

# LCNF Full Submission

## Supplementary Answer Form

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<b>Question:</b>	Why is there a focus on PV as opposed to alternative forms of renewable energy
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<b>Answer:</b>	<p>We intend to maintain an agnostic approach to renewable technologies. PVs are specifically referenced due to their current prominence in the Feed-in-Tariff scheme (FiTs), general media attention, and more likely acceptance to customers. In a recent visit to our Project Phillip Lee MP (Climate Change and Energy Select Committee member) was appreciative of the pace of deployment of PVs and the imminent implications this has for our networks.</p> <p>Whilst, we will certainly progress with PVs, that does not preclude alternative forms, such as wind, heat pumps or solar water heating. We will develop our proposals taking account of the most benefit that can be achieved for carbon savings, and is the most attractive (financially and aesthetically) to the end-customer, and will therefore be capable of more rapid and widespread adoption.</p> <p>These alternatives will be developed in full when the final details of the Renewable Heat Initiative (RHI) are available.</p> <p>We will draw on other initiatives around the country where other renewable energy deployments have taken place, particularly in the public sector during refurbishment programmes.</p> <p>These solutions will also critically inform new incentives for property developments within the public sector planning process, so that all new build properties can be developed with a renewable energy and low carbon elements beyond existing building regulations, and with the intention of informing zero-carbon home developments.</p>
<b>Attachments:</b>	