that member State or is native or resident according the laws of the member State; or is a company which is substantially owned and effectively controlled by such persons. A person cannot engage in trade unless a licence is issued under section 3 of the Trade Licence Act. The section does not apply to a citizen of Saint Lucia or to a company in Saint Lucia, that is not an alien company, and to a national of a member State in accordance with section 3(2) of the Act. Additionally section 3(3) of the Act provides that a person cannot without the approval of the Minister engage in trade on behalf of a citizen of Saint Lucia, a company that is not an alien company or a national of a member State. Policy to be developed on joint venture</p>	Unbound	Unbound	Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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8672	Engineering Service	Professional Services	Engineers (Registration) Act No. 4 Of 1985. Engineers (Registration) Act, Cap. 13.10 Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	The Engineers Registration Board is established under the Engineers (Registration) Act to regulate engineers in Saint Lucia. A person must have requisite qualifications being an award of a degree, diploma or other appropriate qualification, fit and proper to practice and have not less than two years practical experience. The Act expressly provides for a partnership, association or corporation to practice engineering in its own name if one of its main functions is to practice engineering and the practice is done under the control and supervision of a member of the partnership or association or a director of the corporation who is a registered engineer. Provision is also made for an aggrieved person who has been denied registration to appeal to a judge in Chambers. Trade Licence Act as stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
86751	Geological, geophysical and other scientific production services	Professional Services	Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	Trade Licence Act as stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
93121 & 93122	Medical Services	Professional Services (Medical Services)	Health Practitioners Act, No. 33 of 2006. Trade Licence Act	The Health Practitioners Act regulates medical and dental practitioners. Under the Act a Medical and Dental Council is established to register and to regulate medical and dental practitioners. In performing its functions and exercising its powers, the Council must act independently, impartially and in the public interest. A medical or dental practitioner may apply for full registration as a general or specialist practitioner or limited registration as a temporary, conditional, academic, or research practitioner. The conditions for registration as a practitioner are set out under section 40 of the Act and requires a person to be fit and proper to practice medicine or dentistry, of good character and in good standing, hold the requisite qualifications or degrees and satisfactory training and temporarily resident in Saint Lucia for no more than six months. In making its decision concerning an application the Council may require the applicant to take a written, practical or oral examination and the Council may have regard to the applicant's ability to communicate effectively. The Council may impose conditions on registration under the Act if it considers it necessary or desirable to enable the applicant to practice medicine or dentistry competently and safely in Saint Lucia. The conditions which may be imposed include a requirement of internship. The Council	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
	Neuro-surgery	Professional Services (Medical Services)	Health Practitioners Act No. 33 of 2006 Trade And Licences Act	As stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
	Epidemiological services	Professional Services (Medical Services)	Health Practitioners Act No. 33 of 2006 Trade And Licences Act	As stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
	CATSCAN series	Professional Services (Medical Services)	Health Practitioners Act No. 33 of 2006 Trade And Licences Act	As stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	

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832	Veterinary Services	Professional Services (Medical Services)	Veterinary Surgeons Act Cap. 11.09 Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	provides for the registration of persons as veterinary surgeons based on entitlement to practice the profession in the UK or in another CARICOM country, or other appropriate qualifications recognized as furnishing a sufficient guarantee of the possession of requisite knowledge and skill for the efficient practice of veterinary surgery. Act prescribes the requirements for registration of veterinary surgeons. [Potential for use of discretion in registration process]	Unbound	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
841	Consultancy Services related to the installation of computer hardware	Computer and Related Services	Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	Trade Licence Act, as stated above. Policy and legislation to be developed for Computer and Related Services	Unbound	Unbound	Economic needs test may be applied. Main criteria: Location of business and employment situation in the sub-sector	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
842	Software Implementation Services	Computer and Related Services	Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	As stated above. Policy and legislation to be developed for Computer and Related Services	None	None	None	None	
843	Data Processing Services	Computer and Related Services	Data Protection Act, No. 11 of 2011. Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	As stated above. Policy and legislation to be developed for Computer and Related Services	None	None	Percentage of local persons to be employed	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
844	Data Base Services	Computer and Related Services	Data Protection Act, No. 11 of 2011. Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	As stated above. Policy and legislation to be developed for Computer and Related Services	None	None	None	Limitation on number of non-nationals in managerial positions. Subject to an economic needs test	
851	R&D Services on Natural Sciences	Research and Development Services	Health Practitioners Act, No. 33 of 2006 Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	Section 37 of the Health Practitioners Act provides for limited registration of a research practitioner who is entitled to research medicine or dentistry within an area subject to conditions set by the Council. Trade Licence Act, as stated above. Policy and legislation to be developed for aspects of R & D Services	None	None	Publicly funded R and D services may be limited to citizens and/or residents	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
852	R & D Services on Social Sciences and humanities	Research and Development Services	Caribbean Agricultural and Research Development Institute Act, Cap.7.14. Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	According to Article 3 of the Agreement the objects of the Institute established under Article 1 of the Agreement are to – • provide for the research and development needs of the agriculture of the Region as identified in national plans and policies; • provide an appropriate research and development service to the agricultural sector of Member States; • pursue for specified periods long term research in pertinent areas; • provide for the co-ordination and integration of the research and development efforts of Member States where possible and desirable; • undertake teaching functions normally at the post-graduate level, limited to the development of the relevant research by any Member State. Trade Licence Act, as stated above	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
853	Interdisciplinary R&D Services	Research and Development Services	Trade Licence Act, Cap. 13.04	Trade Licence Act, as stated above. Policy and legislation to be developed for aspects of R & D Services	Publicly funded R & D services may be limited to citizens and/or residents	Publicly funded R & D services may be limited to citizens and/or residents	Publicly funded R & D services may be limited to citizens and/or residents	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
822	Real Estate services. On a fee or Contractual basis			Policy and legislation to be developed on joint venture. To be revisited based on Investment	None	None	Joint ventures preferred	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
83103	Relating to Ships	Rental/Leasing Services Without Operators	No legislation exist		None	None	None. Enterprises with initial investment of less than US\$ 1 000 000 may be reserved for nationals	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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83104	Relating to Aircraft	Rental/Leasing Services Without Operators	Civil Aviation Act, Cap. 8:07	<p>The Civil Aviation Act, Cap. 8:07 makes provision for civil aviation in Saint Lucia. The Minister responsible for civil aviation and the Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority are responsible for the administration of this Act. An Air Transport Licensing Board is established under section 15 of the Act to deal with applications for air transport licences or permits. The matters to be considered by the Board in approving licences according to section 16 of the Act includes the existence of other air services in the area through which the proposed services are to be operated; the existing or potential need or demand for any services proposed; and the type of aircraft to be used. Unless otherwise approved by the Minister, the Board shall refuse to grant an air transport service licence or permit to any person who is not a citizen of Saint Lucia or a Member State or a body incorporated in Saint Lucia or a Member State that is substantially controlled by persons who are citizens of Saint Lucia or a Member State.</p> <p>Regulation 21 of the Civil Aviation Regulations requires a person who wishes to fly or operate an aircraft in or over Saint Lucia to register the aircraft in accordance with the Regulations. However, the person must be a Contracting State or some other State in relation to which there is in force an agreement between the Government of Saint Lucia and the Government of that State which makes provision for the flight over Saint Lucia of an aircraft</p>	None	None	None. Enterprises with initial investment of less than US\$ 1 000 000 may be reserved for nationals	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
83101+83102+83105	Relating to other transport Equipment	Rental/Leasing Services Without Operators	No legislation exist		None	None	None. Enterprises with initial investment of less than US\$ 1 000 000 may be reserved for nationals	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
83106-83109	Relating to other Machinery and Equipment	Rental/Leasing Services Without Operators	No legislation exist		None	None	None. Enterprises with initial investment of less than US\$ 500 000 may be reserved for nationals	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
871	Advertising Services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
864	Market research and public opinion polling services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	None	
865	Management Consulting Services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8676	Technical testing and Analysis Services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
881	Services incidental to agriculture, hunting and forestry	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
884+885 (except for 88442)	Services incidental to manufacturing investigation and security	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	Transfer of knowledge and technology required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
873		Other Business Services	Private Security Act, No.28 of 2006	A private security licence is required under section 30 of this Act. In this regard an application may be made under section 34 of the Act to the Saint Lucia Private Security Authority established under section 3 of the Act. A licence will not be granted under the Act if the Authority is satisfied that an applicant is not a fit and proper person to hold a licence; does not hold the prescribed qualifications, training and experience required in respect of the licence; or is not competent to provide the security service to which the proposed licence relates under section 35 of the Act.	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8675	Related Scientific and Technical Consulting Services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		Unbound	Unbound	None. Joint ventures required for environmental, water, food, and medical testing	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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633+8861-8866	Maintenance and Repair of Equipments (not including maritime vessels, aircraft or other transport equipment)	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		Unbound	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
876	Packaging Services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
87909	Convention Services	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		Unbound*	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8790	Other	Other Business Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7512	Courier Services	Communication Services	Protection Against Unfair Competition Act, Cap. 13.28	<p>This Act provides for protection against unfair competition. By virtue of section 3 of the Act any act or practice, in the course of industrial or commercial activities, that is contrary to honest practices constitutes an act of unfair competition. It is an act of unfair competition according to section 6 of the Act to mislead the public with respect to an enterprise or its activities, in particular, the products or services offered by an enterprise by any, act or practice, in the course of industrial or commercial activities. The section also states that misleading may arise out of advertising or promoting or occur with respect to the quality or quantity or other characteristics of products or services or the price of products or services or the manner in which it is calculated.</p> <p>Discrediting another's enterprise or activities by advertising or promotion or occurrences with respect to the quality or quantity or other characteristics of products or services or the price of products or services or the manner in which it is calculated constitutes an act of unfair competition under section 7 of the Act.</p>	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
752	Telecommunication Services	Communication Services	Telecommunications Act, Cap. 8.11	<p>The Telecommunications Act is an Act to provide for the regulation of telecommunications in Saint Lucia. One of the principal objects of the Act as stated in section 2(2) is to ensure open entry and market liberalization in telecommunications. Section 28 prohibits a person from establishing or operating a telecommunications network or providing a telecommunications service without a licence. Before granting an individual licence under the Act, section 31 of the Act requires the Minister to take into account whether foreign and domestic investors will be encouraged to invest in telecommunications.</p>					

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5126*	Hotels and resorts in excess of 100 rooms, restaurants and similar buildings	Construction Services	Physical Planning and Development Act Cap. 5.12	<p>A person cannot commence or carry out any development of land in Saint Lucia unless that person obtains the prior written permission of the Head of the Physical Planning and Development Division according to section 16 of the Act. An application for permission to develop land can be made under section 19 of the Act and must be made on the prescribed form and be accompanied by a map, notice in writing signed by the owner or agent of the owner of the land acknowledging that he has no objections to the making of the application, consent if required, a certificate of an engineer registered under the Engineers (Registration) Act and proof of payment of the prescribed fees.</p> <p>Section 23 of the Act states that where an application is made for permission to develop land, the Head of the Physical Planning and Development Division may grant permission unconditionally or subject to such conditions that appear to be fit, or may refuse permission.</p>	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
922	Secondary Education Services (Except non-profit, public and publicly funded entities)	Educational Services	Education Act , Cap. 18.01. Accreditation Bill	<p>The Education Act regulates education services from early childhood to adult education, public and private institutions as well as distance learning. The legislation requires the granting of a permit and registration of private educational institutions. The criteria established for registration relate to the appropriateness of the premises and adequacy of human and material resources for the supply of the service. The legislation also allows the Minister to place limits on class sizes and other conditions as he may determine on the issuance of a permit.</p> <p>The accreditation bill provides for the registration of institutions located within and outside of the jurisdiction which offer programmes of study within Saint Lucia. S 100. legislation requires the granting of a permit and registration of private educational institutions. The criteria established for registration relate to the appropriateness of the premises and adequacy of human and material resources for the supply of the service. The legislation also allows the Minister to place limits on class sizes and other conditions as he may determine on the issuance of a permit</p>	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
923	Higher Education Services (Except non-profit, public and publicly funded entities)	Educational Services	Education Act , Cap. 18.01. Accreditation Bill	As stated above	Unbound	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
924	Adult Education (Except non-profit, public and publicly funded entities)	Educational Services	Education Act , Cap. 18.01. Accreditation Bill	As stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
9290	Other Education Services	Educational Services	Education Act , Cap. 18.01. Accreditation Bill	As stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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9401	Sewage Services	Environmental Services	Water and Sewerage Act Cap. 9:03	<p>Act prescribes the requirements for granting of licences for the provision of services under the Act.</p> <p>[Exclusive licence for 25 years issued, market access restricted]. The Water Resources Management Agency is created under section 3. As part of its functions the Agency receives and considers applications for permits for discharge of waste in waste control areas and making recommendations to the Minister for the approval of such applications by section 4 of the Act. Under section 25 of the Act a person cannot discharge waste in a waste control area except in accordance with a permit for the purpose granted to that person by the Minister. The National Water and Sewerage Commission is established under section 36 of the Act to regulate the delivery of sewerage services in Saint Lucia. The functions and powers of the Commission as stated under section 37 of the Act includes the receipt and consideration of applications for the provision of a sewerage service. In accordance with section 60 of the Act a person cannot carry on a sewerage service unless that person is the holder of a valid service licence granted under the Act. A person wishing to carry on a service can submit an application under section 61 of the Act to the Commission for a service licence to provide a sewerage service to the public or to a part of the public. Section 62 of the Act states that where applications are submitted to the Commission under section 61</p>	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
9402**	Hazardous waste collection services	Environmental Services	Waste Management Act, No. 8 of 2004	<p>The Act requires under section 6 that the national waste management strategy identify methods by which hazardous waste is to be managed. Section 16(4) of the Act states that a specific management plan will be required for any hazardous wastes which may be generated during construction or operation of any facility. A person is prohibited from importing into Saint Lucia any hazardous waste other than waste governed by the Marine Pollution Management Act by virtue of section 30(3) of the Act.</p> <p>In the event that appropriate facilities are not available in Saint Lucia for managing hazardous waste, section 33(4) of the Act provides that persons who conduct industrial, commercial or institutional operations in the course of which waste is generated are responsible for the safe management of the waste and for the export of the waste to a facility approved by the Physical Planning and Development Division. According to section 51(2) of the Act the Minister responsible for waste management may, in consultation with the Physical Planning and Development Division, make regulations for the collection and treatment of hazardous waste.</p>	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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94040	Cleaning services of exhaust gas	Environmental Services	Environmental Management Bill	According to clause 46 of the Bill a person must obtain a pollution permit from the Sustainable Development and Environment Division. By virtue of clause 48 of the Bill, the Sustainable Development and Environment Division must in considering an application have regard to the applicable emission standard, if any, background concentration of pollutants in the environment, desirability of preserving the quality of the environment at the existing level or restoring the quality of the environment to a higher level or of ensuring that the best practicable option is adopted and of making provision for future emission of pollutants into the environment, and the combined effects of the proposed emission of a pollutant into the environment and other existing emissions into the environment.	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
94050	Noise abatement	Environmental Services	No legislation exist		Unbound*	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
94090**	Closed loop pollution control systems for factories Waste and waste water management	Environmental Services	No legislation exist		Unbound	Unbound	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments. Subject to economic needs test for CSS and IP	
		Environmental Services	Waste Management Act, No. 8 of 2004	The Waste Management Act provides for the management of waste in conformity with best environmental practices. Part IV of the Act provides for the licensing of waste management facilities. As such sections 17 and 19 states that a person cannot construct or operate any waste management facility without a waste management facility licence. An application for a waste management facility licence must be made to the Planning Authority under section 20 of the Act. The Planning Authority must grant the waste management facility licence unless it is satisfied that denying the application is necessary for the purpose of preventing pollution of the environment, harm to human health, or serious detriment to the amenities of the locality or if, in conformity with the national waste management strategy, the Planning Authority considers that the approval may result in the proliferation of waste management facilities in excess of the needs of Saint Lucia.	Unbound	None	Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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81299**	Reinsurance and Retrocession Insurance (including broking and agency services)	Financial Services (All insurance and insurance-related services)	Insurance Act, Cap. 12.08.	Insurance businesses are regulated by the Insurance Act. Section 4(3) of the Act enacts that the reinsurance of liabilities under insurance policies is treated as an insurance business for the purposes of the Act. A restriction is placed on the carrying on of insurance business under section 10 of the Act so that a person cannot carry on insurance business unless registered under the Act. Share capital is necessary for registration according to section 12 of the Act. For long term insurance business a local company must have share capital of not less than \$1,000,000 and a foreign company of not less than \$2,500,000. With respect to insurance business other than long term insurance business a local company should have not less than \$750,000 and a foreign company should have no less than \$1,500,000. The requirements for an application for registration are set out in section 13 of the Act. It includes details of reinsurance arrangements in respect of each class of insurance business which the company proposes to carry on. The Financial Services Regulatory Authority cannot register a company to carry on insurance business in Saint Lucia under section 15 of the Act unless the company has deposited the deposits required under the Act; has made arrangements for reinsurance of its business; the company is solvent; has paid the licence fee; the company is capable of carrying out the business efficiently; and the company is capable of complying with applicable provisions of the Act.	None	None	Only corporate entities are allowed to conduct insurance business in Saint Lucia. All such entities must first be registered by the Registrar of Insurance	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8140	Services Auxiliary to Insurance (including broking and agency services)	Financial Services (All insurance and insurance-related services)	Insurance Act Insurance Premium Tax Eastern Caribbean Central Bank Agreement 1983 Uniform Banking Act (2005).	As stated above	Unbound	Unbound	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
81339	All Payment and money transmission Services	Financial Services (Banking and other financial services)	Payment System Act, No. 10 of 2010. Money Services Business Act, No. 11 of 2010. Financial Services Regulatory Authority Act, No. 13 of 2011 Eastern Caribbean Central Bank Agreement 1983 Uniform Banking Act (2005).	This is an Act to advance the operation and regulation of the payment system generally and particularly to codify procedures governing the payment system. It is the responsibility of the Eastern Caribbean Central Bank to establish a payment system in Saint Lucia by virtue of section 3 of the Act. The payment system established by the ECCB must be the only payment system in Saint Lucia and the ECCB has exclusive authority for the operation, supervision and administration of the payment system and may issue guidelines and directives to govern the operation and regulation of the payment system as stated under section 3 of the Act. Only the ECCB and financial institutions which satisfy the eligibility criteria and comply with other requirements under the rules of a funds transfer system may be members of the funds transfer system in keeping with section 4(5) of the Act. The Money Services Business Act is concerned with the licensing and regulation of money services businesses. Consistent with section 2 of the Act a money services business is a business that provides as its primary business, transmission of money or monetary value in any form; cheque cashing; currency exchange; and the issuance, sale or redemption of money orders or traveller's cheques. Section 4 of the Act enacts that a person cannot carry on a money services business unless that person holds a licence under the Act. In order to obtain a licence a person may apply to the	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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8131 or 8133	Advisory and other auxiliary financial services on all the activities listed in MTN.TNC/W/50, incl. Credit reference and analysis, investment and portfolio research and advice, advice on acquisitions and on corporate restructuring and strategy.	Financial Services (Banking and other financial services)	International Banks Act No.43 Of 1999 Banking Act. Eastern Caribbean Central Bank Agreement 1983 Uniform Banking Act (2005). Financial Services Regulatory	Act prescribes requirements for licensing of Banks. [Discretion allowed in granting licence; economic needs requirement may apply; differentials apply in capital adequacy requirements between local and non-national Banks]	Unbound	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
81191 - 81192	Investment and Property unit trust services	Financial Services (Banking and other financial services)	International		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
9311	Hospital services	Health related and Social Services	Mental Hospitals Act, Cap. 11.14. Private Hospitals Act, Cap. 11.04 St. Jude's Hospital Act	The appointment of a mental hospital is provided for under section 10 of the Mental Hospitals Act. The section states that the Governor General may appoint any building, hospital, house or place to be a mental hospital. A Private Hospitals Board is established under section 3 of this Act to administer the provisions of the Private Hospitals Act. Licensing of private hospitals is provided for under section 4 of the Act which stipulates that the Minister may grant a licence for the use of any house as a private hospital. An application for a licence must be made in accordance with section 7 of the Act which requires that the application is made in writing and contain particulars specified in the Schedule to the Act. Section 8 of the Act specifies the classes of private hospitals that may require a licence as a medical or surgical hospital; a medical, surgical and maternity hospital; a maternity hospital; a home for the care and accommodation of convalescent or chronically ill persons; a hospital for the care of any specified class of patients suffering from any designated or specified disease, disorder or illness.	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
9319	Other human health services	Health related and Social Services		As stated above	None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
641** & 642	Hotels and Restaurants (incl. Catering)	Tourism and Travel Related Services	Tourism Development Industry Act Cap. 15.32 Hotels Aids Act	The Saint Lucia Tourist Board is established under section 3 of this Act. The Board has many powers highlighted under section 5 of the Act which includes duties and powers to develop all aspects of the tourist industry of Saint Lucia and to promote the efficiency of the industry; to promote and secure such shipping and airline facilities as will tend to increase tourist traffic to the island; and to secure the most favourable arrangements for the entry of tourists into Saint Lucia.	Unbound*	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
64195	letting services of furnished accomodation	Tourism and Travel Related Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
	Marina services	Tourism and Travel Related Services	Port Authority Act Yacht Licensing Act		None	None	vessels 30-100 feet, marinas with more than 100 slips. For vessels over 100 feet, marinas with less than 100 slips	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments	
9619	Entertainment Services (incl. Theatre, live bands and circus services)	Recreational, Cultural and Sporting Services (other than audiovisual services) (Except gambling)	No legislation exist		None	None	None	None	
962	News agency services	Recreational, Cultural and Sporting Services (other than audiovisual services) (Except gambling)	No legislation exist		None	None	None. Establishment of press agencies by foreign investors is subject to reciprocity	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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964	Sporting and other recreational services	Recreational, Cultural and Sporting Services (other than audiovisual services) (Except gambling)	Fisheries Regulations, Cap. 7.15. Fisheries (Snorkelling Licence) Regulations	A person cannot organize or hold a sports fishing event or tournament without the consent in writing of the Minister under regulation 25 of the Fisheries Regulations. According to that regulation sports fishing is fishing by any vessel within the fishery waters for sporting purposes or for purposes other than commercial. By virtue of regulation 26 an owner or operator of a vessel cannot use the vessel to be engaged in sports fishing unless he holds a licence granted by the Minister or he pays the prescribed fee for the licence. The regulation does not apply to a Saint Lucian owned and licensed vessel entering Saint Lucia for the purpose of participating in competitive sporting events or to a boat normally towed or carried by a vessel. Regulation 3 of these Regulations excludes the operation of a snorkelling facility unless a licence is obtained under the Regulations. For the purposes of the Regulations a snorkelling facility is defined in section 2 to be a building wharf, vessel or any base from which snorkelling is offered or conducted as a recreational activity.	Unbound	None	Unbound. Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
96499	Rental and leasing of yachts	Recreational, Cultural and Sporting Services (other than audiovisual services) (Except gambling)	Yachts Licence Act Cap. 15.35	A licensing regime for yachts coming into port or cruising in the territorial waters of Saint Lucia is created by this Act. Section 3 prescribes a fee to be paid (which depends on the size of the vessel and the period that the licence is issued) in respect of any yacht which may at any time ply for hire in Saint Lucian territorial waters.	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7211	Passenger transportation (less cabotage)	Maritime Transport Services	Shipping Act, Cap. 13.27.	The qualifications for owning a Saint Lucian ship under section 12 of the Act are: a citizen of Saint Lucia; any person who under the Immigration Act is deemed to belong to Saint Lucia; a citizen of a CARICOM State residing in a member State of the Caribbean Community, where the ship is customarily engaged in international voyages; any individual or corporation in bona fide joint venture shipping enterprise relationships with citizens of Saint Lucia, as may be prescribed; any body corporate established under and subject to the laws of Saint Lucia and having its principal place of business in Saint Lucia; or such other persons as the Minister may by order made by statutory instrument determine subject to negative resolution of the House of Assembly and the Senate. The Shipping Act, Cap. 13.27 provides for passenger ships in Part 16, sections 412 and 413. Under section 412 of the Act the Minister responsible for shipping may make regulations respecting passenger ships and the offences in connection with passenger ships are specified under section 413. Act prescribes the requirements for registration of St. Lucia ships, foreign ships and seamen. [Potential for discretion in registration of ships and seamen]	None	None	None	None	
7212	Freight Transportation (less cabotage)	Maritime Transport Services	Shipping Act		None	None	None	None	
7213	Rental of vessels with crew (less cabotage) Except rental of tug boats and fishing vessels	Maritime Transport Services	No legislation exist		Unbound	None	Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8868	Maintenance and repair of vessels	Maritime Transport Services	No legislation exist		Unbound	None	Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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74540	Vessel salvage & refloating services	Maritime Transport Services	Shipping Act, Cap. 13.27	The Shipping Act provides for salvage services and salvors. Under section 2 of the Act salvage services are services rendered in direct connection with salvage operations and a salvor is any person rendering salvage services. The duties of a salvor are set out in section 385 of the Act.	None	None	Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7222	Freight Transportation	Internal Waterways Transport Services	Shipping Act, Cap. 13.27	Local trade in Saint Lucian waters means according to section 2 of the Act the transport locally of passengers or goods or the carrying out of any other operation or activity locally, within Saint Lucian waters for profit or reward. Section 11(2) of the Act provides that subject to the provisions of any regulations made or exemptions given under the Act, or any treaty or agreement with any foreign Government, only Saint Lucian ships may be engaged in local trade in Saint Lucian waters. A person of body corporate not qualified to own a Saint Lucian ship cannot charter or otherwise engage any Saint Lucian ship for local trade in Saint Lucian waters, except under and in accordance with such conditions as the Minister may direct or prescribe according to section 11(3) of the Act. By virtue of section 111(1)(c), the Minister responsible for shipping may make regulations prescribing conditions as to the nationality of a person for service on board any Saint Lucian ship, or any ship engaged in local trade in Saint Lucian waters.	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8868*	Maintenance and repair of vessels	Internal Waterways Transport Services	No legislation exist		None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
732	Freight Transportation	Air Transport Services	Civil Aviation Act No. 1 Of 1992	Act prescribes the requirements for licensing of aircraft, aerodromes and related business. [Use of discretion possible in licencing; differential in licence fees apply to non-national companies]	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
734	Rental of aircraft with crew	Air Transport Services	Civil Aviation Act No. 1 Of 1992		None	None	Unbound. Joint venture required	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8868	Maintenance and repair of aircraft	Air Transport Services			None	None	Unbound	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7111	Passenger transportation	Rail Transport Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7112	Freight Transportation	Rail Transport Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7113	Pushing and towing services	Rail Transport Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
8868	Maintenance and repair of rail transport equipment	Rail Transport Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
743	Supporting services for rail transport services	Rail Transport Services	No legislation exist		None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
7443		Road Transportation Services	Motor Vehicles And Road Traffic Act No. 13 Of 1994	Act prescribes the requirements for issuing licences and permits for vehicles and drivers. [Use of discretion possible by Licensing Authority in grant of licences – those of relevance would include commercial vehicles for road transport by non-nationals, an area reserved for St Lucian nationals]	None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
741		Services Auxiliary to all Modes of Transport			None	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	
742	Storage and warehouse services	Services Auxiliary to all Modes of Transport			Unbound*	None	None	Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.	

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	Free Zone Operations		Free Zone Act, Cap. 15.17	<p>The establishment and operation of free zones in Saint Lucia is provided for by the Free Zone Act, Cap. 15.17. Under section 2 of the Act a private party is described as any individual, partnership, company, corporation, or other entity, domestic or foreign, which is not an agency of the Government of Saint Lucia and a public party is defined as any agency of the Government of Saint Lucia.</p> <p>Any public or private party desirous of operating in a free zone must submit an application to the Free Zone Board according to section 10 of the Act. In considering an application the Board must have regard to whether the proposed business enterprise will conduct trade and investment activities, not have a deleterious effect on the environment, and be conducting in compliance with all applicable, legal and regulatory requirements under the Act or under any other law in force in Saint Lucia.</p>	None	None	None		Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.
749	Trans-shipment services				None	None	None		Unbound except as indicated in the horizontal commitments.

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