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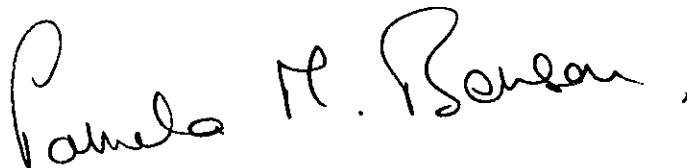
The Organizers.
BBC Charter Review Consultation.
Department for Culture, Media and Sport.
2-4 Coospur Street,
London. SW1Y 5DH.

Dear Sirs / Madams.

Ref. BBC Charter Review Public Consultation - enclosed leaflet

1. There are no (or, should be) no adverts.
2. ~~I&xI&~~ I'm not really qualified to answer, as I do not use the internet or web site as I have no computer or E.Mail address. I am computer illiterate.
I do have a digital box for our T.V. and appreciate 24hour news and Freeview.
3. There does not seem to be nearly as much good quality drama on BBC TV as there used to be.
4. Definatly not. I am strongly opposed to any commercial advertizing on BBC and in fact dislike intently, the commercialization that is, in fact, happening, in a subtle way.
5. The BBC should be paid for by a licence fee, to keep it independant of government control, which presumably, is what happens, if it should be run from taxpayers money.
6. I am not qualified to answer this.
7. Again, I am not qualified to answer this.
8. Way back, in 1988, I wrote a complaining letter to the BBC. It was passed right through to the Executive Producer of the program. Although I was the only complainant, my letter was fully and satisfactorily answered.

Yours faithfully,



(Mrs P.M.Benson)