# Summary Information

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| Topic: | Consultation on On the delivery plan for Network Evolution – Communications Hubs and Networks |
| Due Date / Time: | 1600 on 7 May 2021 |
| Submit to: | consultations@smartdcc.co.uk |
| Respondent Classification: | [This blank template is DCC Public - Respondent to classify their response - Public / Confidential] |
| Respondent: | [Respondent to add] |
| Contact Name: | [Respondent to add] |
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| Contact Telephone Number: | [Respondent to add] |

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# Responses to the consultation questions

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| Num | Question | Response |
| 1 | Do you support DCC’s shift-left strategy for testing, including that there are no obligations on DCC Users to undertake testing? If not, please explain why. | Response here – table will resize to accommodate text |
| 2 | Do you support DCC’s testing approach for the CH&N programme. Are there steps missing or unnecessary activities? Please provide a rationale for your position.  |  |
| 3 | Do you support DCC’s proposals for go-live using two milestones in readiness for Initial Pallet Validation and Mass Manufacture? Please provide a rationale for your response. |  |
| 4 | Do you support DCC’s proposals for non-mandated IPV, including that there are no obligations on DCC Users to undertake this activity? If not, please explain why.  |  |
| 5 | Do you consider DCC’s assessment of the issues for transition to 4G CHs to be complete? Please provide a rationale for your response.  |  |
| 6 | Do you support DCC’s approach for managing industry’s transition to 4G CHs? Are there steps in the roadmap that are unnecessary or others that have not been included?  |  |
| 7 | We would welcome comments on DCC’s lessons learned. Are there any we have not listed, or lessons in the list which should be discounted?  |  |
| 8 | Do you support DCC’s approach to managing contingency for CH&N delivery? Please explain why. |  |
| 9 | Do you agree with our assessment of external change which could impact or be impacted by CH&N delivery? Is there change that we have not considered?  |  |
| 10 | Do you agree with our assumptions for CH&N delivery? Are there any which have not been included but should have been?  |  |
| 11 | Do you agree with our assessment of dependencies for CH&N delivery? Are there any which have not been included but should have been?  |  |
| 12 | Do you agree with our assessment of risks for CH&N delivery? Are there any which are not included but should have been?  |  |
| 13 | Do you agree with our assessment of opportunities for CH&N delivery? Are there any which are not included but should have been?  |  |
| 14 | DCC would welcome respondents’ views on the opportunities described above and whether or not DCC should incorporate these into the plan.  |  |
| 15 | Do you agree with DCC’s assessment of the key customer steps required to support delivery of the plan? Are there any that are not required or any that have not been included? Please provide a rationale for your response.  |  |
| 16 | Do you support DCC’s proposals for engagement with stakeholders during the delivery of the plan? Please tell us why.  |  |