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Trust response to BBC Executive's Taste and Standards report

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The BBC Executive has published its report into taste and standards in UK broadcasting:

Taste, Standards and the BBC: Public attitudes to morality, values and behaviour in UK broadcasting

The Trust has published its commentary on the report:

[Trust commentary - Taste, Standards and the BBC, PDF \(426KB\)](#)[Trust commentary - Taste, Standards and the BBC, text only \(75.4KB\)](#)

9 May 2008

The BBC Trust Report: Editorial Controls & Compliance

In July 2007 the Director General announced a 10 point action plan to address the editorial failings that had emerged in the course of the year. The Trust said it would review the impact of the action plan once it had been implemented. This review was completed in the spring of 2008 and the Trust's conclusions are contained below.

[Editorial Controls & Compliance, PDF \(104KB\)](#)[Editorial Controls & Compliance, text only \(20KB\)](#)

Supporting Evidence

Independent Evaluation of the BBC's Action Plan

The Trust commissioned an independent evaluation of the BBC's Action Plan and this was carried out by a small team led by Ronald Neil.

The terms of reference for the Independent Evaluation can be found at:

[BBC Action Plan - Terms of reference](#)[Independent Evaluation of the BBC's Action Plan, PDF \(416KB\)](#)[Independent Evaluation of the BBC's Action Plan, text only \(148KB\)](#)

Economic aspects of the use of Premium Rate Services by the BBC

In October of last year as part of its Fair Trading responsibilities, the Trust commissioned an independent review of the BBC's financial and contractual arrangements for premium rate services. The report below includes the review commissioned by the Trust from PricewaterhouseCoopers, the Trust's conclusions in light of PwC's findings, and a response from the BBC Executive.

[Economic aspects of the use of Premium Rate services, PDF \(584KB\)](#)[Economic aspects of the use of Premium Rate services, text only \(584KB\)](#)

May 2007 Premium Rate Telephony report

A report from the Director-General on premium rate telephony and associated issues was published by the BBC Trust on 29 May 2007.

[Premium rate telephony, PDF \(426KB\)](#)[Premium rate telephony, text only \(75.4KB\)](#)

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