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Philip Marnick,  
Group Director of Spectrum  
Ofcom  
By email

Dear Philip,

In my capacity as the Chair of the 4G TV Coexistence Oversight Board, I wrote to you on 18<sup>th</sup> December 2013 about a proposal to trial changes in the Key Performance Indicator (KPI) and Operational Condition regime of the assistance delivered by at800 to consumers whose Digital Terrestrial Television (DTT) reception is affected by interference caused by the rollout of fourth generation (4G) mobile broadband in the 800 MHz band of the radio spectrum.

I also sought Ofcom's approval to forebear from enforcing the existing KPIs and Operational Conditions whilst that trial is taking place, to which you agreed, along with the proposed changes, in January 2014.

In my letter, I outlined the recommended changes within annexes. It has recently come to my attention that there is an error in paragraph 33 of Annex 2 "The risk based approach to mailing".

Although it is correctly described elsewhere in my letter, to avoid any risk of future confusion, paragraph 33 of Annex 2 should read as indicated below; the bold text reflects the change from "low and medium" to "medium and high".

*33. Based on this work, at800, working with the broadcasters, has agreed to identify pixels as either low risk ( $\leq 5\%$  degradation), medium risk ( $> 5\% \leq 20\%$  degradation) and high risk ( $> 20\%$  degradation). at800 proposes to send postcards to **medium and high** risk pixels in areas outside its London operational area, and to high risk pixels only within the London operational area.*

DCMS will publish this letter on the DTT Coexistence website alongside my earlier letter.

Yours sincerely

**David Hendon**