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Accelerating Accessibility in New Zealand

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29 September 2021, Cabinet paper: Accelerating Accessibility in New Zealand

29 September 2021, Regulatory Impact Statement: Accelerating Accessibility

29 September 2021, Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee Minute SWC-21-MIN-0145

4 October 2021, Cabinet minute CAB-21-MIN-0395, Cabinet Office.

This Cabinet paper seeks agreement to introduce a new framework that takes a progressive approach to identifying, preventing, and removing barriers to participation for disabled people, tāngata whaikaha Māori and others with accessibility needs.

The Regulatory Impact Statement accompanies the Cabinet paper which provided an analysis as to what options were considered to address the issue of accessibility.

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