
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2014 No. 45

DISABLED PERSONS

TRANSPORT

**The Rail Vehicle Accessibility
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014**

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**THE RAIL VEHICLE ACCESSIBILITY
REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2014**

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SCHEDULE ACCESSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

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PART 1 — GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Boarding devices
2. Catering
3. Doors
4. Door controls (power operated)
5. Door handles
6. Doorways (exterior) and through routes (wheelchair-compatible)
7. Doorways (interior) (wheelchair-compatible)
8. Floors
9. Handholds
10. Handrails

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- 11. Passenger information
 - 12. Request-stop controls
 - 13. Seats
 - 14. Steps
 - 15. Toilets
 - 16. Toilets (wheelchair-compatible)
 - 17. Transparent surfaces (interior)
 - 18. Wheelchair spaces (numbers required)
 - 19. Wheelchair spaces (obstructions)
 - 20. Wheelchair spaces (specifications)
 - 21. Wheelchair spaces (tables and trays)
- PART 2 — ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Doors
- 2. Flashing lights
- 3. Floors
- 4. Passenger information
- 5. Seats
- 6. Steps
- 7. Wheelchair spaces (specifications)

SCHEDULE
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DIAGRAMS

(Note - diagrams are not to scale and measurements are given in millimetres)

- Diagram A (reference wheelchair)
- Diagram B (wheelchair sign)
- Diagram C1 (priority seat)
- Diagram C2 (facing seats without table)
- Diagram C3 (non facing seats)
- Diagram C4 (facing seats with table)
- Diagram D1 (hinged handrail – plan view)
- Diagram D2 (hinged handrail - elevation)
- Diagram E (alternative wheelchair space sign)

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REFURBISHMENT WORK SUBJECT TO PART 1 OF
SCHEDULE 1

SCHEDULE
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