

11 July

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Sent: 11 July 2017 14:48
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: OFFICIAL EXTERNAL:OFFICIAL Home Office contact

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[REDACTED] – out of scope

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Thank you, I will send around a meeting invitation for Monday if you could forward onto you colleagues.

[Redacted]

I will book you, [Redacted], [Redacted] and [Redacted] in at reception and photo identification will be required (your Ofcom passes are likely to be sufficient but if you could advise those attending to bring another form of id just to be on the safe side).

See you on Monday.

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Sent: 14 July 2017 10:59

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Subject: Accepted: EXTERNAL:OFFICIAL Commercial Multi-User Gateways

When: 17 July 2017 15:30-16:30 (UTC+00:00) Dublin, Edinburgh, Lisbon, London.

Where: Home Office (2 Marsham Street), 5th Floor, Peel Building, Room P5.35

Via email: [REDACTED]

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Group Director
Spectrum Group
Direct line: S40

Email:

13 July 2017

Dear S40

AMENDMENT TO WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY ACT LEGISLATION RELATING TO
COMMERCIAL MULTI-USER GATEWAYS

Thank you for your letter of 6 July 2017 concerning our decision to exempt the use of commercial multi-user gateways from the requirement to hold a Wireless Telegraphy Act Licence.

Unfortunately, I received your letter shortly after the Statement setting out our decision was published. I note the concerns raised in your letter which we had reviewed during the course of the consultation following a response from the Home Office along similar lines. The Statement sets out our consideration of those matters.

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Ofcom has not at this point made Regulations giving effect to our decision. We are now consulting on the detail of the Regulations for a period of one month, and would expect to bring them into force shortly after that.

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Yours sincerely

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