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Part XIX

Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board

Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

ARCHITECTURAL AND TRANSPORTATION BARRIERS COMPLIANCE BOARD (ATBCB)

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36 CFR Ch. XI

Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions

AGENCY: Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board.

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: The Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board submits the following agenda of proposed regulatory activities which may be conducted by the agency during the next 12 months. This regulatory agenda may be revised by the agency during the coming months as a result of action taken by the Board.

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Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board—Proposed Rule Stage

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
2980	Architectural Barriers Act (ABA) Accessibility Guidelines for Outdoor Developed Areas	3014–AA22

Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
2981	Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) Accessibility Guidelines for Transportation Vehicles: Passenger Vessels	3014–AA11
2982	Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and Facilities: Public Rights-of-Way	3014–AA26
2983	Telecommunications Act Accessibility Guidelines; Electronic and Information Technology Accessibility Standards	3014–AA37

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2980. ARCHITECTURAL BARRIERS ACT (ABA) ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES FOR OUTDOOR DEVELOPED AREAS

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 29 USC 792(b)(3)

CFR Citation: 36 CFR 1190

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This regulation will establish accessibility guidelines for outdoor developed areas designed, constructed, or altered by Federal agencies subject to the Architectural Barriers Act.

Timetable.			
Action	Date	FR Cite	
Notice of Intent to Conduct Regulatory Negotiation	04/18/97	62 FR 19084	
Establishment of Regulatory Negotiation Committee	06/04/97	62 FR 30546	
NPRM	12/00/06		

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Proposed Rule Stage

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Government Levels Affected: Federal

RIN: 3014–AA22

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2981. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES FOR TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES: PASSENGER VESSELS

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 42 USC 12204, Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990

CFR Citation: 36 CFR 1192

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This regulation will amend the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) Accessibility Guidelines for Transportation Vehicles to include additional requirements for ferries, excursion boats, and other passenger vessels.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Notice of Intent to Establish Advisory Committee	03/30/98	63 FR 15175
Establishment of Advisory Committee	08/12/98	63 FR 43136
Availability of Draft Guidelines	11/26/04	69 FR 69244
ANPRM	11/26/04	69 FR 69246
Comment Period Extended	03/22/05	70 FR 14435
ANPRM Comment Period End	07/28/05	
Availability of Draft Guidelines	07/07/06	71 FR 38563
Next Action Undetermi	ined	

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Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3014–AA11

2982. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES FOR BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES: PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY

Priority: Other Significant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Legal Authority: 42 USC 12204, Americans With Disabilities Act; 29 USC 792, Rehabilitation Act

CFR Citation: 36 CFR 1190; 36 CFR 1191

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This regulation will amend the accessibility guidelines for the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) and the Architectural Barriers Act to include requirements for public rightsof-way.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite	
Notice of Intent to Form Advisory Committee	08/12/99	64 FR 43980	
Notice of Appointment of Advisory Committee Members	10/20/99	64 FR 56482	
Availability of Draft Guidelines	06/17/02	67 FR 41206	
Availability of Draft Guidelines	11/23/05	70 FR 70734	
Next Action Undetermined			

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal, Local, State, Tribal

Federalism: Undetermined

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2983. • TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES; ELECTRONIC AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ACCESSIBILITY STANDARDS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 47 USC 255(e); 29 USC 794d

CFR Citation: 36 CFR 1193; 36 CFR 1194

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This regulation will revise and update the accessibility guidelines for telecommunications products subject to section 255 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and accessibility standards for electronic and information technology subject to section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Establishment of Advisory Committee		71 FR 38324
Next Action Undetermined		

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

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Long-Term Actions