

*These notes refer to the Communications Act 2003
(c.21) which received Royal Assent on 17 July 2003*

COMMUNICATIONS ACT 2003

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 2: Networks, Services and the Radio Spectrum

Chapter 1: Electronic Communications Networks and Services

Section 146: Provision of information by OFCOM

338. This section places OFCOM under a duty to respond fully, within one week, (unless they have already conveyed the requested information) to any request made to them for information about any of the following:

- whether or not the person making the request is required under section 33 to notify OFCOM in advance of his intention to provide a network, service or associated facility;
- whether a notification submitted by that person under section 33 is satisfactory;
- that person's rights, in order to allow him to negotiate his right to network access; or
- what is required of that person under section 106 in order to make an application in respect of the electronic communications code.

This section implements Article 9 of the Authorisation Directive.