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<p>Question 1: Do you have any comments on our drafting of the Proposed Regulations? Please give reasons supported by evidence for your views.</p>	<p>Confidential? – Y N</p> <p>The LoRa Alliance generally supports the proposed amendments in the “Draft UK Interface Requirement (IR) 2030 – Licence exempt Short Range Devices (SRDs)” that are consistent with the CEPT harmonisation, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The explanations on the duty cycles and the requirements on techniques to access spectrum and to mitigate the interferences. • The proposed extension of the lower boundary from 917.4 to 916.1 MHz which improves the alignment with the EC Decision and facilitates the multi-market equipment deployment. <p>Regarding the IR2030/1 (Non-Specific Short-Range) and IR2030/31 (Networked SRDs), the LoRa Alliance notes that these categories encompass important wide-area, data-centric IoT LoRaWAN applications. The LoRa Alliance invites OFCOM to consider the recent decisions ECC DEC (25)02 in the CEPT related to the LPD-S.</p> <p>The ECC Decision (25)02 establishes harmonised regulatory conditions for satellite-based low-power communications and reflects the increasing convergence between terrestrial and non-terrestrial networks. This convergence is directly relevant not only for the evolution of LoRaWAN but also for all hybrid terrestrial–satellite deployments.</p> <p>Alignment with ECC Decision (25)02 would enhance regulatory coherence, provide legal certainty for manufacturers and operators, and future-proof the UK SRD framework while remaining consistent with Ofcom’s statutory duties.</p>
<p>Question 2: Do you have any comments relating to any other matter in this Notice?</p>	<p>Confidential? – Y N</p> <p>The LoRa Alliance thanks Ofcom for its constructive engagement and for considering the comments provided in this response. The Alliance looks forward to continued dialogue with Ofcom on the evolution of the LoRaWAN ecosystem in the UK, including both terrestrial and satellite-based deployments, and remains available to provide further technical input as required.</p>

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