
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 1062

The Audiovisual Media Services Regulations 2020

PART 2

Television services

CHAPTER 2

Amendments to the Communications Act 2003

8. In section 303 (code relating to provision for the deaf and visually impaired)—
- (a) in the heading, for “the deaf and visually impaired” substitute “people with disabilities”;
 - (b) in subsection (1)(a), after “enjoyment by” insert “people with disabilities, in particular”;
 - (c) after subsection (1) insert—
 - “(1A) The code must include provision—
 - (a) encouraging providers of services to which this section applies to develop accessibility action plans with a view to continuously and progressively making such services more accessible to people with disabilities;
 - (b) requiring such action plans to be notified to OFCOM;
 - (c) requiring providers of services to report annually to OFCOM about the accessibility of such services to people with disabilities.”.