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The independent Press Recognition Panel (PRP) was established by Royal Charter as part of the new system of regulatory oversight to ensure the freedom of the press whilst also protecting the interests of the public.

Our Charter requires us to report annually on any success or failure of the recognition system, and we will fulfil this requirement when we publish our third report on the system in autumn 2018.

To help inform the report, we are gathering views on the extent to which the recognition system has succeeded in its aims. We welcome IPSO's views.

As have our previous reports and some of our other public briefings, the report will refer to IPSO and the extent to which IPSO meets the Royal Charter recognition criteria, based on any facts or evidence available to us. Given recent public interest and comment by IPSO itself on IPSO's arbitration scheme, that scheme (including both its coverage of publishers and operational rules) is likely to be a particular area of focus for us.

We are obviously keen to ensure that what we say is as fully informed as possible. Is there is any information that you would like to provide to assist us with this? We will obviously publish your response and any information supplied. We are also making similar inquiries of a number of relevant publishers which are not members of IPSO.

Yours sincerely,

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