Energy Efficiency Action Plan for Scotland

Consultation Event

12.15pm, 3 December 2009

Macaulay Land Use Research Institute, Craigiebuckler, Aberdeen

The preparation of an Energy Efficiency Action Plan was a key commitment in the 10 Energy Pledges announced by Mr John Swinney, the Minister for Finance and Sustainable Growth, in February 2009. These pledges form a coherent approach to energy issues in Scotland. Their actions range across key areas of energy generation and transmission, energy efficiency, and transport, and they focus on addressing both short-term and longer-term opportunities for Scotland to benefit from its energy-related competitive advantage.

The Action Plan will be published in Spring 2010 following this consultation and analysis of the responses. It will be based on both the detail published within this document and the consultation responses. In addition, an overview of the responses will be published with the intention that the Action Plan will be a live web-based document, updated with new actions or programmes as appropriate.

The consultation can be viewed on the consultation web pages of the Scottish Government website at <u>www.scotland.gov.uk/consultations</u>. It is also available at <u>www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Business-Industry/Energy/Action/energy-efficiency-policy/eeapconsultation</u>, where a summary and individual chapters can be viewed separately, together with a list of consultees and other energy efficiency-related documents.

A number of consultation events are also being held during the consultation period, hosted by representatives from the Scottish Government.

To register your interest in attending this event please contact Nick Gotts, <u>n.gotts@macaulay.ac.uk</u>