

Comments:

- a) Difficult to find out which mobile provider to use.
- b) capacity issues

Question 1: Anyone with an interest in these matters is invited to comment on any aspect of our proposals, conclusions and supporting analysis. We would also welcome any evidence that interested parties are able to provide in support of their comments.:

I have been struggling with Broadband speeds from BT of 0.4 and have increased this to nearer 2.0 with Orange mobile (postcode DN18 6JG). I generally support the idea but there are two issues:

- a) Mobile broadband is very patch - I tried four providers to find one which works. The maps available from the providers are very misleading and some people would find it difficult to undertake such a vigorous exercise.
- b) the cost is higher than a landline and the amount which can be economically downloaded is limited. Video is a problem.