

Westminster eForum Keynote Seminar:

Priorities for telecommunications infrastructure in the UK - investment models, the regulatory framework and delivering fibre to the home

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 28th June 2018

Venue: Royal Over-Seas League, Over-Seas House, Park Place, St James's Street, London SW1A 1LR



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Alan Brown MP, Shadow SNP Spokesperson for Infrastructure and Energy
- 9.05 - 9.15 **Options for the future of the UK's broadband infrastructure - an overview of responses to the consultation**
Matt Yardley, Partner, Analysys Mason
- 9.15 - 9.30 **Progress and next steps for the UK's broadband infrastructure**
Emily Clark, Chief Economist, BT
- 9.30 - 10.30 **Assessing the models for investment in UK digital infrastructure**

Dana Tobak, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Hyperoptic

Catherine Colloms, Director of Corporate Affairs, Openreach

Iain Wood, Director of Corporate Affairs & Regulation, TalkTalk

Daniel Butler, Head of Public Affairs, Virgin Media

Questions and comments from the floor with **Matt Yardley**, Partner, Analysys Mason and **Emily Clark**, Chief Economist, BT
- 10.30 - 10.35 **Chair's closing remarks**
Alan Brown MP, Shadow SNP Spokesperson for Infrastructure and Energy
- 10.35 - 11.00 Coffee
- 11.00 - 11.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.05 - 11.30 **Setting the regulatory basis for moving forward**
Yih-Choung Teh, Competition Policy Director, Ofcom
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.30 - 12.30 **The framework for regulation to deliver the UK's broadband infrastructure of the future**

Sarah Hayes, Senior Regulatory Advisor, National Infrastructure Commission

Professor Martin Cave, Visiting Professor, London School of Economics and Political Science

Alex Blowers, Head of Regulatory Affairs, CityFibre

Vesa Terävä, Head of Unit Regulatory Coordination & Users, DG CONNECT, European Commission

Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 - 12.55 **Next steps for policy**
James Heath, Director, Telecoms, DCMS
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster eForum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Peter van Gelder, Director, Westminster eForum