

What are your comments on these proposals?

I believe OFCOM should insist on a better quality standard for transmissions than currently used.

I also think that the requirement for local content in a radio station should be increased. In my area (Reading, Oxford) the most commercial stations have essentially become the same. They are nationally constructed programmes (although broadcast as separate local stations). The range of music played is always pretty much the same. There used to be more local content, more originality and a wider range to choose from. I do not understand how this has been lost and do not see it recognised in the Ofcom proposals. I am concerned that Ofcom are not in touch and performing their function as one would hope. The new regulations should be clearer on content.