

Representing:

Self

What do you want Ofcom to keep confidential?:

Keep name confidential

If you want part of your response kept confidential, which parts?:

Name and Email Adress

Ofcom may publish a response summary:

Yes

I confirm that I have read the declaration:

Yes

Ofcom should only publish this response after the consultation has ended:

Yes

Additional comments:

Great idea, for too long has Royal Mail suffered at the hands of competitors. Good to see a british istatution some freedom to succed.

Question 5.1: Do you agree with the assumptions set out in paragraph 5.86 above? If not, please set out your reasons.:

Agreed

Question 6.1: Do you agree with our proposal to impose a regulatory condition on Royal Mail to require it to provide the universal service as set out above? If not, what alternative approach would you suggest?:

Agreed

Question 6.2: Do you agree that a price control is not an appropriate option at present for regulating Royal Mail?s prices? If not, please explain why and how a price control could be implemented effectively.:

N/A

Question 6.3: Do you agree with Ofcom?s proposals to put in place regulatory safeguards as described above? If not, please provide reasons.:

Agreed

Question 6.4: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to put in place a monitoring regime? If not, please provide reasons.:

Should be the same monitoring as all other logistics companies.

Question 6.5: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals for an index-linked safeguard cap on standard letters from 45p to 55p? If not, please provide reasons.:

yes

Question 6.6: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposal that the approach outlined above remains in place for seven years? If not, please provide reasons.:

no to long a period

Question 7.1: Do you agree with our approach to assessing end-to-end competition? If not, please give your reasons.:

yes, but end to end should be charged at different rates, ie if ups want to use the network and send things to remote scotland instead of london they should be charged more for the scotland service.

Question 7.2: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to impose an obligation on Royal Mail to provide access at the Inward Mail Centre? If not, please give reasons.:

No, Royal Mail gets all the stick of delivering and no were near enough of the revenues.

Question 7.3: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals in respect of regulating margin squeeze? If not, please give reasons.:

No Royal Mail should be free to charge the competition what it pleases, if this does not occur, Royal Mail is unlikely to survive.

Question 7.4: Do you agree with our approach concerning the Terms and Conditions for access, including the role of equivalence and the regulation of zonal pricing? If not, please give your reasons.:

Unsure

Question 8.1: Do you agree with the objectives for regulatory financial reporting that we have set out above? Please provide details to support your response. :

No

Question 8.2: Do you agree that our regulatory financial reporting proposals, set out in this section and the supporting Annex, are appropriate and proportionate? Please provide reasons and evidence to support your views.:

N/A

Question 8.3: Do you agree with our proposals on the rules and requirements contained in the draft Regulatory Accounting Guidelines and do you consider that they are likely to provide an appropriate and proportionate level of cost transparency and accounting separation?:

N/A

Question 8.4: Do you agree with our proposals set out above in relation to accounting separation? Are there any further risks that you think Ofcom needs also to consider in making decisions in this area? To the extent that you consider there to be risks associated with our proposals, how do you consider they might best be addressed?:

n/A