

Question 1: What are your views on Ofcom's proposed three-year strategic policy framework?:

Question 2: What are your views on Ofcom's proposed priorities for 2007/8? In particular::

Starving out Digital Communications:

With the increased dependency of citizens and businesses on digital communications, what protection will Ofcom offer to prevent the UK government or police from blocking IP addresses to Web sites, cutting off Internet connections, or removing indexes in search engines (e.g. China) to essentially starve out publishers of politically incorrect content (e.g. opposing government policy)?

Does everyone in the UK have a right to publish and access to digital communications in the same way as other utilities?

Will Ofcom be an advocate for the "access and publishing rights" of the digitally starved out user? Will Ofcom investigate the risks and possible scenarios?

Work on this should be done as a priority to protect the free speech and trading ability of all citizens. It is becoming too easy for "politically undesirable" individuals to be switched off and starved out.

Question 2a: What are your views on the work which Ofcom should do in 2007/8 to drive a market-based approach to spectrum?:

Question 2b: What are your views on the work which Ofcom should do in 2007/8 to develop new ways to deliver public outcomes as platforms and services converge? :

Question 2c: What are your views on the work which Ofcom should do in 2007/8 to improve business compliance and empower consumers? :

Question 2d: What are your views on the work which Ofcom should do in 2007/8 to promote competition and innovation in converging markets?:

Question 3: Are there additional areas where Ofcom should reduce regulation and minimise administrative burdens? Please provide specific examples.:

Comments:

Otherwise a very good document.