

# ProQuest Government Documents Accessibility Conformance Report

## International Edition

(Based on VPAT<sup>®</sup> Version 2.5)

### Name of Product/Version:

ProQuest Government Documents: ProQuest Congressional, UK Parliamentary Papers, Indian Claims, Legislative Insight, Regulatory Insight, Statistical Abstract, Statistical Insight, Supreme Court Insight, Trends & Policy

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### Product Description:

ProQuest Government Documents offers the largest archive of U.S. and U.K. government materials from 1660 to today. Some of these databases feature timelines, topic pages, and compiled histories to help users explore how government actions shape society. It brings together five specialized collections: **U.K. Government Collection:** Parliamentary papers, debates, and petitions from 1660 onward. **U.S. Government Insight Collection:** Legislative, regulatory, Supreme Court, and Indian Claims Insight—tracing how laws are made, enforced, and interpreted. **U.S. Congressional Collection:** Hearings, bills, the Congressional Record, committee prints, CRS reports, and more from 1789 to the present. **U.S. Executive Branch Policy Documents Collection:** Agency reports, regulatory records, and policy statements showing how federal policies are implemented over time. **Statistical Collection:** Over 1.1 million tables and 270,000 reports from U.S. and international sources, supporting data-driven research.

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ProQuest is committed to providing an experience that is fully accessible to everyone. We make every effort to ensure that all pages comply with web accessibility guidelines. Due to the scale and complex nature of ProQuest Government Documents content and services, this is an ongoing effort. We appreciate your feedback.

## Evaluation Methods Used:

- Deque’s Color Contrast Analyzer
- Deque’s axe DevTools accessibility testing tool
- High Contrast Chrome extension
- Chrome Developer Tools
- Keyboard-access manual testing and assessment
- NVDA (NonVisual Desktop Access), JAWS and Voiceover screen readers

## Applicable Standards/Guidelines

This report covers the degree of conformance for the following accessibility standard/guidelines:

Standard/Guideline	Included In Report
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0</a>	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (No)
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1</a>	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (No)
<a href="#">Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.2</a>	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (No)
<a href="#">Revised Section 508 standards published January 18, 2017 and corrected January 22, 2018</a>	(Yes)
<a href="#">EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements for ICT products and services - V3.1.1 (2019-11)</a> AND <a href="#">EN 301 549 Accessibility requirements for ICT products and services - V3.2.1 (2021-03)</a>	(Yes)

## Terms

The terms used in the Conformance Level information are defined as follows:

- **Supports:** The functionality of the product has at least one method that meets the criterion without known defects or meets with equivalent facilitation.
- **Partially Supports:** Some functionality of the product does not meet the criterion.
- **Does Not Support:** The majority of product functionality does not meet the criterion.
- **Not Applicable:** The criterion is not relevant to the product.

## WCAG 2.x Report

Tables 1 and 2 also document conformance with:

- EN 301 549: Chapter 9 - Web, Sections 10.1-10.4 of Chapter 10 - Non-Web documents, and Sections 11.1-11.4 and 11.8.2 of Chapter 11 - Non-Web Software (open and closed functionality), and Sections 12.1.2 and 12.2.4 of Chapter 12 – Documentation
- Revised Section 508: Chapter 5 – 501.1 Scope, 504.2 Content Creation or Editing, and Chapter 6 – 602.3 Electronic Support Documentation.

Note: When reporting on conformance with the WCAG 2.x Success Criteria, they are scoped for full pages, complete processes, and accessibility-supported ways of using technology as documented in the [WCAG 2.0 Conformance Requirements](#).

**Table 1: Success Criteria, Level A**

Criteria	Conformance Level *Conformance Level applies across all government documents products unless specifically noted	Remarks and Explanations
<p><a href="#">1.1.1 Non-text Content</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.1.1.2 (Closed Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Partially Supports</p>	<p>ProQuest Government Documents is designed to support alternative access to non-text content wherever possible.</p> <p>Supreme Court Insight: exceptions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On the homepage, the main decorative image should be hidden from screen readers.</li> <li>• On the results page, decorative icons (email, print, modify search) should be hidden from screen readers.</li> <li>• On the results page, alt text is missing for the (+ / -) expand/collapse buttons for filter subsections.</li> <li>• On the results page, the check icon in the checkboxes next to each result is read out as “A” and should instead be hidden from screen readers.</li> </ul> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Images and icons across the application do not consistently provide text alternatives or accessible names. This includes header icons, informational icons, document imagery, and functional controls such as zoom sliders.</li> <li>• Note that text-content documents—screen-reader accessible—are provided from the Results page as scanned and OCR’d page images . . . accessible from these links: ‘Full text – PDF &gt; Replica of Original – Complete’. However, clicking the item title on the Results page displays the page as an image, inaccessible to a screen reader. No alt text displays for page images in either context.</li> </ul> <p>Congressional</p>

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		<p>We cannot guarantee that all images in the data have been given alt text. • Some full text documents may be in PDF image format only (unreadable to screen readers)</p> <p>Indian Claims Primary source government documents are provided as scanned images in PDF format. Optical character recognition (OCR) makes most of this scanned historical content accessible to screen readers. However, some of the content, particularly scans of handwritten notes, maps, and other content that is not type set, cannot be accurately scanned by OCR technology. This content may be harder to read with a screen reader. Exceptions: •On the homepage, buttons that scroll through decorative images are not given accessible labels. Since they only control display of decorative images, they should be hidden from screen readers.</p>
<p><a href="#">1.2.1 Audio-only and Video-only (Prerecorded)</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.2.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.2.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.2.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.2.1.2.1 and 11.1.2.1.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	There is no audio-only or video-only content in ProQuest Government Document products.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><a href="#">1.2.2 Captions (Prerecorded)</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.2.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.2.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Not Applicable</p> <p>Congressional: Partially Supports</p>	<p>There is no audio-only or video-only content in ProQuest Government Document products.</p> <p>Video content comprises a small portion of Congressional content. The videos are from publicly posted sites and are not directly hosted by ProQuest. Closed captions are available for some of these videos.</p>
<p><a href="#">1.2.3 Audio Description or Media Alternative (Prerecorded)</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.2.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.2.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.2.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.2.3.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Not Applicable</p> <p>Congressional: Does not support</p>	<p>For most Government documents collections no video content is provided.</p> <p>Audio descriptions or transcripts are not available. Video content found in ProQuest Congressional is publicly available and is not hosted by Clarivate. For ease of access, it is occasionally embedded within document pages.</p>
<p><a href="#">1.3.1 Info and Relationships</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p>	<p>Partially Supports</p>	<p>Supreme Court Insights</p>

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<p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.3.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.3.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.3.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		<p>The filters on the results page are present in the DOM on all pages, which could interfere with users that have turned styles off. • On the results page, in the “more options” menu that appears within filter sections, the Include and Exclude checkboxes are given titles, but are not labelled with their corresponding filter option. • On the results page, the checkboxes by each result are not described by the corresponding result title. • On the results page, the “Filter by” menu is structured as a dictionary but is not a dictionary. • On the results page, the expand/collapse buttons in each filter section are not described by the corresponding section header. • On document pages, the content type drop down menu within the filter area is missing a label.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Structural relationships are not reliably conveyed to screen readers because of missing labels, incorrect heading hierarchy and some broken structural cues, particularly in search forms, results filters, and tabbed interfaces. Work is ongoing to address these issues.</p> <p>Congressional uses tables for layout on the Serial Set Map View only. However, data tables may be present in the product full text content. We cannot guarantee that these will have been coded with row and column headers</p> <p>Indian Claims The site employs the following to support this:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• labels/ids with form elements</li> <li>• markup for lists &amp; headings</li> <li>• CSS to control the visual presentation of text</li> <li>• Correct use of semantic markup</li> </ul> <p>Work to identify and correct any exceptions is ongoing as part of our regular release schedule.</p>

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<p><a href="#">1.3.2 Meaningful Sequence</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.3.2 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.3.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.3.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.3.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Supreme Court Insights Partially Supports</p> <p>Congressional: Supports</p>	<p>Supreme Court Insight headings are out of order on the document view page • The information link on the document view page can not be selected to be read in sequence – only by tabbing between links which reads it apart from its context • Header navigation elements are repeated in the DOM, making it harder to navigate with styles turned off</p>
<p><a href="#">1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.3.3 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.3.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.3.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>Instructions provided do not rely solely on sensory characteristics of components such as shape, size, visual location, orientation, or sound. Typically, descriptive text and labels are used.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">1.4.1 Use of Color</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>Color is not used as the only means of conveying information, indicating an action, prompting a response, or distinguishing a visual element.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks
<p><b>1.4.2 Audio Control</b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.2 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	There is no audio-only content.
<p><b>2.1.1 Keyboard</b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> </ul>	Supports	This product is designed for keyboard access. Product functionality is available and executable from a keyboard.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11.2.1.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	UK Parliamentary Papers, Regulatory Insight: Partially Supports	Exceptions:  UK Parliamentary Papers Not all functionality is operable using the keyboard. Certain interactive elements cannot be reached or controlled without a mouse. Locations include Doc View image zoom controls, Document Features image lists, Related News controls.  Regulatory Insight A few features are not yet fully keyboard accessible. Exceptions: • Date picker (although dates can be entered manually). • Parts of the CFR and FR Browse are more difficult to access with a keyboard. • Search by Number includes JavaScript jump menus.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual keyboard checks.
<b><a href="#">2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap</a></b> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.1.2 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.1.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.1.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Focus can be moved to and away from components using only a keyboard.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual keyboard checks.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><b>2.1.4 Character Key Shortcuts</b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.1.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.1.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.1.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.1.4.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	<p>There are no shortcuts triggered using only letter (including upper-and lower-case letters), punctuation, number, or symbol characters.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual keyboard checks.</p>
<p><b>2.2.1 Timing Adjustable</b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.2.1 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.2.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.2.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>This site does not require timed responses.</p> <p>There is a time limit to the user’s session, however the user is alerted when the time limit is approaching and can extend their session if required.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>

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<p><a href="#">2.2.2 Pause, Stop, Hide</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.2.2 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.2.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable.	<p>There is no moving, blinking, scrolling, or auto-updating content on the site.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">2.3.1 Three Flashes or Below Threshold</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.3.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.3.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.3.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Not Applicable	<p>This product does not use flashing or blinking elements in the user interface.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">2.4.1 Bypass Blocks</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p>	Supports UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports	The first element on every page is a “Skip to main content” link which allows users to skip all repetitive navigation. Additional skip links are included on some

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.1 (Non-web document) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.2.4.1 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.2.4.1 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>		<p>pages to aid keyboard navigation e.g. jump links on Timelines. Blocks of content are usually preceded by heading elements. Side panels can be collapsed to avoid navigating through the content e.g. Date filter on Results page.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Exception: Mechanisms to bypass repetitive content may be unreliable in places. After dynamic actions, users are not moved efficiently to updated content, e.g. on the Results page after filtering or changing the view to Petition results (and vice versa).</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using screen readers (listed above) and manual keyboard checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">2.4.2 Page Titled</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.2 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.2 (Open Functionality Software) - Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.2.4.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>All pages of the ProQuest site have descriptive page titles.</p> <p>Supreme Court Insights Document view pages do not have unique page titles. • Results page titles should include search terms.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using axe DevTools and manual visual checks.</p>

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<p><a href="#">2.4.3 Focus Order</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.3 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Supports UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports</p>	<p>Page elements and functionality are placed in an order that follows the sequences and relationships in the content. Focus on homepage is immediately given to search bar. Screen reader users may find this disorienting.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Exception: In a small number of places, keyboard focus does not follow a logical or predictable order, particularly after page load or dynamic updates, e.g. Results page loads with focus in search box instead of page heading, switching between Results and Public Petitions results, adding/removing rows on Advanced Search page.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual keyboard checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context)</a> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.4 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> </ul>	<p>Supports Supreme Court Insights, UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially supports</p>	<p>In general the purpose of each link on a page is identified by its name, or programmatically determined link context.</p> <p>Supreme Court Insights On document pages, link to the print version of the document is not coded to indicate that it will open in new window. • On results page, “Search within” button not coded as a button (or role=”button”) and does not have value text. • On results page, Permalink URL is not labelled as a permalink.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		Occasionally, icon-only links and controls do not provide sufficient context to convey their purpose to screen-reader users, e.g. info icons on search and results pages.
<p><b>2.5.1 Pointer Gestures</b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.5.1 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.5.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.5.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Not Applicable	No path-based or multi-point gestures are used.
<p><b>2.5.2 Pointer Cancellation</b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.2.5.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.2.5.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.2.5.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.2.5.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	Interactions are executed on the Up action of buttons and links.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual checks.
<p><b>2.5.3 Label in Name</b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p>	Supports	Accessible names are present on form elements and match the visible labels.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.5.3 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.5.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.5.3.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.5.3.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>		Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.
<p><b><u>2.5.4 Motion Actuation</u></b> (Level A 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.5.4 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.5.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.5.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.5.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	Content does not require motion controls or physical gestures to access content or functionality.
<p><b><u>3.1.1 Language of Page</u></b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.1.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>The main language of each page has been specified in the HTML.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using Axe DevTools.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><b>3.2.1 On Focus</b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.2.1 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.2.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.3.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.3.2.1 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>Context is not changed on focus alone.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual and keyboard checks.</p>
<p><b>3.2.2 On Input</b> (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.3.2.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.3.2.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.3.2.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.3.2.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports  Regulatory Insight: Partially Supports	<p>Context is not changed automatically – appropriate controls are provided.</p> <p><b>Regulatory Insight</b> Note: There are a few form controls on the Search by Number page, such as the Federal Register and Code of Federal Regulations ‘Publication’ dropdowns, that automatically update the page when the selection is changed.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual and keyboard checks.</p>

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<p><a href="#">3.2.6 Consistent Help</a> (Level A 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	User help is available consistently from the Resource Center widget in the bottom lefthand corner of each page. We are investigating alternative presentations in order to better integrate it on the page.
<p><a href="#">3.3.1 Error Identification</a> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.3.1 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.3.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.1.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>Error messages are provided on all forms within ProQuest Government Documents.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">3.3.2 Labels or Instructions</a> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.3.2 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.3.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.2 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> </ul>	<p>Supports</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports</p>	<p>Input fields are clearly labeled, and explanatory text is provided to assist the user where necessary.</p> <p>Labels are programmatically-associated with relevant form field.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Exception: some form controls rely on title attributes or visual context instead of explicit labels, which may cause some screen readers to announce form fields inconsistently. Locations include Advanced Search, Find</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		<p>Terms modal, Search by Number and Limit by Date feature.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><b>3.3.7 Redundant Entry</b> (Level A 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	No processes require the same information to be entered more than once, with the allowed exception of confirming passwords during account creation.
<p><b>4.1.1 Parsing</b> (Level A) Applies to: WCAG 2.0 and 2.1 – Always answer ‘Supports’ WCAG 2.2 (obsolete and removed) - Does not apply EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.4.1.1 (Web)</li> <li>10.4.1.1 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.4.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.4.1.1.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>For WCAG 2.0, 2.1, EN 301 549, and Revised 508 Standards, the September 2023 errata update indicates this criterion is always supported. See the <a href="#">WCAG 2.0 Editorial Errata</a> and the <a href="#">WCAG 2.1 Editorial Errata</a>.</p>
<p><b>4.1.2 Name, Role, Value</b> (Level A) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.4.1.2 (Web)</li> <li>10.4.1.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.4.1.2.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.4.1.2.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> </ul>	Partially Supports	<p>Pages conform to HTML web standards, so the name and role of all UI components can be determined.</p> <p>Text labels identify all form fields. Label / ids and other accessible code necessary for screen readers are associated with all form elements.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		Exceptions: • Some elements are coded as links when they behave like buttons.  UK Parliamentary Papers Interactive components do not consistently expose correct roles, names, or state information to assistive technologies. This may cause an issue when using tabbed navigation, sliders, and filters.  Compliance of this standard was validated using Axe DevTools and manual visual checks.

**Table 2: Success Criteria, Level AA**

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<p><a href="#">1.2.4 Captions (Live)</a> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.2.4 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.2.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.2.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.2.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> </ul>	Not applicable	The product does not contain live audio or video content.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><b>1.2.5 Audio Description (Prerecorded)</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.2.5 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.2.5 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.2.5 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.2.5 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Not applicable</p> <p>Congressional: Does Not Support</p>	<p>The product does not include video content.</p> <p>Congressional: Audio descriptions are not provided for video content. Audio descriptions or transcripts are not available. Video content found in ProQuest Congressional is publicly available and is not hosted by Clarivate. For ease of access, it is occasionally embedded within document pages</p>
<p><b>1.3.4 Orientation</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.3.4 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.3.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.1.3.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>ProQuest Government Documents has been developed with responsive Web design in mind. All content and functionality are available regardless of device orientation.</p>
<p><b>1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.1.3.5 (Web)</li> <li>10.1.3.5 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.1.3.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> </ul>	<p>Not applicable</p>	<p>Input fields do not request personal data and do not fall under the scope of this criterion.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11.1.3.5.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 – Does not apply		
<p><b>1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum)</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.3 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	<p>Supports</p> <p>Indian Claims, UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports</p>	<p>Text throughout the product meets the recommended color contrast ratio.</p> <p>On homepage, white text contrast with background image fails contrast depending on overlapping image area.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using Deque’s color contrast analyzer.</p> <p>Indian Claims On the Search by Number form, explanatory text next to each section heading • Links on the Table of Contents on document pages • Section headings in grey boxes on the homepage • On the results page search section, white text contrast with background image fails contra</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Text, icons, and some focus states do not meet minimum contrast requirements. This includes Basic Search promo panels, Advanced Search sub-headings, Results icons, Doc View image results, My Research panels and focus states.</p>
<p><b>1.4.4 Resize text</b> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.4 (Web)</li> </ul>	<p>Supports</p>	<p>Text throughout the product can be resized without assistive technology up to 200% without loss of content or functionality.</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10.1.4.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.4.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.4.2 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Indian Claims, UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports	Indian Claims Text scales to 200% + using standard browser zoom controls without cutting content off. Zooming and scaling for mobile devices has been disabled on a few pages due to the 'user-scalable' attribute being set to 'no' on the tag. Work to correct this is ongoing as part of our regular release schedule  UK Parliamentary Papers Zooming and scaling for mobile devices has been disabled sitewide through viewport configuration.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.
<u>1.4.5 Images of Text</u> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.5 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.5 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.5.1 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.5.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Partially Supports	Full text content is presented as text wherever available.  Exception: There may be some full text documents which are only available as scanned image PDFs.  This standard was evaluated using manual visual checks.
<u>1.4.10 Reflow</u> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria	Partially Supports Congressional: Supports	The ProQuest Government Documents interface has been developed with responsive Web design in mind. Text and columns reflow on browser resize or zoom so

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.10 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.10 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.10 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.10 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>		<p>that a horizontal scrollbar doesn't appear on most pages.</p> <p>The platform interface has been developed with responsive Web design in mind. Text and columns reflow on browser resize or zoom so that the horizontal scrollbar doesn't appear on pages.</p> <p>Legislative Insight, Regulatory Insight The interface has been developed with responsive web design in mind. Text and columns reflow on browser resize or zoom so that the horizontal scrollbar does not appear on most pages. Exceptions: • The text in image-based PDFs does not reflow. • The text in native PDFs may not reflow where they have not been created by the author/publisher to conform to PDF/Universal Accessibility (ISO 14289)</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks</p>
<p><b>1.4.11 Non-text Contrast</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.11 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.11 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.11 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.11 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Partially Supports	<p>Non-text content, such as icons, meet minimum standards of 3:1 color contrast ratio with the surrounding background in most places of the application.</p> <p>One the homepage, the contrast between the search icon and the button color falls below minimum standards. • On the homepage, the contrast between the modify search icon and the background image falls below minimum standards</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Exceptions:</p>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On Basic Search, Results, and Document View, the gray search magnifying glass icon on the teal background contrasts at: 1.63:1. Ideally, the icon is white.</li> <li>• Also, a blue 'down' arrow alongside the 'Limit by Date' link beneath the input box, that toggles to white 'up' arrow. Ideally, both arrows are white.</li> </ul>
<p><b>1.4.12 Text Spacing</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.12 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.12 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.12 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.12 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Supports	<p>Most text on the site is styled without any fixed heights or widths and most text in containers have containers that grow with them and do not overlap other containers.</p> <p>This standard was evaluated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><b>1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus</b> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.1.4.13 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.1.4.13 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.13 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.1.4.13 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	<p>Supports</p> <p>Statistical Insight, UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports</p>	<p>Content that shows up on hover or focus, such as custom tooltips, is dismissible, persistent and does not disappear when you move over them after they appear.</p> <p>Statistical Insight Table preview tool tips on the table search results are not dismissible without moving hover or focus.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Results "Full-text PDF" tooltip and Doc View "Download PDF" and "Save" menus remain open after focus moves away, obscuring other content.</p>

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<p><a href="#">2.4.5 Multiple Ways</a> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.5 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.5 (Non-web document) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.2.4.5 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.2.4.5 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>	Supports	<p>More than one way is available to locate the main pages of the site.</p> <p>Links to the main pages of the site are exposed directly on the Basic Search page. They are also available on every page through global navigation links in the hamburger menu. All main pages of the site provide a search form, so users can access content that way.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">2.4.6 Headings and Labels</a> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.6 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.6 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.6 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.6 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Partially Supports  Congressional: Supports	<p>Descriptive headings and labels have been used throughout the interface.</p> <p>Document view pages are missing H1 headers • Some heading levels are skipped throughout the product. • Label exceptions noted in criterion 1.3.1</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers Exception: Heading levels are occasionally skipped or misused, and some form inputs are missing labels.</p> <p>Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.</p>
<p><a href="#">2.4.7 Focus Visible</a> (Level AA)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p>	Supports	The site has been implemented to support the default focus indicator for the device being used.

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EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.2.4.7 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.2.4.7 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.7 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.2.4.7 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports	<p>In addition, most link text and other elements have been styled to change in visual appearance when the mouse hovers or tabs over them.</p> <p>For instance, on mouse hover, links are underlined. On tab focus, links are underlined and display an outline. Form input fields display a teal border with a heavier border on focus.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers            Visible focus indicators are missing or insufficient on some interactive elements on Advanced Search page and My Research area.</p> <p>This standard was evaluated using manual visual and keyboard checks.</p>
<b><a href="#">2.4.11 Focus Not Obscured (Minimum)</a></b> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Keyboard focus is not obscured.
<b><a href="#">2.5.7 Dragging Movements</a></b> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Dragging movements are only used for the video player volume control and the Publication Date interactive infographic on the Results page filter panel for some databases. In both cases the user can click on a point along the scale as an alternative to dragging the control.
<b><a href="#">2.5.8 Target Size (Minimum)</a></b> (Level AA 2.2 only) EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply Revised Section 508 – Does not apply	Supports	Interactive UI elements other than inline targets have a minimum size or spacing around them of 24px x 24px.
<b><a href="#">3.1.2 Language of Parts</a></b> (Level AA) Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.1.2 (Web)</li> </ul>	Does not support	In rare cases, the content may include text that is in a different language than the primary language of document. Content provided by publishing partners is

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10.3.1.2 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.1.2 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.3.1.2 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		mostly not coded to identify changes to language in the text.
<p><b>3.2.3 Consistent Navigation</b> (Level AA)</p> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.2.3 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.2.3 (Non-web document) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.3.2.3 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.3.2.3 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>	Supports  UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports	The primary site navigation links appear in the same place and the same order in the hamburger menu on every page of the site.  UK Parliamentary Papers Changes in context, such as switching result sets or adding/removing form rows on Advanced Search, are not communicated consistently. Users are not informed when content changes and must re-orient themselves manually.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.
<p><b>3.2.4 Consistent Identification</b> (Level AA)</p> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.2.4 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.2.4 (Non-web document) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.3.2.4 (Open Functionality Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.3.2.4 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> </ul>	Supports	Care has been taken to identify components with the same functionality consistently throughout the site.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.

Criteria	Conformance Level *Conformance Level applies across all government documents products unless specifically noted	Remarks and Explanations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software) – Does not apply to non-web software</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs) – Does not apply to non-web docs</li> </ul>		Indicators of pop up tool tips with content are not consistent – some places say it will open in a new page, and other places it is not called out that way
<p><b>3.3.3 Error Suggestion</b> (Level AA)</p> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.3.3 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.3.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.3 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> <li>• 504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>	Supports	Suggestions for error correction are made when applicable.  Compliance of this standard was validated using manual visual checks.
<p><b>3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data)</b> (Level AA)</p> Also applies to: EN 301 549 Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.3.3.4 (Web)</li> <li>• 10.3.3.4 (Non-web document)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.4 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>• 11.3.3.4 (Closed Software)</li> <li>• 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>• 12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>• 12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 501 (Web)(Software)</li> </ul>	Not applicable	The site doesn't contain content that causes legal commitments or financial transactions for the user.

Criteria	Conformance Level *Conformance Level applies across all government documents products unless specifically noted	Remarks and Explanations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>504.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>602.3 (Support Docs)</li> </ul>		
<p><a href="#">3.3.8 Accessible Authentication (Minimum)</a> (Level AA 2.2 only)</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria – Does not apply</p> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	Not Applicable	
<p><a href="#">4.1.3 Status Messages</a> (Level AA 2.1 and 2.2)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.4.1.3 (Web)</li> <li>10.4.1.3 (Non-web document)</li> <li>11.4.1.3 (Open Functionality Software)</li> <li>11.4.1.3 (Closed Software) – Does not apply</li> <li>11.8.2 (Authoring Tool)</li> <li>12.1.2 (Product Docs)</li> <li>12.2.4 (Support Docs)</li> </ul> <p>Revised Section 508 – Does not apply</p>	<p>Supports</p> <p>Indian Claims, Regulatory Insight, UK Parliamentary Papers: Partially Supports</p>	<p>Care has been taken to ensure that, when notifications appear on the screen, but do not command focus, they are announced to users of assistive software in an appropriate way e.g. applying relevant Aria roles.</p> <p>When permalink is revealed for a results item, this is not announced to the screen reader</p> <p>Indian Claims</p> <p>When permalink is revealed for a results item, this is not announced to the screen reader. • On the advanced search form, when a new row is added, the successful addition of the row is not announced to assistive technologies. • On the advanced search form, when the “Find terms” link is activated and the modal is displayed, no change in context is announced to the screen reader. When selected terms are inserted into the form, no successful completion of the action is announced</p> <p>Regulatory Insight</p> <p>When Basic Search returns zero results, the message does not get read out by a speaking browser. • When zero results are returned by the Find Terms search (in a modal window) it is not read out by a speaking browser.</p> <p>UK Parliamentary Papers</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level *Conformance Level applies across all government documents products unless specifically noted	Remarks and Explanations
		Users are not informed or given confirmation when results load, filters are applied, items are saved to My Research, or viewable document images change.

### Table 3: Success Criteria, Level AAA

Notes: The product was not assessed for WCAG 2.2 AAA conformance.

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## Chapter 3: [Functional Performance Criteria \(FPC\)](#)

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
302.1 Without Vision	Partially Supports	See WCAG 1.2.1, 1.2.3, 1.2.5, 1.4.5, 3.1.2
302.2 With Limited Vision	Partially Supports	See above. See also WCAG 1.4.10
302.3 Without Perception of Color	Supports	
302.4 Without Hearing	Partially supports	See WCAG 1.2.1, 1.2.2
302.5 With Limited Hearing	Partially Supports	See WCAG 1.2.1, 1.2.2
302.6 Without Speech	Supports	
302.7 With Limited Manipulation	Supports	
302.8 With Limited Reach and Strength	Supports	
302.9 With Limited Language, Cognitive, and Learning Abilities	Supports	

## Chapter 4: [Hardware](#)

Notes: Product is not hardware. As such, the requirements of this chapter do not apply.

## Chapter 5: [Software](#)

Notes: Product does not contain non-Web software. See [WCAG 2.x](#) section for WCAG 2.0 Level A and AA success criteria conformance details for Web applications.

## Chapter 6: [Support Documentation and Services](#)

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>601.1 Scope</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
<b><a href="#">602 Support Documentation</a></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
602.2 Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Supports	
602.3 Electronic Support Documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.x</a> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
602.4 Alternate Formats for Non-Electronic Support Documentation	Supports	
<b><a href="#">603 Support Services</a></b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
603.2 Information on Accessibility and Compatibility Features	Supports	

<b>Criteria</b>	<b>Conformance Level</b>	<b>Remarks and Explanations</b>
603.3 Accommodation of Communication Needs	Supports	

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## Chapter 4: [Functional Performance Statements \(FPS\)](#)

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
4.2.1 Usage without vision	Partially Supports	See WCAG 1.2.1, 1.2.3, 1.2.5, 1.4.5, 3.1.2
4.2.2 Usage with limited vision	Partially Supports	See above. See also WCAG 1.4.10
4.2.3 Usage without perception of colour	Supports	
4.2.4 Usage without hearing	Partially Supports	See WCAG 1.2.1, 1.2.2
4.2.5 Usage with limited hearing	Partially Supports	See WCAG 1.2.1, 1.2.2
4.2.6 Usage with no or limited vocal capability	Supports	
4.2.7 Usage with limited manipulation or strength	Supports	
4.2.8 Usage with limited reach	Supports	
4.2.9 Minimize photosensitive seizure triggers	Supports	
4.2.10 Usage with limited cognition, language or learning	Supports	
4.2.11 Privacy	Supports	

## Chapter 5: [Generic Requirements](#)

Notes: not applicable. Either the product doesn't contain functionality related to the criteria or the criteria are not relevant to the product.

## Chapter 6: [6: ICT with Two-Way Voice Communication](#)

Notes: not applicable. The criteria in this chapter are not relevant to the product.

## Chapter 7: [ICT with Video Capabilities](#)

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>7.1 Caption processing technology</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
7.1.1 Captioning playback	Supports	
7.1.2 Captioning synchronization	Supports	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
7.1.3 Preservation of captioning	Not applicable	The platform does not transform or convert videos.
7.1.4 Captions characteristics	Supports	Available from the Display Settings option behind the Closed Captions control.
7.1.5 Spoken subtitles	Does not support	The video player does not have an option to have subtitles read out loud.
7.2.1 Audio description playback	Supports	The small number of video records that have an audio description provide it as a separate option.
7.2.2 Audio description synchronization	Supports	Audio descriptions are synchronized with the video for the small number of video records that have them.
7.2.3 Preservation of audio description	Not applicable	The platform does not transform or convert videos.
7.3 User controls for captions and audio description	Does not support	There are two steps to toggle captions on or off. The user has to open the menu from the Closed Captions control in order to make a change.

## Chapter 8: [Hardware](#)

Note: The product is not hardware. As such, the requirements of this chapter do not apply.

## Chapter 9: [Web](#) (see [WCAG 2.x section](#))

## Chapter 10: [Non-Web Documents](#)

Notes: this chapter is only relevant to downloadable PDF and Epub documents in the ProQuest platform.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>10.0 General (informative)</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
10.1.1.1 through 10.4.1.3	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.x</a> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
10.5 Caption positioning	Not applicable	Audio and video documents are embedded in the Web page

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
10.6 Audio description timing	Not applicable	Audio and video documents are embedded in the Web page

## Chapter [11: Software](#)

Notes: not applicable.

## Chapter [12: Documentation and Support Services](#)

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<b>12.1 Product documentation</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
12.1.1 Accessibility and compatibility features	Supports	
12.1.2 Accessible documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.x</a> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section
<b>12.2 Support Services</b>	Heading cell – no response required	Heading cell – no response required
12.2.2 Information on accessibility and compatibility features	Supports	
12.2.3 Effective communication	Supports	
12.2.4 Accessible documentation	See <a href="#">WCAG 2.x</a> section	See information in WCAG 2.x section

## Chapter [13: ICT Providing Relay or Emergency Service Access](#)

Notes: not applicable. The product does not provide relay or emergency service access.

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