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Ed Richards Chair and Chief Executive Officer OFCOM Riverside House 2a Southwark Bridge Road London SE1 9HA

Dear Mr Richards,

Re: Co-location of Valleys Radio.

I am writing in my capacity as the Assembly Member for Torfaen in support of the current plans to co-locate Valleys Radio. I fully support the co-location of Valleys Radio, Swansea Sound and The Wave to a single South Wales Headquarters, such as the one being proposed at Swansea Gate Business Park.

The co-location will mean that they are able to invest an additional substantial amount of money per year in transmission costs whilst allowing the radio to transmit on an FM wave. This is a brilliant investment for Valleys Radio ensuring growth of audience which is in turn essential for a profitable and healthy business.

I fully support Valleys Radio in there co-location and hope to hear that they have been successful through the public consultation.

Should you require any further information I will be only more than happy to assist, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely,

Lynne Neagle AM