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Ofcom may publish a response summary:

Yes

Additional comments:

As the United Kingdom Representative for the European Citizens' Band Federation (ECBF) , I strongly suggest both CB Radio and Amateur Radio should be protected from the influx of cheap poorly filtered PLT devices and any other products that causes the radio operator problems.

Amateur Radio is protected via Ofcom with regards to these devices, Citizens' Band Radio is not, which we feel should have the same protection as any other service.

I have had issues with a local PLT device now for well over a year, this isn't an isolated case as I have found out over the last few months.

Many other radio users via the ECBF website who have contacted me directly with their own problems regarding this ever increasing source of spectrum pollution.

These issues can causes many people to leave the hobby , which in turn does affect the numerous radio distributors and retailers with their sales of products.

Sadly this is a problem in many Countries within the European Union and one that was discussed in great depth at the last ECBF Congress held in Brussels in 2014.

We ask Ofcom to make changes regarding PLT Devices and other sources of interference , before it causes the hobby of radio long lasting damage in the future.

David Ogg,
European Citizens' Band Federation,
United Kingdom Delegate.

Question 1: Do you agree that the Proposed Regulations correctly give effect to the policy proposals referred to, and to the other intentions set out, in this document?:

Yes..... I agree to proceed with the new regulations