**ORDINARY LEGISLATIVE procedure – First reading**

**Follow-up to the European Parliament legislative resolution of 6 July 2017 on   
the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on certain permitted uses of works and other subject-matter protected by copyright and related rights for the benefit of persons who are blind, visually impaired or otherwise print disabled and amending Directive 2001/29/EC on the harmonisation of certain aspects  
of copyright and related rights in the information society**

**2016/0278 (COD)**

**1. Rapporteur:** Max ANDERSSON (Greens/SE)

**2. EP reference number:** [A8-0097/2017](http://www.europarl.europa.eu/sides/getDoc.do?type=REPORT&reference=A8-2017-0097&language=EN) / [P8\_TA-PROV(2017)0312](http://www.europarl.europa.eu/sides/getDoc.do?type=TA&reference=P8-TA-2017-0312&language=EN&ring=A8-2017-0097#BKMD-8)

**3. Date of adoption of the resolution:** 6 July 2017

**4. Subject:** The proposed Directive will bring Union law into line with the EUʼs international commitments under the Marrakesh Treaty to Facilitate Access to Published Works for Persons who Are Blind, Visually Impaired, or Otherwise Print Disabled ("the Marrakesh Treaty") as regards internal market aspects.

**5. Interinstitutional reference number:** 2016/0278 (COD)

**6. Legal basis:** Article 114 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union

**7. Competent Parliamentary Committee:** Committee on Legal Affairs (JURI)

**8. Commission's position:** The Commission can accept all amendments.

**9. Outlook for amendment of the proposal:** There is no need for a formal modified proposal, as the first-reading position of the Parliament reflects the agreement reached in trilogue on 10 May 2017 between the European Parliament and Council, endorsed by the Commission.

**10. Outlook for the adoption of Council's position:** In line with the agreement reached in trilogue negotiations, the Council approved the European Parliament's position at the Agriculture and Fisheries' meeting on 17-18 July 2017, as an "I" item.