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Charter Reviews

Consultation

Department of Culture & Sport.

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Dear Sir / Madam

In reply to your "Year 54  
pamphlet" :-

Quet. I. News and educational  
coverage

Your Sport coverage is rather  
unfair and undemocratic

You are supposed to be the  
country's educational media; you  
certainly do not educate the  
public into the range of sports

available with all the major  
 sports in the country I feel  
 to see why, at least 1 Hour  
 of any of these Finals cannot  
 be shown. E.g. We do not  
 see 1 Hour of Fencing,

Shooting, Archery, Gymnastics,  
 Martial arts. You are going  
 to give the usual reflex-  
 - all these are minority sports,  
 yes they are in the minority  
 because you don't cover them  
 in order to educate and  
 popularise them. You are  
 interested in the Money  
 orientated sports which the  
 gambling, drinking, & share  
 holder fraternity.

These are all sports which financially can sustain themselves.

The Pure amateur sports that need coverage and increased membership to survive and assist in the countries supposedly 'Keep fit' programmes do not get the necessary coverage.

We get '1st. Black' or 'Whitlands' for breakfast! Dinner! Tea & Supper for a month.

Tennis, foot ball, the two legged racers, Athletics - Never ending. Not only do you persist in showing the event -

You have to use the precious time for other sports by playing or showing 'Back Shots' or matches.

If you cannot stay in business by showing genuine variety.

Then you might as well give up or keep to a separate channel for all sporting events

Fencers in Farin udder spend a thousand pounds plus to keep Britain's Fenwick flag flying throughout the world. They deserve coverage as do the other Minor sports. Which you are help nig to keep MINOR. So no excuses please.

5.  
All you have to do is  
keep in touch with the  
organisations bodies and find  
out when their finals are on.  
As you so good at Research!

3<sup>rd</sup> Quest: Radio 4 excellent.

2<sup>nd</sup> Quest - I abstain, I do not  
know enough to comment.

4<sup>th</sup> Quest: There should be no need  
of commercial operation  
You should have quality  
unadulterated programmes.

5<sup>th</sup> Quest: - should remain  
payable in the usual way.

6. I do not think the organization is up to scratch. If there are too many top presentation jobs going to the same presentors, and of course, the lack of decent sports coverage.

In WAR reporting, I think the War department needs to keep a tighter reign on your reporting for too much information is being given out to the enemy, who's running the war. The News Media of the W Dept.?

7. Well you have your opinions will you act on them is the question

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May I add the programme  
recently shown - 'Your life  
in their hands' was superb.  
When I did my nursing  
training, way back, we would  
have given our R.I. arm to have  
been able to look over the shoulders  
of the surgeon doing it & treated.

I don't know about those  
footballers having the money  
and accolades they have. I  
think those brilliant surgeons  
should all be knighted.

God Bless them for developing  
and exercising their  
brilliant talents for the  
constructive benefit of society

8.

Yours Sincerely,  
Nymphod. Heyman.

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P.S. I would be obliged  
to have your reply.

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