

CEPA Agreement on Trade in Services

Basically achieve liberalization of trade in services between the Whole Mainland and Macao



Implementation of the “Guangdong Agreement” liberalization measures for Macao will be extended to the whole Mainland

Liberalization is enhanced in both breadth and depth

Services sectors that apply national treatment

62 sectors

Reduction of restrictive measures in the negative list compared to the “Guangdong Agreement”

12 measures

Further relaxation on market access conditions

28 sectors

Expansion of liberalization measures in the positive list

Newly added measures in the positive list

20 measures

14 measures under cross-border services: involving areas such as legal services, professional architectural services, medical and dental services, veterinary services, technical testing and analysis services, convention services, banking services, maritime transport services, professional and technical personnel qualification examinations, as well as individually owned stores

1 measure under telecommunications services

5 measures under cultural services: with regards to retailing services, audiovisual services and entertainment services

The Mainland liberalizes services sectors to Macao



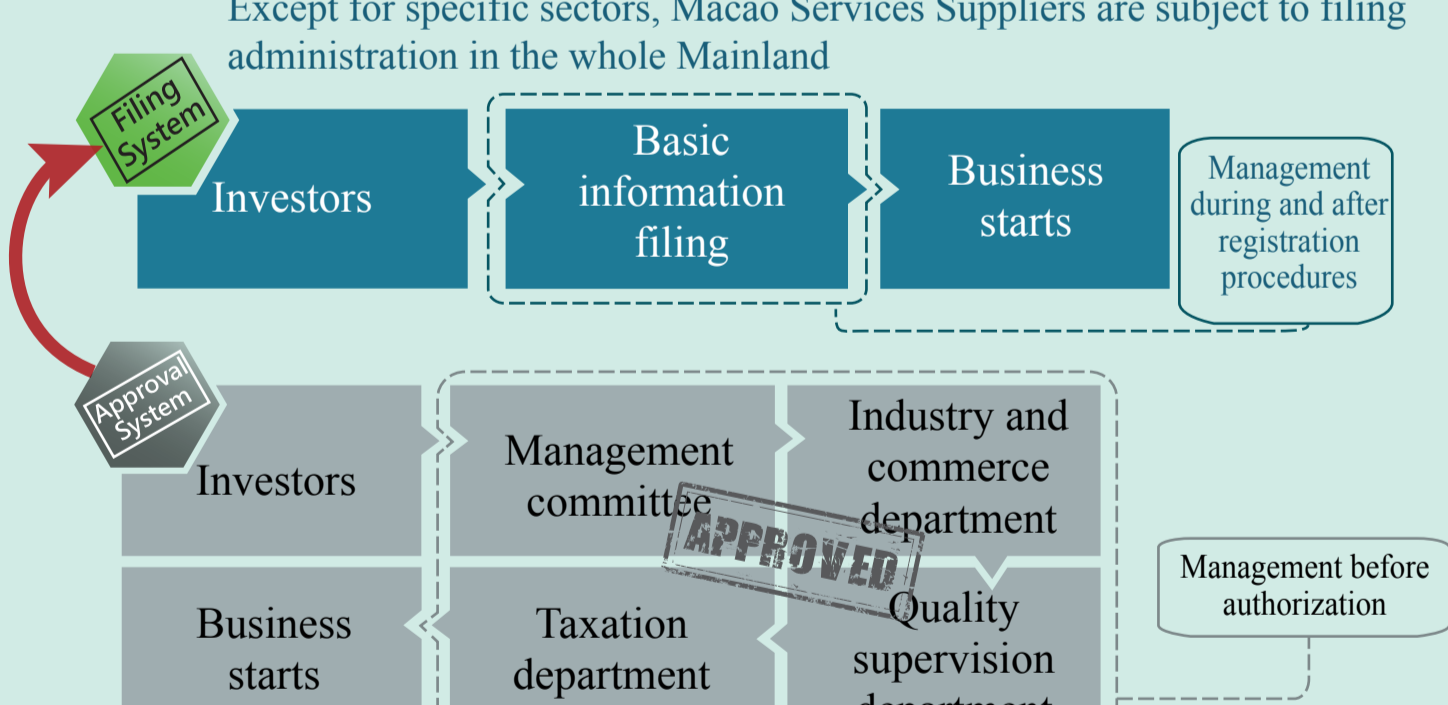
Most-favoured treatment is assured

The whole Mainland provides Macao with the most-favoured treatment. If a free trade agreement signed between the Mainland and other countries/regions is more favourable than the measures under CEPA, it will be extended to Macao as well.



Implementation of filing administration in the whole Mainland

Except for specific sectors, Macao Services Suppliers are subject to filing administration in the whole Mainland



Further expansion of the scope of business operated by individually owned stores

Number of liberalized sectors that Macao individually owned stores can operate

135

5 newly added sectors include wholesale of food and beverage; general guesthouses; other accommodation services; intermediary services; and operation of activities with individually owned real estates

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