Question for written answer E-008022/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 Hugues Bayet (S&D)

Subject: European accessibility act

For several years, organisations representing the rights of people with disabilities have been calling for a horizontal accessibility act to ensure that people with disabilities have access to goods and services within the Union.

This seems all the more justified, given the undertakings made under the 2010-2020 strategy and accession to the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

What is the Commission's position on this matter?

Is a draft directive being drawn up?

Is it being, or will it be, drawn up in collaboration with organisations representing people with disabilities?

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