

- the social service sectors of public law enforcement, income security or insurance, social security or insurance, social welfare, public education and training and health and child care;
- disadvantaged minorities; and
- Aboriginal peoples.
- Government procurement and the provision of subsidies or grants are not covered (Article 1201).

Once again, these exceptions and reservations remove a wide range of measures, including at the municipal level, from the coverage of key Chapter 12 obligations.

Chapter 12: Provisions that Might Apply

In any circumstances where these exceptions and reservations do not apply, the MFN and national treatment obligations, as well as the prohibition on local presence requirements, could be applicable.

These are some key points for consideration. Please consult the online Guide for more detail and guidance.

