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I support the concept outlined by Simon Hackett that the existing structure of DSLAMS in telephone exchanges be retained when the new National Broadband Network is in operation.

Business and consumers are not interested so much in having the latest technology as in having suitable technology at a suitable price. For many customers ADSL or ADSL2+ is sufficient, and these customers DO NOT want to be forced away from current DSLAM-based services to a more expensive National Broadband Network.