

EU Accessibility Act

My name is Ciara Anderson. I'm a Senior Associate on the Technology and Innovation Group at Arthur Cox. The EU Accessibility Act ultimately is about making certain products and services more accessible to people with disabilities. We're a bit familiar with this area already because some of these obligations have been applicable to public sector bodies in relation to their websites but these obligations have been greatly expanded so they'll cover ecommerce platforms, they'll cover ticketing machines, ATMs, and the obligations really are to provide information about how these products and services are accessible and to make their interfaces accessible. So, for example, having multiple sensory channels to get information, products will need to be designed in a way that is accessible and compliant with the act by June 2025.

If you want more information, please go to arthurcox.com/euaccessibilityact.