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The Manager
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Dear Spectrum Licensing Policy Manager

**RE: Review of non-assigned amateur and outpost regulator arrangements –
consultation 01/2021**

I am writing to comment on the Review of non-assigned amateur and outpost regulator arrangements – consultation 01/2021.

My responses to Issues 1 and 2 are noted below. I have no direct feedback on Issues 3 to 8.

Issue 1 – Options being considered for review

- I support Option A (keep existing arrangements) as I consider the alternatives will result in an erosion of my privileges as a licenced amateur radio station.
- I do not agree that the benefit and utility would be unaffected across all three options.
- Option B has not been fully explained and lacks detail as to the proposed changes.
- Option C will reduce my protection from harmful interference.

Issue 2 – Proposed content of Draft Class Licence

- I do not support the proposed changes to harmful interference regulation that would impose a “no interference, no protection condition” on my licence.

Yours Sincerely

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