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Telephone: wrong number

Useful Phrases

You must have the wrong number

Is that not 556 8790?

No, it's 555 8790

Sorry about that

I must have dialled the wrong number

Can I help you?

I'm sorry, you've got the wrong number

I'll try and put you through

His direct number is ...

Sorry to have troubled you

Transcript

Male: Hello, this is the press office.

Michelle: Rachel Allsop please.

Male: I'm sorry, You must have the wrong number. There's no-one of that name

here.

Michelle: Oh. Can I check the number I've got... is that not 5568790?

Male: No, it's 5558790.

Michelle: Oh sorry about that. I must have dialled the wrong number.

Male: No problem! Bye!

Male: Hello, press office, can I help you?

Ruth: Hello. Paul Richards, please.

Male: I'm sorry, you've got the wrong number, but he does work here. I'll try

and put you through. In future his direct number is 5558770.

Ruth: Did I not dial that?

Male: No you rang 5558790.

Ruth: Oh, sorry to have troubled you.

Male: No problem. Hang on a moment and I'll put you through to Paul's

extension.

Ruth: Thanks.