

Notice of Consultation on the proposed acquisition by News Corporation of up to 60.9% Of BSkyB Group PLC (revised undertakings in lieu) – 30 June 2011

The Secretary of State is seeking views as to whether the attached revised undertakings in lieu (UIL) are sufficient to remedy, mitigate or prevent the public interest concerns in relation to media plurality raised by this merger.

For reasons explained in the consultation document below, the Secretary of State did not consult on any competition aspects of the proposed merger.

This consultation ends at midday on Friday 8 July 2011.

Consultation document(s)

[Notice of Consultation on the proposed acquisition by News Corporation of up to 60.9% Of BSkyB Group PLC \(revised undertakings in lieu\) –30 June 2011 \(PDF 132kb\)*](#)

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How to respond

Open date: 30 June 2011

Closing date: 12:00pm, 8 July 2011

Please send your comments or if you have any queries about this consultation to:
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or by post:

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Related information

[OFT report sent to Secretary of State, 22 June 2011](#)

[Ofcom to Secretary of State – further advice on proposed undertakings in lieu, 22 June 2011](#)

[Newco Articles of Association, 29 June 2011](#)

[News Corporation – revised undertakings in lieu, 14 June 2011](#)

[News Corporation – revised undertakings in lieu – highlighting changes, 14 June 2011](#)

[News release: News Corporation / BSkyB merger, 30 June 2011](#)

[Written Ministerial Statement: NewsCorp/BSkyB merger, 30 June 2011](#)

[Proposed acquisition by News Corporation of BSkyB – Timeline](#)

Closed March 2011 consultation: 'Notice of Consultation on the proposed acquisition by News Corporation of up to 60.9% Of BSkyB Group PLC'
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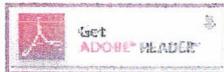
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For enquiries about the consultation (handling) process only please email enquiries@culture.gsi.gov.uk, heading your communication 'Notice of Consultation on the proposed acquisition by News Corporation of up to 60.9% Of BSkyB Group PLC (revised undertakings in lieu)'.

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