

## Your response

**Question 1: Respondents are invited to comment on whether they agree with Ofcom's preliminary view and to frame their views and responses with reference to, or in the context of, the statutory criteria in section 106(1A) of the Broadcast Act 1990 (as amended).**

I do not feel that the request to change the format of XS would be beneficial to the population of Greater Manchester. Losing XS Manchester would leave no local radio stations playing Indie and Rock music (Radio X plays this genre but is not local to Manchester and does not have any locally relevant content).

The change to Captial Xtra would be adding another station to an already saturated market that is well served by Capital, BBC 1Xtra and Hits Radio.

The loss of XS Manchester would leave me as a rock and indie fan with no choice of local radio station to listen to.