

## Web Directive: the clock is ticking

The Web Accessibility Directive is being rolled out as we speak:

- All websites of public sector bodies need to be accessible by September 2020.
- All mobile apps of public sector bodies need to be accessible by September 2021.

Last but not least, all website and apps created after 23 September 2018 need to be accessible by 23 September 2019.

The European Commission recently published the implementing acts of the Web Accessibility Directive. These are technical texts that the European Commission adopts in order to ensure the implementation of EU law.

The European standard to comply with the Web Accessibility Directive [was also published](#). This standard will be used as a tool to show compliance with the Web Accessibility Directive.

To make sure that the Directive is well implemented in EU countries, we need you organisations and disability advocates to campaign for it. That is why we prepared two toolkits with actions for advocates in the coming months:

- [EDF toolkit on the Web Accessibility Directive](#)
- [EDF recommendations on the Web Accessibility Directive Implementing Acts](#)

## European Union pushes for more accessibility on Audiovisual Media

Members of the European Parliament adopted the new Audiovisual Media Services Directive (AVMSD), which includes important text on accessibility for persons with disabilities.

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