Cover Sheet for response to an Ofcom Consultation

BASIC DETAILS

Consultation title: Telephone Numbering - Safeguarding the future of numbers

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Name   Signed (if hard copy)
CJ Charlesworth

Please make it a legal requirement for companies to provide a geographical number as an alternative to the NGN. I pay a fixed amount for calls which does not include NGN's and am furious that I now have to pay to contact most companies just when I thought I had predictable expenditure on telephone calls. Copanies claims they do not have geographical numbers but it is the case that every NGN is linked to a normal line.