

AGREEMENT TO AMEND THE CORE PROPOSALS DATED 9 OCTOBER 2008

TO LICENCE GRANTED TO BBC FREE TO VIEW LIMITED (“THE LICENSEE”) TO PROVIDE A MULTIPLEX SERVICE UNDER PART 1 OF THE BROADCASTING ACT 1996 (AS AMENDED) AND DATED 16 AUGUST 2002 AS VARIED BY VARIATION NUMBER 1 DATED 17 DECEMBER 2003, VARIATION NUMBER 2 DATED 9 NOVEMBER 2004, VARIATION NUMBER 3 DATED 1 APRIL 2005, VARIATION NUMBER 4 DATED 19 FEBRUARY 2007 AND VARIATION NUMBER 5 DATED 5 JULY 2007 (“THE LICENCE”)

WHEREAS

- A. The licensee submitted proposals as to the number and characteristics of digital programme services it intends to broadcast in its application for the Licence in response to Questions A.3 in the Attachment to Part III and the Letter from the Licensee to the Commission dated 19 June 2002 of the Invitation to Apply (the “Core Proposals”).
- B. The Licensee now wishes to broadcast Channel 5 as a digital programme service from the date of Digital Switchover in accordance with Table 2: Digital Switchover Sequence in Annex A: Part 9.
- C. Ofcom has considered this request and concluded it is appropriate to vary the Core Proposals as requested by the Licensee.
- D. The Licensee consents to the variation to the Licence.

NOW THEREFORE the Core Proposals shall be varied in the following manner:

- 1. By adding Channel 5 as a digital programme service to the list of channels carried by Multiplex B according to paragraph 4.1.8 in the Core Proposals for each region from the date of Digital Switchover in accordance with Table 2: Digital Switchover Sequence in Annex A: Part 9 of the Licence.
- 2. By adding the following entry to the table at paragraph 4.2 of the Core Proposals

Service	Hours Per Day	Days per week	Coverage Area
Channel 5	24	7	Region by region from the date of Digital Switchover in accordance with Table 2: Digital Switchover Sequence in Annex A: Part 9 of the Licence

- 3. By replacing all entries in the table at paragraph 4.2 of the Core Proposals, with the exception of the entry for The Community Channel, with the following entries:

Service	Hours Per Day	Days Per week	Coverage Area
BBC Four	9	7	UK wide excluding region by region from the date of Digital Switchover in accordance with Table 2: Digital Switchover Sequence in Annex A: Part 9 of the Licence

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CBeebies	13	7	UK wide excluding region by region from the date of Digital Switchover in accordance with Table 2: Digital Switchover Sequence in Annex A: Part 9 of the Licence
BBC Parliament	24	7	UK wide excluding region by region from the date of Digital Switchover in accordance with Table 2: Digital Switchover Sequence in Annex A: Part 9 of the Licence
BBC Red Button (Videostreams)	n/a	7	UK Wide
BBC Red Button Digital Text	24	7	UK Wide
BBC Radio 5live	24	7	UK Wide
BBC 1extra	24	7	UK Wide
BBC Radio 5 live sports extra	Variable	Variable	UK Wide
BBC Asian Network	24	7	UK Wide
BBC Radio 7	24	7	UK Wide
BBC 6 Music	24	7	UK Wide

3. For the avoidance of doubt, the remainder of the entries in the table at paragraph 4.2 of the Core Proposals remain unchanged as follows;

The Community Channel	3	Tbc	UK Wide
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4. The variation to Core Proposals set out above shall come into force on the date of this document.
5. This document shall be construed as if it formed part of the Core Proposals.

SIGNED FOR OFCOM ON 9 OCTOBER 2008

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