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ORDER setting out the provisions made for the implementation of Articles R. 111-19-7 to R. 111-19-11 of the French Construction and Housing Code and Article 14 of Decree No 2006-555 on the accessibility for disabled people of establishments open to the public within existing built environments and existing facilities open to the public

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje 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 - Atidėjimai 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 - He ce предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

ORDER setting out the provisions made for the implementation of Articles R. 111-19-7 to R. 111-19-11 of the French Construction and Housing Code and Article 14 of Decree No 2006-555 on the accessibility for disabled people of establishments open to the public within existing built environments and existing facilities open to the public

6. Products Concerned

Accessibility of establishments open to the public

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The draft Order presented here is issued pursuant to Article 5 of the draft Decree amending Articles R. 111-19 to R. 111-19-10 of the French Construction and Housing Code relating to the accessibility of establishments open to the public and facilities open to the public.

It defines the technical accessibility rules applicable to establishments open to the public situated within an existing built environment and existing facilities open to the public

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

On 26 February 2014, the French Prime Minister concluded the consultation on the new implementation procedures for the accessibility component of the Law of 11 February 2005 on the equality of rights and opportunities, participation and citizenship of disabled persons. He announced the decisions taken by the government to maintain and strengthen the objective of making society accessible. The Law of 11 February 2005 effectively envisages making establishments open to the public accessible to disabled people by 1 January 2015. In the face of increasing delays and the shared observation that the deadline of 1 January 2015 was becoming an unrealistic objective for a number of public and private players, the Prime Minister announced that a consultation would be held with all stakeholders at the meeting of the Inter-ministerial Committee on Disability of 25 September 2013.

Based on the conclusions of the consultation, the Prime Minister notably confirmed that a number of standards relating to accessibility were being developed, intended to take better account of quality of use while at the same time simplifying and updating numerous standards and regulatory provisions, as well as adding to them to take better account of all forms of disability. Among the proposals resulting from the consultation, the



government notably agreed on the need to create independent regulations relating to existing Establishments Open to the Public (ERPs), in order to take better account of their specific constraints.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References to basic texts: - French Construction and Housing Code: Articles L. 111-7 to L. 111-8-4 and Articles R. 111-19 to R. 111-19-12

- Order of 1 August 2006 - No NOR SOCU0611478A

- Order of 21 March 2007 - No NOR SOCU0612412A

- Draft Order on making public transport, residential buildings, communications and establishments open to the public accessible to disabled people (in progress, available for consultation on the websites of the French parliamentary assemblies)

- Draft Decree (sent together with this draft Order) amending Articles R. 111-19 to R. 111-19-10 of the French Construction and Housing Code relating to the accessibility of establishments open to the public and facilities open to the public

The reference texts were forwarded with an earlier notification: 2005/643/F: 2006/304/F

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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