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## Order on the accessibility of workplaces for disabled people

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### Message

Message 002

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No abre el plazo - Nezaahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidējimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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#### 1. Structured Information Line

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#### 4. Notification Number

2013/0030/F - B00

#### 5. Title

Order on the accessibility of workplaces for disabled people

#### 6. Products Concerned

Products or services for the accessibility or evacuation of workplaces for disabled persons

#### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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#### 8. Main Content

The text defines the implementation procedures for Decree No 2009-1272 of 21 October 2009 on the accessibility of workplaces for disabled workers and Decree No 2011-1461 of 7 November 2011 on the evacuation of disabled people from their workplace in the event of fire. It applies to new constructions and new parts of existing buildings.

As a result, it contains, inter alia, provisions concerning horizontal and vertical traffic (whether exterior or interior) as well as lighting, equipment, control devices, means of communication, and principles on information or regulatory expectations regarding places such as car parks, catering and rest areas and meeting rooms.

The text also specifies the characteristics of secure waiting areas and equivalent areas which make alternative evacuation possible for disabled people, who would be unable to evacuate by themselves, by protecting these persons prior to their evacuation by means of external assistance.

#### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The text establishes the implementation procedures for these two Decrees.

#### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References to reference texts: Law No 2005-102 of 11 February 2005 on equal rights and opportunities, participation and citizenship of disabled people

Decree No 2009-1272 of 21 October 2009 on the accessibility of workplaces for disabled workers

Decree No 2011-1461 of 7 November 2011 on the evacuation of disabled persons from their workplace in the event of fire

#### 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

#### 12. Grounds for the Emergency

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#### 13. Confidentiality

No



**14. Fiscal measures**

No

**15. Impact assessment**

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**16. TBT and SPS aspects**

TBT aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

SPS aspect

No - the draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure.

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