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Dear Ofgem.

As part of your review and subsequent report to HMG why is it that you are not demanding greater regulatory power? In my "day job" I run a financial intermediary business. This is a regulated activity overseen by the FCA. We have stringent regulation and demanding reporting requirements. Would it not make sound sense to see an Ofgem with "teeth"?

The energy distribution market is obtuse. It is very difficult to draw objective comparisons when looking holistically at the retail distribution market.

Business needs a clear, transparent road map not one obstructed with boulders and potholes.

I know the issue of VAT is beyond your remit but where is the Value Added in consuming gas and electricity? 20% is excessive and crippling to a small business.

Come on Ofgem, stop being an apologist for these huge multinational companies, generating billions in profits when the small guys are being continually squeezed.

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