

Question 1: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposal to exempt users of Citizen's Band (CB) radio (and other related applications such as Community Audio Distribution) from the need to possess a Wireless Telegraphy Licence.:

Question 2: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to permit the use of 'Micro' FM transmitters in the UK, and to authorise that use by licence exemption.: We do NOT agree with this proposal. It has not proved possible for the regulator to control the import and sale of such devices while they are plainly illegal, and we have no confidence that there would or could be effective regulation of compliant and non-compliant devices after "licence exemption". The proposed power level is so low, and the FM band is, in places, so congested, that there would be widespread temptation to flout the rules through the use of higher powered illegal devices, or simply to wantonly cause interference without regard for other users.

We think that in order to protect the primary interests of broadcasters and listeners, before de-regulation Ofcom should make clear what extra resources it proposes to make available for enforcement, what processes are proposed for conflict resolution, and what compensation would be made available to primary users in the event that their legitimate resource were degraded.

Question 3: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to exempt users of High Density Fixed Satellite Services (HDFSS) terminals from the need to possess a Wireless Telegraphy Licence.:

Question 4: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to exempt users of Inmarsat GAN terminals from the need to possess a Wireless telegraphy Licence.:

Question 5: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to make available the frequency 24.05-24.25 GHz for use by short range radar (including automotive applications) devices on a licence-exempt basis.:

Question 6: Do you with Ofcom's proposals to make available the band 2.4 GHz-2.4385 GHz for movement detection systems.:

Question 7: Do you with Ofcom's proposals to remove the need for users of most radar level gauge equipment to possess a Wireless Telegraphy Licence.:

Question 8: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to exempt users Digital PMR 446 from the need to possess a Wireless telegraphy Licence.:

Question 9: Ofcom would welcome comments on it proposals to implements these changes concerning short range devices.:

Question 10: Ofcom would welcome comments on it proposals to implement EC Decision 2005/928/.:

Question 11: Ofcom would welcome comments on it proposals to implement EC Decision 2005/513/.:

Question 12: Ofcom would welcome comments on any of the minor changes set out in this chapter and any other broader issues in relation to its approach to licence-exemption.:

Additional comments: