

**Question for written answer E-006088/2017**  
**to the Commission**  
Rule 130  
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Subject: Accessibility Act

On 14 September 2017, Parliament adopted a report on the proposal for a directive on the accessibility of goods and services, also known as the Accessibility Act. In this context, several amendments were adopted in plenary that have significantly extended the scope of the original draft directive to include, for instance, the accessibility of built-up areas for the provision of goods and services, as well as the transport sector. However, as negotiations on the accessibility act have entered trilogue, I would like to ask the Commission the following questions:

1. What is the Commission's position on the Accessibility Act, as adopted by the European Parliament?
2. Does the Commission support the extension of the scope of the Accessibility Act to the new areas specified by the European Parliament?
3. What steps does the Commission plan to take to ensure that agreement is reached in trilogue as soon as possible so that the directive can start to make life easier as soon as possible for persons with disabilities, the elderly, and persons with functional limitations?