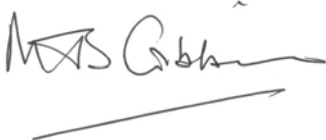
 Regulatory Policy Committee	OPINION	
Impact Assessment (IA)	Copyright exceptions for disabled people	
Lead Department/Agency	Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	
Stage	Final	
Origin	Domestic	
Date submitted to RPC	18/06/2012	
RPC Opinion date and reference	12/07/2012	RPC12-BIS-1144(2)
Overall Assessment	GREEN	
<p>The IA is fit for purpose. The rationale for the proposal and the associated costs and benefits have been clearly set out and assessed.</p>		
<p>Identification of costs and benefits, and the impacts on small firms, public and third sector organisations, individuals and community groups and reflection of these in the choice of options</p> <p><i>Costs and benefits.</i> The IA explains clearly the rationale for this measure, which is aimed at removing, for those with disabilities, barriers to accessing versions of copyright works suitable for their needs. The associated costs and benefits have also been identified and adequately assessed.</p>		
<p>Have the necessary burden reductions required by One-in, One-out been identified and are they robust?</p> <p>The IA says that the proposal is a deregulatory measure that has a direct net benefit to business (an 'OUT') with an Equivalent Annual Net Cost to Business (EANCB) of (-)£0.07m. This is consistent with the current One-in, One-out Methodology (paragraph 18) and provides a reasonable assessment of the likely impacts.</p>		
<p>Signed</p> 	<p>Michael Gibbons, Chairman</p>	