



## LEGAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

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The legal and regulatory framework

restricts the  
competitiveness of  
enterprises



encourages the  
competitiveness of  
enterprises

Ranking			
1	SINGAPORE		7.70
2	HONG KONG		7.56
3	AUSTRALIA		7.18
4	CANADA		6.80
5	MALAYSIA		6.79
6	FINLAND		6.68
7	CHILE		6.67
8	NEW ZEALAND		6.66
9	SWEDEN		6.64
10	QATAR		6.52
11	DENMARK		6.47
12	SWITZERLAND		6.47
13	LUXEMBOURG		6.23
14	USA		6.02
15	NORWAY		6.00
15	UAE		6.00
17	NETHERLANDS		5.98
18	ESTONIA		5.85
19	IRELAND		5.76
20	ISRAEL		5.67
21	GERMANY		5.65
22	INDIA		5.48
23	AUSTRIA		5.40
24	TAIWAN		5.35
25	PERU		5.29
26	JORDAN		5.21
27	TURKEY		5.14
28	KAZAKHSTAN		5.10
29	SOUTH AFRICA		5.06
30	UNITED KINGDOM		5.04
31	CHINA MAINLAND		4.81
32	COLOMBIA		4.34
33	THAILAND		4.32
34	JAPAN		4.30
35	ROMANIA		4.25
36	INDONESIA		4.24
37	SPAIN		4.10
38	POLAND		4.07
39	LITHUANIA		4.03
40	HUNGARY		3.91
41	ICELAND		3.91
42	BELGIUM		3.86
43	FRANCE		3.81
44	PHILIPPINES		3.79
45	CZECH REPUBLIC		3.79
46	BULGARIA		3.71
47	BRAZIL		3.61
48	PORTUGAL		3.48
49	MEXICO		3.37
50	SLOVAK REPUBLIC		3.32
51	KOREA		3.10
52	SLOVENIA		3.07
53	GREECE		2.91
54	ITALY		2.87
55	CROATIA		2.72
56	RUSSIA		2.39
57	UKRAINE		2.16
58	ARGENTINA		1.97
59	VENEZUELA		0.81