

## Your response

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<p>Do you agree that for the purposes of where locally-made programming may come from, Ofcom should approve the 'South of England (Bauer)' area in relation to the 12 local licences listed in Section 2 of this document? If you do not agree, please give reasons.</p>	<p>I do not agree. I am referring particularly to Spirit FM in Chichester West Sussex. Spirit is an extremely successful station as it is. The team are local, they know the local area that they talk about. The presenters make the station what it is. In this current climate, the listener numbers have increased, and this in my opinion is because people have wanted local information.</p> <p>I have experienced a take over like this before, when Mercury FM changed to Heart, I stopped listening as this was not what I want from a local radio station.</p> <p>Please prevent this awful take over to happen. The presenters and team losing their jobs is just a crying shame, they are the ones that have built this station to be the success it is, and the thanks for their hard work, to be fired!!!!</p> <p>I, and I know of many others will not listen. It will leave a huge hole in the community.</p>