

Question 1:Do you agree that Ofcom should grant approval to Royal Mail for the Delivery to Neighbour service? If not please explain your answer. :

No. Almost everywhere I have lived neighbours have been unfriendly. I now have a burglar living next but one. I am a friendly sort of person so would expect the same from neighbours. But I don't see much friendliness. The world has become much less friendly and there is virtually no community (no common unity) anymore. People prefer to make friends with like-minded individuals on the web now, because they no longer have very much in common with neighbours. Work, rest and play are now completely individual, not community things. This is bound to be the case with most people, so delivering to non-named neighbours will be a nightmare for many people including me.

Question 2:Are there other consequences following the roll out of the service across the UK that we have not included in our assessment? If so, please explain.:

It also means when I post a letter, I may never know if it was received or not by the addressee. There will be a long process involved in clearing up such matters. There will be thieves who will welcome the chance to be able to make money out of this. Royal Mail will be delivering identities, money and goods right into their hands. Posties have always been good in my experience but they will be tempted to deliver to every third door to make their jobs easier. A better way to improve efficiency is for posties not to deliver junk mail at the same time as they deliver Royal mail. I'm sure the vast majority of recipients will be very glad if that was the case. Also all non-delivered mail that is marked 'Return to Sender' should be paid for again by the sender. This would stop them sending out so much junk. Junk mail is probably the main cause of Royal Mail inefficiency.

Question 3:Do you have any comments on the scope and wording of the proposed Notification and approval:

It is a very bad idea and should be scrapped.