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1. References:

- a. Department of Defense Memorandum, Subject: Access for People with Disabilities, 31 October 2008 and attachment: <http://www.access-board.gov/ada-aba/dod-memorandum.htm>
- b. Architectural Barriers Act Accessibility Standard for Department of Defense Facilities, October 31, 2008: <http://www.access-board.gov/ada-aba/aba-standards-dod.cfm>
2. This ECB directs the use of the Department of Defense adopted Architectural Barriers Act, Accessibility Guideline for Buildings and Facilities, amended August 5, 2005 in the design of Department of Defense buildings and facilities.
3. Effective immediately, all MSCs, Centers, Districts and Subordinate offices are directed to meet the requirements of the Architectural Barriers Act Accessibility Standard for Department of Defense Facilities, October 31, 2008. All projects in or after Fiscal Year 2010 regardless of the source of funds, must be programmed, designed, and constructed to comply with these Standards. All projects before Fiscal Year 2010, must comply with these Standards to the maximum extent feasible.
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