

<p>Question 1: What are your views on the strategic principles that Ofcom proposes to apply to its numbering policy decisions?</p>
<p>Question 2: What do you think are consumers' key current views on numbering, how do you think those views will change, and how should Ofcom's current decisions take those changes into account?</p>
<p>Question 8: Do you agree with Ofcom's proposal to open a new '03' number range for non-geographic, non-revenue sharing services?</p>
<p>I feel that these numbers should not be revenue producing for companies as it is very upsetting to be held in a queue for a long time and to be paying companies for not talking to you!!</p>
<p>Question 9: How should the '03' range be structured, in terms of tariffs and services ?</p>
<p>I feel that Mobile networks should be forced to treat these numbers the same as geographic numbers and include them in the bundled minutes</p>
<p>Question 10: How should the '08' range be structured, in terms of tariffs and services?</p>
<p>Ofcom should ensure that calls to this range of numbers is capped pricewise by the mobile operators at a nominal fee or included in the bundled minutes of contracts. There should be a message to state how much the call costs if it is from a network that charges for these calls</p>
<p>Question 11: Which broad approach should Ofcom take to structuring the '09' range, and if a re-structured '09' range is preferred how would you arrange the different types of '09' services (e.g., according to price per minute, price per call, inclusion of adult content)?</p>

I feel that there must be a meaningful deposit paid by any operator of 09xx numbers and this should be held back and companies barred from using these numbers if abused. There should also be a check of suitability for anyone wanting to use these numbers.

There should also be a brief recorded message before the charging period informing callers of the full cost of the call.

Question 14:

Do you agree that personal numbers should have a tariff ceiling (or recorded message) to restore trust in those numbers? If so, what level, and should that ceiling include the cost of recorded messages?

Personal numbers should not be revenue sharing and the cost should be stated in a recorded message prior to the charging period commencing. Mobile networks should be forced to ensure this happens with their service as well

Question 15:

Do you agree with Ofcom's proposals to move personal numbers (with the same consumer protection provisions) to the '06' range and to pursue the direct allocation of numbers to end users as proposed at some point in the future?

Question 16:

Do you have any comments on the use of the 05 number range?

Question 17:

Do you agree that Ofcom's overall proposals for a future Numbering Plan are coherent and comprehensive, and do you have any comments on the timescales in which the changes should be implemented ?

Question 19:

Do you support the proposal to extend the tariffing provisions of the Numbering Plan so that they apply to customers of all providers on all types of network?

Question 20:

How do you think the new Numbering Plan could be effectively communicated to consumers?

Question 34: Do you agree with Ofcom's assessment of the problems with current 08 and 09 in terms of information clarity and consumer perceptions?
Question 35: Which of these options for current 08 services do you think is best in terms of a) increasing consumer transparency and b) minimising the costs of restructuring the 08 range?
Question 36: How might early migration to the '03' range be encouraged?
Question 38: Should there be any PRS number ranges (09x) with no tariff ceiling ?
No
Question 45: If a new sub-range is made available for personal numbering services, how long should the current '070' sub-range remain available for existing providers, in order to minimise migration costs ?
Change at the earliest to avoid confusion