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Yes

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**Additional comments:**

I believe allowing one operator to provide 4G services before other operators are able to do so creates an unfair market in the telecoms sector.

I also believe that consumers may be persuaded to enter long-term contracts with Everything

Everywhere in order to adopt 4G devices and services early, again creating an unfair market as other network operators will not be able to offer competing services under current spectrum licensing and availability.

Everything Everywhere are effectively asking for a head start, in which they will have several months to market themselves as the only choice for consumers wishing to upgrade to 4G services.

Incidentally I am a T-Mobile customer however, when the time comes for me to upgrade to a 4G capable device once some come to market, I would expect there to be at least one other option than Everything Everywhere's operators.