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Does Ofcom still plan on introducing their recommended suggestions as mentioned in the last consultation, "[NTS: A Way Forward](#)" Consultation like removing the revenue share (hidden premium) from 0870 numbers, and over time, to 0845 numbers as well?

I think the present 0870 effective premium rate where more and more companies & organisations are using (& obviously profiting from by keeping you waiting for long periods) is immoral and a flagrant use of the telephone system to rob & stealth tax individuals without them knowing.