

# **Regulations on Examination and Issuance of Web Accessibility Conformance for Websites Established by all Levels of Government Agencies, Institutes and Schools**

- Article 1      The regulations are promulgated pursuant to Paragraph 2, Article 52-2 of the People with Disabilities Rights Protection Act
- Article 2      The information service website planned and established by all levels of government agencies (institutes) and their subsidiary agencies (institutions), and schools (hereinafter shortened as “agencies (institutes)”) should follow Accessible Web Development Guidelines (AWDG) stipulated and promulgated by the National Communications Commission (hereinafter shortened as “the Commission”).
- Article 3      The dimension of the web accessibility conformance addressed in the regulations is 88 (width) x 31 (height) pixels.
- Article 4      In terms of using the web accessibility conformance, agencies (institutes) shall not change its dimension, distort its shape nor add texts on it. The web accessibility conformance shall be defined, put up and linked in accordance with the Regulations of Using the Web Accessibility Conformance (as shown in attachment 1).
- Article 5      Agencies (institutes) shall put up the web accessibility conformance on their information service websites in accordance with the Operating Procedures for Registering Web Accessibility Conformance (as shown in attachment 2).
- The validity of the web accessibility conformance is 3 years. All agencies (institutes) shall follow preceding paragraph to apply for renewal within 2 months from the date which is 3 months before the expiration.
- For agencies (institutes) acquired the web accessibility conformance before the launch of this regulation, their web accessibility conformance shall be valid for three years, starting from the date of promulgation.
- While conducting Registering Web Accessibility Conformance work as described in Paragraph 1, agencies (institutes) shall appoint individuals with disabilities to participate in the Web Accessibility testing operations.
- Article 6      Where the sampling results indicate that the agency (institute) does not accord with Regulations that stipulate the publishing of web accessibility conformance on its information service website, the Commission or the agency appointed by the Commission will notify the agency (institution) that established the website and its competent authority to undertake the necessary corrections. If no correction is made by a prescribed deadline, the said agency (institution) will be notified to remove web accessibility conformance and make an announcement on the web accessibility service network.
- Article 7      If needed, another government agency is commissioned to handle applications of registering and handling the web accessibility conformation as well as affairs mentioned in preceding paragraphs based on the regulations.
- Article 8      Each municipality and county (city) government shall stipulate relevant rules according to this regulation.
- Article 9      The regulations shall be implemented from the date of promulgation.