

31st March, 2005.

Sir/Madam,

As I am as a supporter

of the BBC, I feel that the organisation should restrict itself to demands that would not otherwise be broadcast. They should be of quality and reflect the essential Britishness of the nation, instead of pandering to all and sundry. Britain is after all an amalgam of the English, Welsh, Scots & N. Irish (stretching a point!).

With the addition of the World service; R2, R3, R4, R5, and BBC 1, 2, 3 & 4 are the only irreplaceable services. R3 should be made suitable to a larger audience.

The suggestions should result in savings, which together with a lowering of the licence (and fewer people ridiculously threatened with prison for non-payment!).

Could I suggest the BBC moves out of London, which is non-foreign to the rest of the country in many ways.

An additional feature could be a national sports channel, covering the less popular sports also, but certainly covering sports of national interest as much as possible to endeavor to draw the nation together.

Yours sincerely,

John Carpenter

