Avaya Business Rules Engine 3.5 Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT)

Use this cell to provide a brief non-technical description of the product.

Describe the scope of the VPAT, including limitations (e.g., what was tested and what wasn't).

Support Levels		
Support Level Description		
Supports	ABRE 3.5 fully meets the letter and intent of the criterion.	
Supports with Exceptions/Minor Exceptions	ABRE 3.5 does not fully meet the letter and intent of the criterion, but provides some level of access relative to the criterion.	
Supports through Equivalent Facilitation	ABRE 3.5 provides an alternate way to meet the intent of the criterion.	
Supports when combined with Compatible Assistive Technology	ABRE 3.5 fully meets the letter and intent of the criterion when used in combination with compatible assistive technology.	
Does Not Support	ABRE 3.5 does not meet the letter or intent of the criterion.	
Not Applicable	The criterion does not apply.	
Not Applicable – Fundamental Alteration Exception Applies	A fundamental alteration of ABRE 3.5 is required to meet the criterion.	

Compliance Summary

Criteria	Support Levels
Section 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems	
Section 1194.22 Web-based Intranet and Internet Information and Applications	
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Section 1194.25 Self-Contained, Closed Products	
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§ 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems

Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.21(a) When software is designed to run on a system that has a keyboard, product functions shall be executable from a keyboard where the function itself or the result of performing a function can be discerned textually.	Supports	ABRE is a Web server app. Only the administrators need to use keyboard to run some CLI commands.
1194.21(b) Applications shall not disrupt or disable activated features of other products that are identified as accessibility features, where those features are developed and documented according to industry standards. Applications also shall not disrupt or disable activated features of any operating system that are identified as accessibility features where the application programming interface for those accessibility features has been documented by the manufacturer of the operating system and is available to the product developer.	Not Applicable (or Supports)	ABRE is a Web server app.
1194.21(c) A well-defined on-screen indication of the current focus shall be provided that moves among interactive interface elements as the input focus changes. The focus shall be programmatically exposed so that assistive technology can track focus and focus changes.	Supports when combined with Compatible Assistive Technology	ABRE is a Web server app. Web Browser is used to access the ABRE Web admin page.
1194.21(d) Sufficient information about a user interface element including the identity, operation and state of the element shall be available to assistive technology. When an image represents a program element, the information conveyed by the image must also be available in text.	Supports when combined with Compatible Assistive Technology	ABRE is a Web server app. Web Browser is used to access the ABRE Web admin page.
1194.21(e) When bitmap images are used to identify controls, status indicators, or other programmatic elements, the meaning assigned to those images shall be consistent throughout an application's performance.	Supports	

§ 1194.21 Software Applications and Operating Systems

Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.21(f) Textual information shall be provided through operating system functions for displaying text. The minimum information that shall be made available is text content, text input caret	Supports	
location, and text attributes.		
1194.21(g) Applications shall not override user selected contrast and color selections and other individual display attributes.	Supports	ABRE is a Web server app.
1194.21(h) When animation is displayed, the information shall be displayable in at least one non-animated presentation mode at the option of the user.	Not Applicable	ABRE is a Web server app. Animation is not used with the ABRE Web Admin.
1194.21(i) Color coding shall not be used as the only means of conveying information, indicating an action, prompting a response, or distinguishing a visual element.	Supports	
1194.21(j) When a product permits a user to adjust color and contrast settings, a variety of color selections capable of producing a range of contrast levels shall be provided.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not allow the user to adjust color.
1194.21(k) Software shall not use flashing or blinking text, objects, or other elements having a flash or blink frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.	Supports	
1194.21(I) When electronic forms are used, the form shall allow people using assistive technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.	Supports when combined with Compatible Assistive Technology	ABRE is a Web server app. Web Browser is used to access the ABRE Web admin page.

§ 1194.22 Web-based Intranet and Internet Applications

Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.22(a) A text equivalent for every non-text element shall be provided (e.g., via "alt", "longdesc", or in element content).	Supports	
1194.22(b) Equivalent alternatives for any multimedia presentation shall be synchronized with the presentation.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not provide multimedia presentation.
1194.22(c) Web pages shall be designed so that all information conveyed with color is also available without color, for example from context or markup.	Supports	
1194.22(d) Documents shall be organized so they are readable without requiring an associated style sheet.	Supports	
1194.22(e) Redundant text links shall be provided for each active region of a server-side image map.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not provide image maps.
1194.22(f) Client-side image maps shall be provided instead of server-side image maps except where the regions cannot be defined with an available geometric shape.	Not Applicable	
1194.22(g) Row and column headers shall be identified for data tables.	Supports	
1194.22(h) Markup shall be used to associate data cells and header cells for data tables that have two or more logical levels of row or column headers.	Not Applicable	
1194.22(i) Frames shall be titled with text that facilitates frame identification and navigation.	Supports	
1194.22(j) Pages shall be designed to avoid causing the screen to flicker with a frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not use flickering
1194.22(k) A text-only page, with equivalent information or functionality, shall be provided to make a web site comply with the provisions of these standards, when compliance cannot be accomplished in any other way. The content of the text-only page shall be updated whenever the primary page changes.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.22 Web-based Intranet and Internet Applications

Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.22(I) When pages utilize scripting languages to display content, or to create interface elements, the information provided by the script shall be identified with functional text that can be read by assistive technology.	Not applicable	r
1194.22(m) When a web page requires that an applet, plug-in or other application be present on the client system to interpret page content, the page must provide a link to a plug-in or applet that complies with §1194.21(a) through (I).	Not Applicable	
1194.22(n) When electronic forms are designed to be completed on-line, the form shall allow people using assistive technology to access the information, field elements, and functionality required for completion and submission of the form, including all directions and cues.	Not Applicable	
1194.22(o) A method shall be provided that permits users to skip repetitive navigation links.	Not Applicable	
1194.22(p) When a timed response is required, the user shall be alerted and given sufficient time to indicate more time is required.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.23 Telecommunications Products		
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.23(a) Telecommunications products or systems which provide a function allowing voice communication and which do not themselves provide a TTY functionality shall provide a standard non-acoustic connection point for TTYs. Microphones shall be capable of being turned on and off to allow the user to intermix speech with TTY use.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not provide voice communication.
1194.23(b) Telecommunications products, which include voice communication functionality, shall support all commonly used cross- manufacturer non-proprietary standard TTY signal protocols.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(c) Voice mail, auto-attendant, and interactive voice response telecommunications systems shall be usable by TTY users with their TTYs.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not provide voice mail, auto-attendant or IVR services.
1194.23(d) Voice mail, messaging, auto- attendant, and interactive voice response telecommunications systems that require a response from a user within a time interval, shall give an alert when the time interval is about to run out, and shall provide sufficient time for the user to indicate more time is required.	Not Applicable	ABRE does not provide voice mail, auto-attendant or IVR services.
1194.23(e) Where provided, caller identification and similar telecommunications functions shall also be available for users of TTYs, and for users who cannot see displays.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(f) For transmitted voice signals, telecommunications products shall provide a gain adjustable up to a minimum of 20 dB. For incremental volume control, at least one intermediate step of 12 dB of gain shall be provided.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(g) If the telecommunications product allows a user to adjust the receive volume, a function shall be provided to automatically reset the volume to the default level after every use.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.23 T	elecommuni	cations Products
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.23(h) Where a telecommunications product delivers output by an audio transducer which is normally held up to the ear, a means for effective magnetic wireless coupling to hearing technologies shall be provided.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(i) Interference to hearing technologies (including hearing aids, cochlear implants, and assistive listening devices) shall be reduced to the lowest possible level that allows a user of hearing technologies to utilize the telecommunications product.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(j) Products that transmit or conduct information or communication, shall pass through cross-manufacturer, non-proprietary, industry-standard codes, translation protocols, formats or other information necessary to provide the information or communication in a usable format. Technologies which use encoding, signal compression, format transformation, or similar techniques shall not remove information needed for access or shall restore it upon delivery.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(k)(1) Products which have mechanically operated controls or keys shall comply with the following: Controls and Keys shall be tactilely discernible without activating the controls or keys.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(k)(2) Products which have mechanically operated controls or keys shall comply with the following: Controls and Keys shall be operable with one hand and shall not require tight grasping, pinching, twisting of the wrist. The force required to activate controls and keys shall be 5 lbs. (22.2N) maximum.	Not Applicable	
1194.23(k)(3) Products which have mechanically operated controls or keys shall comply with the following: If key repeat is supported, the delay before repeat shall be adjustable to at least 2 seconds. Key repeat rate shall be adjustable to 2 seconds per character.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.23 Telecommunications Products		
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.23(k)(4) Products which have mechanically operated controls or keys shall comply with the following: The status of all locking or toggle controls or keys shall be visually discernible, and discernible either through touch or sound.	Not Applicable	

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§ 1194.24 Video and Multimedia Products		
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.24(a) All analog television displays 13 inches and larger, and computer equipment that includes analog television receiver or display circuitry, shall be equipped with caption decoder circuitry which appropriately receives, decodes, and displays closed captions from broadcast, cable, videotape, and DVD signals. As soon as practicable, but not later than July 1, 2002, widescreen digital television (DTV) displays measuring at least 7.8 inches vertically, DTV sets with conventional displays measuring at least 13 inches vertically, and stand-alone DTV tuners, whether or not they are marketed with display screens, and computer equipment that includes DTV receiver or display circuitry, shall be equipped with caption decoder circuitry which appropriately receives, decodes, and displays closed captions from broadcast, cable, videotape, and DVD signals.	Not Applicable	
1194.24(b) Television tuners, including tuner cards for use in computers, shall be equipped with secondary audio program playback circuitry.	Not Applicable	
1194.24(c) All training and informational video and multimedia productions which support the agency's mission, regardless of format, that contain speech or other audio information necessary for the comprehension of the content, shall be open or closed captioned.	Not Applicable	
1194.24(d) All training and informational video and multimedia productions which support the agency's mission, regardless of format, that contain visual information necessary for the comprehension of the content, shall be audio described.	Not Applicable	
1194.24(e) Display or presentation of alternate text presentation or audio descriptions shall be user-selectable unless permanent.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.25 Se	If-contained	, Closed Products
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.25(a) Self contained products shall be usable by people with disabilities without requiring an end-user to attach assistive technology to the product. Personal headsets for private listening are not assistive technology.	Not Applicable	ABRE is a Web server app. Only the administrators can use the Web Browser to access the ABRE Web admin page.
1194.25(b) When a timed response is required, the user shall be alerted and given sufficient time to indicate more time is required.	Not Applicable	
1194.25(c) Where a product utilizes touch-screens or contact-sensitive controls, an input method shall be provided that complies with $\$1194.23$ (k)(1) through (4).	Not Applicable	
1194.25(d) When biometric forms of user identification or control are used, an alternative form of identification or activation, which does not require the user to possess particular biological characteristics, shall also be provided.	Not Applicable	
1194.25(e) When products provide auditory output, the audio signal shall be provided at a standard signal level through an industry standard connector that will allow for private listening. The product must provide the ability to interrupt, pause, and restart the audio at anytime.	Not Applicable	
1194.25(f) When products deliver voice output in a public area, incremental volume control shall be provided with output amplification up to a level of at least 65 dB. Where the ambient noise level of the environment is above 45 dB, a volume gain of at least 20 dB above the ambient level shall be user selectable. A function shall be provided to automatically reset the volume to the default level after every use.	Not Applicable	
1194.25(g) Color coding shall not be used as the only means of conveying information, indicating an action, prompting a response, or distinguishing a visual element.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.25 Self-contained, Closed Products

Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.25(h) When a product permits a user to adjust color and contrast settings,	Not Applicable	
a range of color selections capable of producing a variety of contrast levels		
 shall be provided. 1194.25(i) Products shall be designed to avoid causing the screen to flicker with a 	Not Applicable	
frequency greater than 2 Hz and lower than 55 Hz.		
1194.25(j)(1) Products which are freestanding, non-portable, and intended to be used in one location and which have operable controls shall comply with the following: The position of any operable control shall be determined with respect to a vertical plane, which is 48 inches in length, centered on the operable control, and at the maximum protrusion of the product within the 48 inches the product within the 48	Not Applicable	
inch length. 1194.25(j)(2) Products which are freestanding, non-portable, and intended to be used in one location and which have operable controls shall comply with the following: Where any operable control is 10 inches or less behind the reference plane, the height shall be 54 inches maximum and 15 inches minimum above the floor.	Not Applicable	
1194.25(j)(3) Products which are freestanding, non-portable, and intended to be used in one location and which have operable controls shall comply with the following: Where any operable control is more than 10 inches and not more than 24 inches behind the reference plane, the height shall be 46 inches maximum and 15 inches minimum above the floor.	Not Applicable	
1194.25(j)(4) Products which are freestanding, non-portable, and intended to be used in one location and which have operable controls shall comply with the following: Operable controls shall not be more than 24 inches behind the reference plane.	Not Applicable	

§ 1194.26 Desktop and Portable Computers			
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations	
1194.26(a) All mechanically operated controls and keys shall comply with §1194.23 (k)(1) through (4).	Not Applicable		
1194.26(b) If a product utilizes touch- screens or touch-operated controls, an input method shall be provided that complies with §1194.23 (k)(1) through (4).	Not Applicable		
1194.26(c) When biometric forms of user identification or control are used, an alternative form of identification or activation, which does not require the user to possess particular biological characteristics, shall also be provided.	Not Applicable		
1194.26(d) Where provided, at least one of each type of expansion slots, ports and connectors shall comply with publicly available industry standards.	Not Applicable		

§ 1194.31 Functional Performance Criteria			
Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations	
1194.31(a) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user vision shall be provided, or support for assistive technology used by people who are blind or visually impaired shall be provided.	Not Applicable	ABRE is a Web server app. Only the administrators need to use the Web Browser to access the ABRE Web admin page. End-users do not need to access the ABRE Web admin page.	
1194.31(b) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require visual acuity greater than 20/70 shall be provided in audio and enlarged print output working together or independently, or support for assistive technology used by people who are visually impaired shall be provided.	Not Applicable		
1194.31(c) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user hearing shall be provided, or support for assistive technology used by people who are deaf or hard of hearing shall be provided.	Not Applicable		
1194.31(d) Where audio information is important for the use of a product, at least one mode of operation and information retrieval shall be provided in an enhanced auditory fashion, or support for assistive hearing devices shall be provided.	Not Applicable		
1194.31(e) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require user speech shall be provided, or support for assistive technology used by people with disabilities shall be provided.	Not Applicable		
1194.31(f) At least one mode of operation and information retrieval that does not require fine motor control or simultaneous actions and that is operable with limited reach and strength shall be provided.	Not Applicable		

§ 1194.41 Information, Documentation and Support

Criteria	Support Levels	Remarks and Explanations
1194.41(a) Product support documentation provided to end-users shall be made available in alternate formats upon request, at no additional charge.	Not Applicable	Only the administrators need to use the Web Browser to access the ABRE Web admin page. End-users do not need to access the ABRE Web admin page. All product support documentations are provided to the system administrator only.
1194.41(b) End-users shall have access to a description of the accessibility and compatibility features of products in alternate formats or alternate methods upon request, at no additional charge.	Not Applicable	
1194.41(c) Support services for products shall accommodate the communication needs of end-users with disabilities.	Not Applicable	

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