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I am responding as a consumer/listener member of the public with no commercial interests in any media companies.

Question 1: *We consider that the launch of the four DAB+ music stations and the extension of broadcast hours for BBC 5 Sports Extra are material changes. If you disagree, please explain why you consider the BBC's published proposals are not material.*

I do not disagree.

Question 2: *Do you consider that the BBC's published proposals are clear in relation to their scale (both in terms of financial resource and in terms of reach and type of content) and the timescales for implementation? If not, please provide details of the areas where you feel more clarity is required.*

Yes, these were clear to me.

Question 3: *Did the BBC's PIT consultation processes provide suitable opportunity for you to set out your views fully? If not, please provide details.*

Yes, but I did not have cause to respond.

Question 4: *Given that both proposals raise a number of contentious issues, it is our intention to undertake full BCAs for both. If you disagree and think that Ofcom should undertake Shorter Assessments, please explain why.*

I disagree that this should undergo full BCAs. Ofcom should undertake Shorter Assessments, primarily due to Ofcom's own conclusion at question 1 that this is a material change. This is also because launching these currently "online only" stations on DAB+ would be for the greater public good.

Question 5: *Do you agree with the BBC's assessments in its PITs about the potential public value and/or market impact of the proposals? Are there any additional public value and/or competition considerations that have not been identified by the BBC? Question*

Agree. I would like to add that adding these radio services to DAB+ in addition to the current online only provision is the right thing to do from a public service perspective, as this would ensure equal access to these stations for members of society who can easily access a DAB+ receiver, but do not or cannot access online streaming services.

Question 6: *Do these proposals lead to any significant market impact concerns which might affect your own services? If so, please explain how the BBC's proposals would affect your services if they go ahead.*

No, but not relevant for me as I am a member of the public and do not provide radio related services.