

**LICENCE NUMBER C5000001**

**THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT 2003 AND THE BROADCASTING ACT 1990**

**NOTICE OF VARIATION**

**VARIATION TO LICENCE GRANTED TO CHANNEL 5 BROADCAST LIMITED ("THE LICENSEE") TO PROVIDE A DIGITAL REPLACEMENT SERVICE UNDER PART I OF THE BROADCASTING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED) DATED 17 DECEMBER 2004 ("THE LICENCE") (AS AMENDED)**

**WHEREAS**

- A. On 4 June 2021, the Licensee requested a change to Paragraph 4 of the Annex, Part 1 (relating to Condition 13 of the licence "News and Current Affairs") in relation to its news provision requirements.
- B. On 30 June 2021, Ofcom consulted on its provisional view to approve the Licensee's request and make consequential changes to the Licence to implement such a request.
- C. Ofcom has thereby given the Licensee and other stakeholders a reasonable opportunity to make representations to Ofcom concerning the proposed variation.
- D. Ofcom has considered all responses received to the consultation and decided to approve the Licensee's request.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Licence shall be varied in the following manner:

- 1. By removing the Schedule to the Licence, and replacing it with the Schedule attached to this variation.

Unless otherwise stated, this variation to the Licence shall come into force on the execution of the variation by Ofcom.

This document shall be construed as if it formed part of the Licence and shall be governed by English law. Terms used in it shall have the same meaning as in the Licence unless stated or the context requires otherwise.

**SIGNED FOR AND ON BEHALF OF OFCOM ON 24 SEPTEMBER 2021**



**Paul Mercer**  
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