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# **RHI Register External User Guide (version 5)**

## **Overview**

This is a user guide for the Non-Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) Register. The RHI Register is a web-based system which you need to use if you're applying to the scheme, a participant on the scheme or amending an existing accreditation. The RHI rules require periodic data to be submitted for meter readings, registered fuels and heat output data for biomethane in order to receive appropriate payments. The RHI Register allows you to submit your periodic data.

The Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment (DETI) suspended the Northern Ireland RHI scheme to new applicants from 29 February 2016. From 9 May 2016, the new Department for the Economy (DfE) assumed the roles and responsibility of DETI including policy responsibility for the Northern Ireland Non-Domestic RHI. We continue to administer the Non-Domestic RHI scheme on DfE's behalf. This suspension only applies to the Northern Ireland RHI scheme. The Great Britain RHI scheme is unaffected. For further information see <u>our frequently asked questions</u>.

You can find the RHI Register here: <u>https://rhi.ofgem.gov.uk/</u>.

# **Other useful guidance documents**

### For the Non-Domestic RHI in Great Britain

You can find general information about the scheme including guidance at: <u>https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/rhi</u>

For the main guidance documents, visit: <u>www.ofgem.gov.uk/ndrhi-guidance</u>

Scroll to the bottom of this page to find our main guidance:

- Guidance Volume1: Eligibility and How to Apply
- Guidance Volume2: Ongoing Obligations and Payments
- Sustainability Self-Reporting guidance (GB only)
- Fuel Measurement and Sampling guidance

### For the Non-Domestic RHI in Northern Ireland

You can find general information about the scheme including guidance at: <u>http://www.nidirect.gov.uk/rhi</u>

Links to the main guidance: <u>http://www.nidirect.gov.uk/index/information-and-</u> services/environment-and-greener-living/energy-wise/energy-saving-grants/renewable-<u>heat-incentive-rhi/rhi-for-non-domestic-customers.htm</u>

- RHI Guidance Volume 1 Eligibility and Applications
- RHI Guidance Volume 2 Ongoing Obligations

Please note that references to sustainability in this document are **not** applicable to Northern Ireland applicants and participants. It is for Great Britain (GB) only.

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# 1. Introduction

# Introduction

We are committed to providing an excellent service to our applicants and participants through our operational excellence programme.

If you have any comments on user experience and potential improvements to the register please get in touch with us at <u>RHI.enquiry@ofgem.gov.uk</u>. We are constantly reviewing the RHI Register to address any issues and to ensure the functionality continues to meet stakeholder needs, and we appreciate the feedback we receive from you.

In this guidance document, details have been removed from screenshots which could be associated with real data.

## **Providing Accurate Information**

It's your responsibility to ensure that the information you submit is accurate. If we subsequently find that the data submitted was incorrect, we may need to take enforcement action as set out in Volume Two, Chapter 13 of the RHI Guidance (Compliance and Enforcement Powers).

To monitor compliance with the ongoing obligations of the scheme, we (or agents authorised on our behalf), carry out an ongoing programme of site inspections of accredited RHI installations.

Receiving a financial gain through knowingly submitting false information could constitute fraud. Irrespective of any action we may take in response to non-compliance by a participant, where evidence of possible criminal conduct is discovered, such as fraud, we may refer the case to the relevant authorities for investigation.

## **System Availability**

If the RHI Register becomes unavailable for a prolonged period we may provide a paperbased contingency system. If we decide to implement this, details and advice will be available on our website. We will also notify all account contacts.

# Disclaimer

This document is classed as supporting guidance and should be considered alongside other relevant documents relating to the Non-Domestic RHI scheme. (The RHI guidance volumes 1 and 2 takes precedence over this user guide).

# 2. Accessing the RHI Register

To open the RHI Register homepage, go to your Internet browser and in the address box type in <u>https://rhi.ofgem.gov.uk</u>.

For your security, we recommend that you activate a password protected screensaver or system lock if you leave your PC unattended while you are accessing the RHI Register. When you have finished using the Register, we recommend that you log out of your account and close the browser window.

A time out function is applied to the Register after 20 minutes of inactivity. If this happens, you will need to log back into your account to proceed.

Use the 'PREVIOUS' and 'NEXT' buttons to progress through the account creation process. Do not use the 'Back' or 'Refresh' buttons on your internet browser as it may result in an application error.

**Do not upload your bank details or confidential identification documents (**for example: passport photos) to your RHI application. These must be posted to our Verifications team in Glasgow: Non Domestic RHI Verifications Team, Ofgem, Commonwealth House, 32 Albion Street, Glasgow, G1 1LH

## **Creating an RHI account**

To create a new RHI account, you **must** be the Authorised Signatory for your company or organisation. This means that you are either the owner or authorised representative of the owner of the installation. You will need to submit evidence of this authorisation for review as part of your application for accreditation.

2.1. The RHI Register homepage allows you to create a new user account to access the system. Select the option to create a new RHI account. Cookie Statement shown in screenshot below will only appear the first time you use the Register.

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Welcome Domestic Incentive	to the Ofgem Non- Renewable Heat (RHI) Register	Enter your login details for the Non-Domestic RHI Register <sup>Username</sup>

The Non-Domestic RHI Register website has been developed to allow scheme participants to perform a range of administrative functions required for the RHI scheme.

The Non-Domestic RHI Register will allow participants to:

- create and maintain user accounts to gain secure access to the RHI Register;
- apply for accreditation for a Non-Domestic RHI eligible installation;
- apply for registration as a biomethane producer;
- maintain details of accredited/registered installations;
- submit periodic information, including meter readings, fuel measurements and sustainability information;
- submit annual declarations;
- access reports

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Login

Create a new RHI Account

Are you trying to sign into the <u>Domestic</u> <u>RHI</u> site?

For advice and guide documents to help with every part of the scheme see our website

View GB Public Reports

For the NI Public Report please visit www.detini.gov.uk

Select 'Create a new **RHI Account'** 

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2.2. The 'Create a new RHI Account' link takes you to a page which informs you that you must be an Authorised Signatory to create an account, submit an application for accreditation, to add / create additional users or to sign a declaration. As part of the account creation process the Authorised Signatory is required to provide personal details

such as their home address and date of birth for the purposes of identity verification.



# **Create a new RHI Account**

Subsection

Please note the following before you create a user account for the Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) Register:-

- You must be the <u>Authorised Signatory</u> to create an account/ submit an application for accreditation or sign a declaration
- During account creation the Authorised Signatory must provide personal details (e.g. home address and date of birth) for identity verification and fraud prevention purposes
- Only the owner or delegated authority (as authorised by the owners) of an eligible installation may apply for support under the Renewable Heat Incentive
- Please ensure that you have read the RHI scheme guidance as well as the RHI Register User Guide before creating an account and applying for accreditation
- Ofgem will require personal information (including either a National Insurance Number or UK Passport number) relating to the Authorised Signatory of an account in order to verify their identity and assist in fraud prevention.
- Any accounts that are created on the register and not activated will be deleted after 3 months.

Clicking on the 'Authorised Signatory' will take you to a screen which outlines who can be an Authorised Signatory for the account

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Select 'Next' to continue.

2.3. When you click on the 'Next' button you are presented with a screen which allows you to add details to register your account.



- 2.4. Fill in the fields ensuring that all the mandatory boxes are completed. Click on 'Next' to continue with creating your account, or 'Cancel' button if you wish to cancel creating your account.
- 2.5 When you click 'Next' you will be presented with a screen which allows you to add details for the 'Authorised Signatory' contact of the organisation. The Authorised Signatory is a 'super user' of the system. This is the user who has maximum access rights and permissions for a user account and the only user that can add other contacts to their account. The first contact added to an organisation is always the 'Authorised Signatory'.
- 2.6 You will be prompted to enter your home address in the same way as your account address previously, by first searching for the postcode. If the system finds your postcode, it will allow you to select the 'Find Address' option. If the postcode or address is not found, you can manually enter the address details. In addition to the home address, your date of birth is also required.
- 2.7 Complete all mandatory questions as outlined below and enter a Username which must be unique on the RHI Register. You must also select a Secret Question and type in the answer using letters only (no numbers or symbols). This is for identification purposes in case you forget your password.

★ Ensure you make a note of your username and secret answer for the future as you will need it if you ever forget your password. These can't be changed once you've set them.

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## **New User Account Confirmation**

2.8 Once you have confirmed the email address you will receive a screen message confirming that your RHI account is now 'pending activation'. An activation email will then be sent to the email address you provided. See below for an example of the screen message, email confirmation and the activation message.



Please do not reply to this message. Replies to this message are routed to an unmonitored mailbox. If you would like to contact us, our details are: RHI.Enquiry@ofgem.gov.uk

The link to activate your account included in the activation email expires after 28 days OR once you have successfully activated your account by setting a password. If your account activation link has expired you can still click on it - you will be taken to the RHI website where you will then see an option to resend an activation link to your email address.

If there has been no activity on the account after 3 months it will be suspended.

# **Activation of Account**

- 2.9 When you log in for the first time, using the URL link provided in the activation email, you will be prompted to read and then accept the new account declaration and terms and conditions (T&Cs) as shown below.
- 2.10 To gain full access to the RHI Register you must read and accept the user account declaration and T&Cs, by ticking the 'I accept' box at the bottom of the page, before you click on the 'Confirm' button. To read the whole section you need to scroll all the way to the bottom.

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# Home Log In page

2.12 To log into the RHI Register select enter your username and password in the relevant boxes on the Home Log In page. And Select 'Login'

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2.13. You will now see your User Management page as shown below. From here, you can make Manage Users on your account, make an application for accreditation, Submit Periodic data, and look at payment history or past declarations and access your Annual Sustainability Report Information.



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# Logout

- 2.14 There is a log out option on the horizontal menu bar. Click on logout to exit the RHI Register. You will be asked to confirm if you wish to log out.
- 2.15. If you click 'logout' a message is displayed asking for confirmation that you wish to log out of the application and if you select 'logout' then you will be returned to the Login screen.

# **Forgotten Password**

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2.16 If you have forgotten your password click on the 'Forgotten Password' link on the login page.

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### 2.17 Select 'Next'.

2.18. You must then provide the answer to your secret question. Enter the answer and click 'Submit'.

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2.19. You will receive an email containing an activation link. Please either click on the link or copy and paste the link into the address box on your main web browser. You will then have to accept the T&Cs again, and you will be taken to a new page. For security purposes you will be asked to select a new password, before you can log into the Register again.

## **Locked Account**

2.20 There is a maximum number of login attempts, and if you exceed this you will see the below message. Click on the forgotten password link circled on the right.

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You have exceeded the maximum number of login attempts. Due to this your account has now been locked. Please use the "Forgotten Password" link to reactivate your account and reset your password. Home	Login Create A New RHI Account Forgot Password View Public Reports

2.21. You will be asked to provide the Username and email address that you used to create your account.

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2.22. You must then provide the answer to your secret question which you would have set upon creating your account. Enter the answer and click 'Submit'.

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**' indicates required information Secret Question What is your mother's maiden name?* Cancel Submit	Enter the answer to the secret question in the <b>exact</b> format that it was originally entered

2.23. After you have successfully entered the above details, you will receive the onscreen message below, advising that we have sent a reactivation link to your email address.

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2.24. You will receive an email containing the activation link. Please either click on the link or copy and paste the link into the address box in your web browser. You will have to accept the T&Cs again, and you will be taken to a new page. For security purposes you will be asked to select a new password, before you can log into the Register again.

If at any stage you enter your secret answer incorrectly too many times you will see the onscreen message below and you should contact us.

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# Login as Proxy

- 2.25. If you are unable to access the Register, an Ofgem Non-Domestic RHI schemeadministrator may carry out tasks on behalf of either an Authorised Signatory or an Additional User who has an account on the Register. The scheme administrator, when logged in as a 'proxy user', will have the same permissions as the user that they are logged in as.
- 2.26. In order for a scheme administrator to log in as a proxy user and access your account, they will ask you to supply them with random characters of your password. You will never be asked to supply your full password.

# 3. Account Management

To make any changes in the User Management section of the Register, you will need to enter your user credentials for verification.

You will be asked to enter 3 characters (selected by the system at random) from your password as shown:

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Please enter characters 2, 4 and 10 from your password.	Manage Account Manage Addition Update Password Change of Owner Bank Details
Username *	
Password *	
Cancel Continue	
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# **Amending Your Account**

Once your password has been validated, a confirmation screen will be displayed:

Account details	Account details have been	
changed		Manage Account Manage Additional Users Update Password
Details for RHI account number	I have been amended	Change of Ownership Bank Details
Home		

The RHI account number is a unique identifier on the RHI Register for your organisation's account. You should quote it in any correspondence that you send to the RHI team.

## **User Management**

3.1 The User Management section (you can find the link to the User Management section on the Home Page) displays a list of options to manage your account. The options available will depend on your permission rights. For example, only the Authorised Signatory of the account is able to 'Manage Additional Users' (create or disable any Additional Users). 🗯 GOV.UK

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# Welcome to the Ofgem Non-**Domestic Renewable Heat** Incentive (RHI) Register

The Non-Domestic RHI Register website has been developed to allow scheme participants to perform a range of administrative functions required for the RHI scheme.

The Non-Domestic RHI Register will allow participants to:

- create and maintain user accounts to gain secure access to the RHI Register:
- apply for accreditation for a Non-Domestic RHI eligible installation;
- apply for registration as a biomethane producer;
- maintain details of accredited/registered installations;
- submit periodic information, including meter readings, fuel measurements and sustainability information:
- submit annual declarations:
- access reports

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Home > User Management

# User Account Management

Use this service to:

- maintain your Account detail
- update your name, address o
- add/ remove additional users
- add additional users

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- change your bank account de
- change ownership

#### Change of Ownership:

Allows the Authorised Signatory to notify us of any Change of Ownership.

Bank Details: Allows the Authorised Signatory to view Bank Details and edit



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Manage Account: Allows both Authorised Signatory and any Additional Users to view and amend their personal contact details.

**Only Authorised Signatory** can amend main account information.

Manage Additional Users: Allows Authorised Signatory to create, edit and disable Additional Users.

#### **Update Password:**

This option is available to all Users. This allows Users to change their password whenever required

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Selecting 'User Management' will display the menu of options that you have to

Are you trying to sign into the Domestic

For advice and guide documents to help with every part of the scheme see our

For the NI Public Report please visit

RHI site

website

View GB Public Reports

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manage your Account

### Manage Account

- 3.2 The 'Manage Account' option is available to everyone with an account. It lets you view and amend your personal contact details which you supplied when you created your account.
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Only the 'Authorised Signatory' is able to edit details for the main account including contact information of Additional Users and adding and removing Additional Users from the account.

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You won't be able to change the main postal address on your account if the same address has been used to define the site installation address of an RHI installation (i.e. is linked to an accreditation application). In this instance, you'll need to contact us either by email (<u>RHI.enquiry@ofgem.gov.uk</u>) or telephone (0300 003 2289).

## **Create Additional Users**

3.3 The Authorised Signatory is the only user who can add additional users to an account. They can do this by selecting the 'Manage Additional Users' option. The additional users will only be visible under the Authorised Signatory's account once they have successfully activated their account.



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3.4 To add an additional user, select the 'Manage Additional Users' option and click on 'Add New' button.

# Add additional user account

'*' indicates required information Personal Details	
Title *	
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	question and answer for the additional
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Last Name ··	
Ministry - Lo Martin	
Middle Initials	
Email Address *	
Confirm Email Address *	
Contact Telephone Number *	Assign the Additional
Fax	User role by clicking in
	the Additional User box
liser Details	
Please select roles for this user	
	Create a Username that is
Additional User	
Username *	unique to the account and is
0	not already on the Register
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	from the drop down. Please type in
Cancel Back Submit	the answer using Letters only
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# **Edit Additional User's Account**

3.5 Using the 'Manage Additional Users' option, the Authorised Signatory can also edit additional user details or disable their access to the RHI Register. Select 'Manage Additional Users' and the screen will display a list of Additional Users associated to the account. Select the 'Edit' option against the relevant Additional User and the screen will display that Additional User's account information. The Additional User's account can then be edited by the Authorised Signatory.

## **Disable Additional User's Account**

3.6 To disable an Additional User's access to the RHI Register, select the 'Disable' option against the relevant Additional User, and the screen will display the name of the user. Select the disable button. It is the responsibility of the Authorised Signatory to manage all their RHI Account Users' access, including disabling accounts when appropriate (for example, when an employee leaves the company). Ofgem is not responsible for managing any account access granted by the Authorised Signatory.

### **Update Password**

3.7 The update password option is available to everyone with an account. It allows you, when logged into the Register, to change your password whenever you think it is necessary. It's good practice to do this at least every 3 months.

## **Change of Ownership**

3.8 When you select Change of Ownership, if you are the Registered Owner you will be able to submit the details of the change in the form below

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Please complete the form below	,	Open all	Manage Account         Manage Additional Users         Update Password         Change of Ownership         Bank Details
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Has there been any physicinstallation?	cal changes to the	+	
Are all installations on th ownership?	e account changing	+	
Have you received your fi	nal payment?	+	
New Owner's Name		+	
New Owner's Telephone	Number	+	
New Owner's Email Addr	ess	+	

Submit Cancel

# **Bank Details**

Please note - As Authorised Signatory you have access to the bank details screen. It is therefore very important you don't share your logon ID or password with other people as it gives them full access to your bank account details.

3.9 You will be able to submit, view and change your bank details your bank details online. To add details complete the form online below:

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Bank Details		Subsection
Please enter your bank details a Account Name <b>Ofgem Test Account</b> Bank Name	Ind select submit.	<u>Manage Account</u> <u>Manage Additional Users</u> <u>Update Password</u> <u>Change of Ownership</u> <u>Bank Details</u>
Bank Branch		
Account Number		
Account Description (optional)		
Back Submit		

The account name will be populated with the account name entered when you set up your account. This needs to match your bank account name as shown on your bank statements

If you wish to change the bank details click on 'bank details' then 'edit' (bottom right)

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This page allows you edit the information,	to view the Bank Details for your account. If you wish to please click on the Edit button below.	<u>Manage Account</u> <u>Manage Additional Users</u> <u>Update Password</u>
Account Name	Ofgem Test Account	<u>Change of Ownership</u> Bank Details
Bank Name	llods	
Bank Branch	Glasgow	
Sort Code	11-11-12	
Account Number	ending in 4578	
Account Description (optional)		
Cancel Edit		

You will then be advised that editing bank details will stop payments until your new bank details are validated and asked to click next to proceed, or otherwise return.

# 4. Applying for Accreditation

Before completing this section in the Register, it is very important that you read the guidance and other supporting documents at<u>www.ofgem.gov.uk/RHI</u> to help you get your application right first time.



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Use the 'PREVIOUS' and 'NEXT' buttons to progress through the account creation process. Do not use the 'Back' or 'Refresh' buttons on your internet browser as it may result in an application error.

An application for accreditation could take some time to complete. Selecting the 'Next' button at the end of each page of the application will automatically save your answers as you progress through each screen, but before leaving the register you must click on 'SAVE AND EXIT' - otherwise your answers won't be saved. Then you'll be able to resume your application at another time.

Apply fo	or Accreditation			
HA100 - N	ame of the installation —			
Please er	nter the name of the ins	allation or biomethane plant.		<b>?</b>
HA110 - I	nstallation technology —			
Please se biometha	elect your installation's t ine plant	echnology, or if you are applying for a	Please select	l
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Cancel	Print application	Save and Exit		

Some questions ask you to choose one or more responses (e.g.: Q: HH100, shown below). You might need to press the 'Ctrl' key on the keyboard if you wish to select multiple answers. You can find the 'Ctrl' key below the 'Shift' key on most keyboards.

Apply for Accreditation	
HH100 - Using heat generated Please select how the heat generated by your installation is used	Space heating Water heating Process heating
HH118 - Supplying heat for eligible numores	

# **Applying for a New Accreditation**

If you own one or more renewable heat installations, you can apply for accreditation for your installation(s) under the RHI scheme (or registration if you're a producer of biomethane).

4.1 The Accreditation section at the top of your home screen enables you to apply for accreditation and manage your accreditation details.



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Home > Accreditation

# Renewable Heat Incentive -Accreditation

This part of the system is for your application for accreditation.

The application form can be complex as it requires detailed information about your installation. Be prepared to answer a number of technical questions and to upload mandatory documents as evidence.

To help you do this it's essential to read our web page for advice and to use our guides. They show you exactly what to do, what information and documents you need to gather in advance to be able to complete the form and even tips for answering some of the most important questions. To go to the web page click on 'Help and Guidance' at the top right of the screen.

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4.2 When you select 'Apply for Accreditation' you will see a screen (above) which you must read before proceeding. This screen explains that you must be the designated Authorised Signatory of an account to sign the required declarations and submit an application for RHI accreditation. Details of other information required to support your application are also provided. You'll need to confirm that you have read this page by selecting 'Confirm to Proceed'; if you don't want to continue with the application select 'Cancel'.

On question HA099 you **must** select the correct country of installation (England, Scotland, Wales OR Northern Ireland<sup>1</sup>). This can't be amended once selected. If you select it in error you'll have to cancel the application and start a new application from scratch.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment (DETI) suspended the Northern Ireland RHI scheme to new applicants from 29 February 2016. From 9 May 2016, the new Department for the Economy (DfE) assumed the roles and responsibility of DETI including policy responsibility for the Northern Ireland Non-Domestic RHI. We continue to administer the Non-Domestic RHI scheme on DfE behalf. This suspension only applies to the Northern Ireland RHI scheme. The Great Britain RHI scheme is unaffected.

An Additional User can enter details as part of an application for RHI accreditation. However, only an Authorised Signatory can sign the required declarations (see Chapter 3) and submit the application.

- 4.3 You will now be taken through a series of structured questions required to enable our team to reach an informed decision about the eligibility of your application. The process involves answering a number of questions about the installation. The key eligibility questions cover:
  - Where the installation is situated (this must be selected correctly at the beginning of the application as it can't be amended). If you select it in error you'll have to cancel the application and start a new application from scratch
  - Is it a domestic installation?
  - Date of installation / commissioning
  - Microgeneration Certification Scheme (MCS) certification if applicable
  - Details of any grants
  - Heat transfer medium
  - Use of heat: what and where
  - Metering
  - Technology specific questions
- 4.4 You may see a message displayed (example below) during your application process indicating that the installation isn't eligible for the RHI scheme based on the answers you've provided. If this happens, you won't be able to progress further or submit the application. The answers you have already provided to earlier questions are automatically saved and your application can be resumed from that point once you have clarified any eligibility information required.



4.5 You can find your saved application(s) by selecting the 'Resume Partially Completed Application' menu option. You will be taken to the last question that you answered when you saved the application.

4.6 The answers you provided during the application will determine the subsequent questions you are asked, and any associated answer validations. Therefore, if you edit any answers, you may experience errors depending on eligibility rules relating to the new answer and / or whether it matches other answers already provided.

The screenshot below illustrates an example of this. In this case the capacity of a solar thermal installation was changed from 150kWth to 200kWth. It resulted in an error message because the new capacity was ineligible for the RHI.



Please ensure any answer relating to capacity is in kWth.

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<ul> <li>HA130 - Solar thermal installation equal to or greater 200 kWth. Sol installations with an installation capacity equal to or above 200 kWth for the RHI.</li> </ul>	ar thermal hare not eligible
HA120 - Installation capacity	
Please enter the installation capacity in kWth	200 🕜
HA130 - Re-enter the installation capacity	
Please re-enter the installation capacity in kWth	200
	<< Previous Next >>

If you see any error message displayed, you won't be able to progress through the application until the information has been corrected.

4.7 Some answers will cause a 'warning message' to appear which will advise you to check / confirm information entered. Although a warning message won't stop you from progressing, you should still check the information is correct.

For example if you enter an installation capacity lower than 5 kWth, a warning message will appear checking that you have entered the correct value:

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Apply for Accreditation         Resume partially completed         application         PMS Submission         Edit or view accreditation         application         application         Please check and confirm that the installation capacity is correct.         © Yes         Cancel       Print application         Save and Exit	Next >>	3		

# **Submitting an Application**

4.8 You should complete all of the relevant questions and, after confirming your personal details and signing (accepting) the Declaration (see Chapter 4), click on the 'Submit' button. This will take you to a screen to validate your password. Then, by selecting 'Continue', you will be taken to a screen which allows you to 'Submit', 'Print' or 'Save and Exit' the application:

You are here: > Home > Accred	itation » Apply for Accreditation	Welcome 'TestFourteen' Logo
Apply for Accreditation Resume partially completed application FMS Submission Edit or view accreditation application	Submit the accreditation application You have now completed all the relevant sections of the application. If you are happy with the information provid submit the application. Once the application has been submitted, it will be passed onto the RHI team for review. Y be allowed to make any changes to the application unless you obtain permission from the RHI team. <a href="https://www.www.www.www.www.www.www.www.www.w</th> <th>led, please You will not Cancel</th>	led, please You will not Cancel

4.9 If you select 'Submit', the Register will confirm that you have successfully submitted your accreditation application. You will be asked to submit the installation owner's ID verification information to Ofgem as shown:

	Accreditation application successfully submitted
d	You have completed and submitted your application for the RHI Accreditation. We will contact you within 20 working days (4 weeks) for simple applications, 30 working days (6 weeks) for complex applications, or 10 working days (2 weeks) for Tariff Guarantee stage 1 and 2 applications to provide an update on progress. Please keep a note of your RHI reference number RHI0000025565 as you will need this in any correspondence. If you are applying for pre-accreditation for your installation, please contact us when the installation is commissioned to provide us with the commissioning date and the meter readings.
	Submission of identity details
	Thank you for completing your RHI accreditation application. If this is your first RHI application, you now need to submit your identity details to Ofgem for verification.

If you have already submitted this information to Ofgem then please ignore this message.

We will review your application and accredit the installation / register you as a biomethane producer where all legislative requirements are met.

Any delay in supplying your Bank or ID Verification details will result in a delay in processing your application.

# **Resume a Partially Completed Accreditation Application**

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# Renewable Heat Incentive -Accreditation

This part of the system is for your application for accreditation.

The application form can be complex as it requires detailed information about your installation. Be prepared to answer a number of technical questions and to upload mandatory documents as evidence.

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> 'Resume partially completed application' can be found on the Accreditation page

- 4.10 The 'Resume a partially completed application' menu option allows you to return to a partially saved application that you did not complete. You'll be taken to the last question that you answered prior to leaving the application (as long as you used the 'Save and exit' option).
- 4.11 Select the menu option 'Resume a partially completed application', a screen listing all partially completed accreditation applications is displayed, as shown below.




Your saved application(s) are removed from the Register if you don't submit them within 3 months of the last saved date. They cannot be recovered after being removed.

# **View / Edit Accreditation Details**

4.12 The View / Edit menu option allows you to view or amend your application once it has been submitted or approved.



Approved accreditation applications can be edited however installation technology and capacity information is not editable.

4.13 If your application has been submitted, and is being reviewed by our team, it will have an application status of 'In Review' and you won't be able to edit it. If you need to edit it, we can 'release' it back to you. Your application status will then be 'With Applicant'.

Edit or Viev RHI Number RH0000 RH00000	Submitted Applications: Changes can be made to any part of the application but only if the status is 'With applicant' Approved applications: Changes cannot be made to information relating to technology and capacity. All other information can be edited at any time
Cancel S	elect 'view' to amend the application
HM150	Authorised signatory – Address line 3
HM160	Authorised signatory - Town/City
HM170	Authorised signatory - County
HM180	Authorised signatory – Postcode
HM190	Non - domestic : company house registration number
HM200	Non - domestic : company house registration name
HM210	Non - domestic : company address
HM240	Company Telephone Number
	Scroll to the bottom of the page and
	application

- 4.14. You must enter the reason for editing the application. Then you will need to navigate through the whole application form by selecting the 'next' button to find the relevant questions and make your changes. After making your changes you'll need to continue through the rest of the form by selecting the 'next' button until you reach the end of the form. The Authorised Signatory will need to 'sign' the declaration again and re-submit the edited application for us to review, as the changes may affect the accreditation status of any approved applications.
- 4.15. If you click on the cancel link, this will cancel your edits in the application, however **the application will not return to its previous submitted status it will be saved as a partially completed application**. You will need to click on the 'Resume partially completed application' in the menu bar, select the application in question and progress it through the application process by selecting the 'next' button at the bottom of each page. The Authorised Signatory will need to click in the 'I accept' box on the declaration and then they will be able to resubmit the form.

4.16. Additional Users may edit an application but will not be able to resubmit as only the Authorised Signatory may 'sign' the declaration and submit applications for review.

# **View Submitted Applications**

4.17 The Edit or View Accreditation menu option lists all your submitted applications. By selecting the 'View' link beside the relevant application you can see details of that application.

# **Uploading Documents**

4.18 After completing the sections of the application relating to your installation, you will be asked to upload certain documents as your supporting evidence:



You must only upload documents in PDF format. You might need to save your documents to your computer desktop or C drive before so you can upload them, or convert them to PDF files.

**Do not upload your bank details or confidential identification documents (**for example: passport photos) to your RHI application. These must be posted to our Verifications team in Glasgow: Non Domestic RHI Verifications Team, Ofgem, Commonwealth House, 32 Albion Street, Glasgow, G1 1LH.

Below are some suggestions if you need tips for converting documents to PDF files:

- Follow the step by step screenshot or video guide from RHI Accreditation team (request this by emailing <u>RHI.Enquiry@ofgem.gov.uk</u>).
- Download Adobe Acrobat reader software free online
- Use a free online file converter to convert the document from its existing file format (usually Microsoft Word) to PDF

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HL110-1 - Evidence that the grant has been surrendered —		document
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Make sure you add version numbers to the names of the PDFs you upload so that the RHI Accreditation team can review your newly submitted document without delay.

# Submit FMS (Fuel Measurement and Sampling) Questionnaire

4.19 After you have completed and submitted your application for RHI Accreditation, you may need to submit a Fuel Measurement and Sampling (FMS) questionnaire. Please see Table 1 in the <u>FMS Guidance</u> to find out whether you are required to complete one. For more information on the FMS questionnaire please refer to the link under Associated Documents on page 2 of this guide.

You can complete the FMS questionnaire immediately after submitting your application, or later by selecting the FMS questionnaire submission from the menu bar on the left hand side of the screen, as shown below. **If submitting an FMS questionnaire is a requirement of your application, we will not proceed with reviewing your application until the FMS questionnaire has been submitted.** 

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4.20 When you've uploaded the FMS questionnaire, you will see an onscreen confirmation message explaining that your FMS questionnaire was submitted successfully. (We'll still need to review the information in it.)

# Managing your consignments

- 4.21b If you have submitted a FMS questionnaire and agreed your consignment classification with Ofgem, you will need to add these consignments of fuels on the register in order to report against them on a quarterly basis alongside your meter readings.
- 4.22 To add a consignment, select the 'Periodic Data' tab at the top of the screen. Then select the 'Consignment Management' option from the list and choose the installation for which you will be adding the consignments listed in your FMS questionnaire.





Home > Periodic Data > Consignment Management

No consignments to display

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Once you have selected the 'Add' button, you will see the following screen in which you will need to type in details of the consignment you wish to add.

Add Consignment	
The acceptance of new consignments may be subject to a review of the installation's Fuel Measurement and Sar regime. Prior to agreement, use of any unapproved/unaccepted consignment will produce a periodic data excep	
Fuel Details	Open all
Installation	+
Name	+
Description	+
Classification	+

Once you have entered the Name and Description of the consignment you wish to add, click the 'Add' button again and you will be presented with a box confirming the submission you have made.

4.23 You will be able to delete any consignment you have added by navigating to the 'Manage Consignments' section and clicking the 'delete' button alongside the consignment you wish to delete.

# **Respond to Queries from Ofgem**

- 4.24 Once you have submitted an accreditation application, it becomes available to our team for review. During the review process, we may send queries back to you about the application.
- 4.25 We'll send all queries, via email, to the authorised signatory. If we are asking you to edit an answer on the application, you'll need to edit your submission on the Register.
- 4.26 If we have a query on the application, your application status will read 'With applicant'. Go into the application and you'll be able to review the application from the beginning of the questions and then amend the relevant details as requested. In some cases you may just need to respond to the queries by email. If so we'll indicate this when we raise the query.
- 4.27 You must submit all information that directly relates to your installation via the RHI Register. This helps to ensure data integrity and a proper audit trail, and minimises the time taken to process your application. (The bank account and ID verification details form is an exception to this as it must be printed, completed and posted to us see 4.18.) There could also be other exceptional circumstances when we may ask you to provide us with data or documents via email or post.

# 5. Submitting periodic data for all technologies

# What is periodic data?

Once an installation is accredited, or a producer of biomethane registered, participants will need to submit information on a regular basis as an ongoing obligation and in order for our team to calculate the appropriate payment. Information we require will include:

- Meter readings
- Calculated heat output data (for biomethane producers)
- Fuel data (for certain bioenergy installations)
- Sustainability information (for biomass, and biogas installations, and registered producers of biomethane for injection, GB only))

This information is referred to as 'periodic data'.

Periodic data must be provided for all accredited RHI installations and biomethane producers. If you have more than one accredited installation you will need to provide periodic data separately for each installation.

If your application has not yet been accredited you'll still need to take meter readings at the appropriate frequency and save the information within the RHI Register. This will enable accurate payments to be made if your application is approved.

Depending on your metering arrangements, it should only take 5 to 20 minutes to complete your periodic data submission. Your meter readings should be taken and submitted within your meter reading window.



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Information required for periodic data submission: supporting meter readings for each meter.

Information required for certain bioenergy installations:

- Fuel use data
- Sustainability information (for all biomass and biogas installations, and registered producers of biomethane for injection, GB only)
- Heat loss information
- Heat output data (biomethane only)

Periodic data can be entered and saved for any installation with an accreditation application in a submitted state and not in either a 'withdrawn' or 'terminated' status. The data can be submitted once the installation is accredited.

## Frequency that periodic data should be submitted:

- Quarterly, if the installation capacity is less than 1MWth or a biomethane plant.
- Monthly, if the installation capacity is greater than or equal to 1MWth.
- For certain technologies, or capacities, you will also be required to submit fuel measurement and sustainability information at the end of the quarter (for GB only, see Chapter 6).

You must take meter readings within three days, either side of the submission period end date, and these should be submitted in the Register within one month of that period's 'end date'.

# Submitting Monthly and Quarterly periodic data

5.1 To add periodic data, log in to the RHI Register and select 'Periodic Data' at the top of the screen.



5.2 Select 'View / Submit / Edit Periodic Data and Fuel Measurement' to add periodic data.



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A list of the installations related to your account and eligible for periodic submission will be displayed. Hover over the installation to view the full name as shown above.

Once selected, all of the periodic submissions relating to that installation will be shown with status and available actions e.g. 'Record/Submit'.

# Please note that the below table is scrollable

# **Periodic Data Submission**

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Please select the installation RHI00000(

#### Period Dates

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Status Action New/Pending Approved Approved Approved Approved

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# **Recording / Submitting Periodic Data (EXCLUDING BIOMETHANE)**

5.3 Select 'Record / Submit' to add periodic data. You will see a meter grid based on your accreditation application where you enter the meter readings and the respective readings dates for each meter which makes up your installation. If you are submitting a number of meter readings, you'll notice that when you select the meter reading date for your first meter, the dates for the rest of your meters will automatically populate with the same date.

# **Periodic Data Submission**

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# **Installation Details**

Installation name: RHI Number: RHI00000

Back	Save	Calculate EHO/Payment Details	Cancel	Print	Enter Sustainability Information
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# Year 6, PDS 2, 17 May 2019 - 16 August 2019

Meter label	Meter serial number	Meter description	Previous Meter reading (kWhth)	Actual meter reading (kWhth)	Meter reading date	Requirement for data to be estimated 0
M001.00	13-008097 -	Heat Meter No 1	93220			
M002.00	12-	Heat Meter 3	2210660			
M003.00	6151	Meter to replace	675660			1
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Please note you should only tick the 'Requirement for data to be estimated' box if you have agreed in advance with Ofgem that estimated data can be submitted for the period.

5.4 After you enter your meter reading information you should select 'Calculate EHO/Payment Details' to calculate your heat output data, including eligible heat output and payment. Note, this is not the end of the submission process.

<u>Year 6, PDS 2, 17 May 2019 - 16 August 2019</u>	+
Eligible heat output(kWhth) and Payment Details	-
Heat generated by the installation(kWhth)	
200000	
Heat used for eligible purposes(kWhth)	
197969	
Total Heat generated by all the plants supplying heat to the heating system(kWhth)	
200000	
Qualifying percentage	
100	
Eligible Percentage	
Eligible heat output	
197969.0	
Payment Value	
15296.45	
Submission Exceptions	+
Back Save Submit Update Cancel Print Enter Sustainability Information	

5.5 If there are any exceptions generated by your meter readings, you must provide reasons for these. If at this stage you notice any information is incorrect you should select 'update' to edit your meter reading details.

## **Submission Exceptions**

Exception

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# Based on your meter readings provided, the figure calculated for Hea Generated by the Installation (HGBI) is 25% more than the same period the previous year. Please provide an explanation for this

Based on your meter reading provided, your Heat used for eligibility purposes (HUEP) is 25% more than the same period the previous year. Please provide an explanation for this increase?

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- 5.6 Once you're satisfied, proceed to enter your sustainability information (Great Britain; biomass, biogas and biomethane participants only). If you are not required to submit sustainability information press the 'Submit' button to submit your meter readings to us for review. If your accreditation application has not yet been approved or is going through an amendment you will only have the option to save your data rather than submit it.
- 5.7 To enter your sustainability information, click the 'Enter Sustainability Information' button in your periodic data submission screen

#### View/Submit/Edit Periodic Data and Fuel Periodic Data Submission Measurement View Periodic Submission History **Consignment Management** Installation Details Installation name: RHI Number: RHI000 Back Save Submit Update Cancel Print Enter Sustainability Information

#### Year 6, PDS 2, 17 May 2019 - 16 August 2019

Requirement Previous Actual for data to be Meter Meter serial Meter meter Meter Meter description estimated label number reading reading reading date 0 (kWhth) (kWhth)

Heat Meter No 1

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5.8 You will see a drop-down menu showing the different options for demonstrating compliance with the sustainability requirements. If you are not sure which reporting route is most appropriate for your installation please refer to chapter 4 of the <u>RHI</u> <u>quidance volume 2</u> for further information.

	Measurement
	View Periodic Submission History
	Consignment Management
From 5 October 2015 all fuel used must meet the sustainability req provide information about the sustainability of the fuels used in eac prior to 5th October).	uirements. From this date, participants must h quarter (even if the fuel was purchased/received
Please state which route of compliance you used to demonstrate yo	ou met the sustainability criteria for this quarter
Please select	$\checkmark$

Back to Periodic Submission Page

## The Biomass Suppliers List/ Sustainable Fuel Register route of compliance

5.8a If you have selected the 'Using fuels listed on the Biomass Suppliers List (BSL)' or 'Using fuels listed on the Sustainable Fuel Register (SFR)' option, you will see a box that allows you to select the list that you have sourced your fuel(s) from.

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Please state which route of co	51	bility criteria for this quarter
Using fuels listed on the Bioma	Submit Cancel	FR)

Once you have selected the list that you are reporting against you will be asked to provide the authorisation number of the fuel(s) you have used in the quarter. Once you have completed this, select the 'Submit' button to submit that information to Ofgem.

The details will be summarised in a table.

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If you have used more than one authorised fuel during the quarter, you can submit these by clicking again on "Add BSL or SFR info", and following the same steps. The details will be summarised after each submission.

# Biomass Supplier List (BSL) or Sustainable Fuel Register (SFR) information



## The self-reporting route of compliance

5.8b If you have selected the 'Self-reporting' option, you will see a box that allows you to select the consignment you wish to report against and provide the necessary declarations for that consignment. If you need to add a new consignment, you should first add this via the 'Consignment Management' area as described in sections 4.21-4.22.

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Once you have provided the necessary declarations for your consignments, click the 'Submit' button and you will see a table summarising the information you provided for the consignment in question.

Consignment	Was the consignment waste?	Did the consignment meet the land criteria for this quarter?	Did the consignment meet the GHG emissions criteria for this quarter?	What were the GHG emissions associated with the consignment for this quarter?	GHG Emission unit of measure	Action
Oat Husk Pellets - 1	Yes					Delete
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Back to Period	dic Submission Pa	age Add Self rep	orting Info			

# **Self Reporting Information**

## The Renewables Obligation (RO) route of compliance

5.8c If you have selected the 'Accredited under the RO scheme' option, you will be asked to provide a declaration that your CHP installation is currently accredited under the RO scheme and complying with the sustainability criteria of the RO scheme.



# Once you have provided a declaration to confirm this is the case you will see a table summarising the information you provided.

From 5 October 2015 all fuel used must meet the sustainability requirements. From this date, participants must provide information about the sustainability of the fuels used in each quarter (even if the fuel was purchased/received prior to 5th October).



Back to Periodic Submission Page

5.9 Once you have entered your sustainability information using one of the routes above, click the 'Back to Periodic Submission Page' and then click 'Submit' to submit your meter readings and sustainability information to us for review. If your accreditation application has not yet been approved or is going through an amendment you will only have the option to save your data rather than submit it.

If you experience issues with submitting your data, contact the Enquiries team on <u>RHI.Enquiry@ofgem.gov.uk</u>.

# **Record/Submit Periodic Data (BIOMETHANE ONLY)**

5.10 Select 'Record/Submit' to add periodic data. You will be presented with a Heat Output data section, where you will be required to complete details on heat supplied etc.

	Eligible heat output(kWhth) and Payment Details	Enter your heat supplied data here
	Heat supplied to the biogas production plant(kWhth)	
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	Heat supplied to the biomethane production process(kWhth)	
	Proportion of biomass contained in the feedstock used to produce the biogas, where the biogas was produced by gasification or pyrolysis (no units)	
	Qualifying percentage	
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	Eligible heat output	
	Payment Value	
	Submission Exceptions	
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You will **not** be required to submit meter reading data for biomethane via the RHI Register.

After you have entered the heat supplied details you can select Calculate EHO/ Payment details

Eligible heat output and qualifying percentage based on the data entered are shown. Once you're satisfied, proceed to enter your sustainability information (Great Britain only).

5.11 To enter your sustainability information, click the 'Enter Sustainability Information' button in your periodic data submission screen.

# **Installation Details**

Installation name: ' RHI Number: RHI00000

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You will see a drop-down menu showing the options for demonstrating compliance with the sustainability requirements. As a biomethane producer, you will need to 'self-report'. Please refer to the sustainability self-reporting guidance for further information on this route of compliance.



From 5 October 2015 all fuel used must meet the sustainability requirements. From this date, participants must provide information about the sustainability of the fuels used in each quarter (even if the fuel was purchased/received prior to 5th October).

Please state which route of compliance you used to demonstrate you met the sustainability criteria for this quarter



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5.12 You will see a box that allows you to select the consignment you wish to report against and provide the necessary declarations for that consignment. If you need to add a new consignment, you should first add this via the 'Consignment Management' area as described in sections 4.21-4.22.



Once you have provided the necessary declarations for your consignments, click the 'Submit' button and you will see a table summarising the information you provided for the consignment in question.

# **Self Reporting Information**

Consignment	Was the consignment waste?	Did the consignment meet the land criteria for this quarter?	Did the consignment meet the GHG emissions criteria for this quarter?	What were the GHG emissions associated with the consignment for this quarter?	GHG Emission unit of measure	Action
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Back to Period	lic Submission Pa	ge Add Self repo	orting Info			

5.13 Once you have entered your sustainability information, click the 'Back to Periodic Submission Page' and then click 'Submit' to submit your meter readings and sustainability information to us for review. If your accreditation application has not yet been approved or is going through an amendment you will only have the option to save your data rather than submit it.

Year 6, PDS 2, 17 May 2019 - 16 August 2019 +
Eligible heat output(kWhth) and Payment Details
Heat generated by the installation(kWhth)
200000
Heat used for eligible purposes(kWhth)
197969
Total Heat generated by all the plants supplying heat to the heating system(kWhth)
200000
Qualifying percentage
100
Eligible Percentage
Eligible heat output
197969.0
Payment Value
15006.45
10200-70
Submission Exceptions +
Back Save Submit Update Cancel Print

5.14 After selecting 'Submit' on the Periodic Data Submission screen the details you have just entered will show as 'In Review' and will appear in read-only format

Please select the installation	
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Period Dates	Status	Action
Year 6, PDS 2, 17 May 2019 to 16 Aug 2019	In Review	View
Year 6, PDS 1, 17 Feb 2019 to 16 May 2019	Approved	View
Year 5, PDS 4, 17 Nov 2018 to 16 Feb 2019	Approved	View
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If your accreditation application has not yet been approved or is going through an amendment you will only have the option to save your data.

# Sustainability audit report information

- 5.15 Certain participants of the RHI scheme are required to provide sustainability audit report information on an annual basis. The purpose of this is to verify the sustainability information that has been provided to Ofgem throughout a reporting year. More information about sustainability audit report information can be found in the <u>Sustainability Self-Reporting</u> <u>Guidance</u> and the <u>Sustainability Audit Guidance</u> for Participants and Auditors. This section will provide participants with guidance on the submission of sustainability audit report information.
- 5.16 In order to submit or view sustainability audit report information, you must click on the tab titled 'Annual Sustainability Report Information', located at the top of the screen. This tab includes two pages 'Submit Audit Report Information' and 'View Audit Report Information'



5.17 To submit sustainability audit report information, click on the 'Submit Audit Report Information' page. Select the installation and reporting period for which you are submitting sustainability audit report information. Once you have made those selections, choose the type of sustainability audit report information you will be submitting for you chosen installation - i.e. upload a sustainability audit report or if appropriate, declare compliance via the Renewables Obligation (RO) scheme).



Upload Sustainability Audit Report

Declare compliance via the RO Scheme

5.18 If you are submitting an audit report you must ensure the format of the document is PDF. A box pop up will appear on the screen that will allow you to upload three separate documents. Each document must be in PDF and must not exceed 10mb in size.

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Select reporting method	Choose File No file chosen		
Upload Sustainability Audi	Submit		
Declare compliance via the	RO Scheme		

Once you have uploaded your document(s), please click on the 'Submit button'. You will then be prompted by a message asking you to ensure you have supplied all the relevant information.



If you are happy that you have submitted all the relevant sustainability audit report information, click the 'Proceed' button.

If you have been complying with the RHI sustainability requirements through your participation on the Renewables Obligation (RO) scheme and wish to declare that you will be complying with the ongoing obligation to produce sustainability audit report information to the RHI through your participation on the RO scheme, you will need to sign and submit the RO declaration.



5.19 To view sustainability audit report information you have previously submitted, click on the 'View Audit Report Information' page. Select the installation and reporting period for which you wish to view the sustainability audit report information.

Once you have selected the installation and period for which you wish to view sustainability audit report information, click the 'View Audit Reports' button and you will see a table listing the submissions you have made. Each item on the list will include information on the reporting method chosen, the name of the file(s) uploaded (where applicable), the date the information was submitted and the review status of the submission.

**BETA** This is a new service – your <u>feedback</u> will help us to improve it. We're currently updating the look and feel of the RHI register. Whilst this is happening, you will still be able to find everything you need to apply or resubmit your data.

Home > Annual Sustainability Report Information > View Audit Report Information

# **View Audit Report** Information

Audit Report

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Reporting period	Reporting Method	File Name	Submission date	<u>Status</u>
2015/2016	Upload Sustainability Audit Report	<u>Sustainability</u> <u>Audit Report</u>	29/03/2017 10:14:46	Approved
2016/2017	Upload Sustainability	<u>RHI</u> <u>Sustainability</u> <u>Report</u>	16/03/2018	Approved

14:19:08

## Subsection

Submit Audit Report Information View Audit Report Information

# Editing previously submitted periodic data

5.20 After you submit your periodic data, you'll only be able to edit it if the RHI Review team set the status as 'With Participant'. Select 'View / Submit / Edit Periodic Data and Fuel Measurement' and then select the action 'Edit' on the period required.

# **Periodic Data Submission**

Please select the installation		
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Period Dates	Status	Action
Year 1, PDS 4, 25 Mar 2019 to 24 Jun 2019	With Participant	View
Year 1, PDS 3, 25 Dec 2018 to 24 Mar 2019	With Participant	View
Year 1, PDS 2, 25 Sep 2018 to 24 Dec 2018	With Participan🤇	Edit
Year 1, PDS 1, 25 Jun 2018 to 24 Sep 2018	In Review	View
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# **View Periodic Submission history**

- 5.21 Select 'Periodic Data' from the top of the screen.
- 5.22 Select 'View / Submit / Edit Periodic Data and Fuel Measurement'. Then once you've selected the installation you can view past submissions by clicking on the View button. These submissions are read-only and are not editable.

 Please select the installation

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Period Dates	Status	Action
Year 4, PDS 3, 23 Jun 2019 to 22 Jul 2019	New/Pending	Record/Submit
Year 4, PDS 2, 23 May 2019 to 22 Jun 2019	In Review	View
Year 4, PDS 2, 23 Apr 2019 to 22 May 2019	In Review	View
Year 4, PDS 2, 23 Mar 2019 to 22 Apr 2019	In Review	View
Year 4, PDS 1, 23 Feb 2019 to 22 Mar 2019	In Review	View
Year 4, PDS 1, 23 Jan 2019 to 22 Feb 2019	In Review 🤇	View
		Select 'View' to view any past submissions

# 6. Adding/Deleting and Viewing Fuel information

Before using this section of the Register, make sure you have read the RHI guidance volume 2.

Please note this chapter is relevant to those installations listed below only. There are additional sustainability requirements for all Great Britain biomass and biogas installations, and biomethane producers which will involve entering information about 'consignments' for some applicants/participants. Please see chapter 4 for further details.

Before you can submit your periodic data, you must add fuel information and fuel measurements if you have any of the following:

- Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) of any capacity
- Solid biomass (of a capacity greater than 1MWth GB Only)
- Biomethane
- Biogas (of any eligible capacity) if the installation uses either Gasification or Pyrolysis to convert biomass feedstock into biogas AND uses feedstock contaminated with fossil fuel

For all other installations or capacities, no fuel information needs to be added.

# Adding fuel information for fuels used in a specified period

6.1 The Periodic Data tab at the top of the screen enables an Authorised Signatory and Additional User to add fuel information.



- 6.2 Select 'Fuel Management'.
- 6.3 Select the relevant installation for which you want to add fuel information.

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Installation	
Please select	

6.4 You'll see the screen below where you can add the fuel information.



6.5 After selecting 'Add Fuel' the screen will display a pre-defined list of fuel types and fuel names as shown below.

All of these fields are mandatory. You can't enter the same fuel twice for one installation.

#### Fuel Details The reference is the fuel name followed by the number, in order, that fuel has Installation been added. For example the first time that fuel has been entered it will be '-1', Installation the second time '-2'. This includes I. deleted fuels (e.g. Household waste -1) Please complete the details below, and then click OK button Unique Fuel Reference is \* fields are mandatory automatically generated but can be edited if Fuel Type necessary Fuel Type \* Please select 🖌 Please select a fuel type from the list for your installation Fuel Name Select the 'Fuel Type' from the drop down menu ~ Fuel Name \* Please select Please select a Fuel from the list available for your installation Select the 'Fuel Name' from the drop down menu Reference Select the 'Fuel Category' Fuel Reference \* from the drop down menu

The Fuel Reference has been automatically generated. You can enter a Fuel Reference of your choice if required.

### Fuel Category

 Fuel Category \* Please select Please select

 Prease select a Fuel Category from the list available for the fuel being added

 Notes/Comments

 Notes/Comments \*

 Please enter any relevant 'Notes/ Comments'

 Please provide any further comments to the fuel being added to your installation

 Back
 Submit

been entered select 'Submit'
If the fuel or fuel type you wish to add is not listed here, please contact us either by calling 0300 003 2289 or emailing <u>RHI.Enquiries@Ofgem.gov.uk</u>.

6.6 After you've completed the relevant, mandatory fields, select 'Submit' and your fuel information will be saved.

Fuel Maintenance	Subsection
	Fuel Management View/Submit/Edit Periodic Data and Fuel Measurement View Periodic Submission History Consignment Management
Fuel was added successfully to your installation Continue Select	Continue'

You'll see the above screen confirming your fuel information was successfully added. An email will be generated and sent to the Authorised Signatory as shown below.

From:	do-not-reply@ofgem.gov.uk S	ent: Wed 14/08/2013 16:36
To:	ExternalUser2	
CC:	Different De side and	
Subject:	khi ruei kegisterea	-
Dear Par	ticipant,	Î
This is ar Installatio	automatically generated confirmation receipt of fuel(s) that have been registered for the RHI installation on Number:	, RHI
The fuel,	Fuel Name: Household waste, Fuel Reference: Household waste - 1, was registered on the RHI Register.	
If you ha team on	ve any further questions about Fuel Measurement Sampling please review our guidance documents at <u>www.ofgem.gov.uk</u> 0845 200 2122 or email <u>RHI periodicdata@ofgem.gov.uk</u> .	<u>/rhi</u> , call the RHI
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### **Deleting and viewing previously entered fuels**

There is no option to 'edit' a registered fuel. You need to delete and add a new fuel. This new fuel will be given a new reference number.

- 6.7 The option to view and delete fuel is available for each registered fuel. Registered fuels can only be deleted if no periodic data has been submitted for that fuel.
- 6.8 Select 'Periodic Data' > 'Fuel Management'. Then select the relevant installation from the drop down list.

### **Fuel Maintenance**

Installation	
Please select	
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Cancel	

6.9 To view or delete the details of a fuel, select the relevant option.

### **Fuel Maintenance**



6.10 If you select delete, you must then confirm the deletion by selecting 'Yes'. If you don't want to delete, select 'No'.



6.11 You'll see the message below confirming that you have deleted the selected fuel.



6.12 The deleted fuel should no longer appear in the list of fuel information and you will therefore not be able to select it when submitting periodic data.

Fuel Mainte	nance	
No data found		
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Back Add Fuel		

# 7. Add/Edit Fuel Measurements for Fuels

For certain installations, you must add fuel information before you can add fuel measurements. See Chapter 6 for help with adding fuel information.

Please note this chapter is relevant to those installations listed below only. There are additional requirements for all Great Britain biomass and biogas installations, and biomethane producers to enter sustainability information. Please see chapter 5 for further details.

Before you can submit your periodic data, you must add fuel information and fuel measurements if you have any of the following:

- Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) of any capacity
- Solid biomass (of a capacity greater than 1MWth Great Britain only)
- Biomethane (if you're submitting fuel measurement data for biomethane for the first time, please contact us first)
- Biogas (of any eligible capacity) if the installation uses either Gasification or Pyrolysis to convert biomass feedstock into biogas AND uses feedstock contaminated with fossil fuel

For these fuels you will be required to submit data at the end of the quarter. Please remember fuel measurements can only be added for fuel types which have already been registered with Ofgem.

For all other installations or capacities, no fuel information needs to be added - please go straight to section 5 and follow 'Submitting Periodic Data for All Technologies'.

### Adding fuel measurements for fuels used in a specific period

- 7.1 To add new fuel measurements for a periodic data submission, select the 'Periodic Data' tab at the top of the page. After selecting continue, select the relevant installation and submission period.
- 7.2 In the screen in which you enter your periodic data, select 'Enter Fuel Measurements'.

#### **Installation Details**

Installation name: RHI Number:		7.3
Back         Save         Calculate EHO/Payment Details         Cancel         Print         Enter Fuel Measurements		
Enter Sustainability Information		
	Open all	
Year 1, PDS 1, 22 May 2018 - 21 August 2018	+	
Eligible heat output(kWhth) and Payment Details	+	

- 7.3 After selecting 'Enter Fuel Measurements', the screen below will be displayed to enter your fuel measurements.
- 7.4 Once you have filled in your measurements select 'OK'.

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* lots ar running Fuel Measurements	the drop down menu	
Fuel Reference Please select		)
Energy Contribution (EC)		
Quantity of Fuel		Enter 'Quantity of Fuel'.
Fessil Fuel Contamination %		This must be a value greater
		than 0
Quantity Unit of Measure (UOM)		
Energy contribution of contamination		
		Select 'Quantity
Gross Calorific Value (GCV)		Unit of Measure'
Gross Calorific Unit of Measure (UOM)		from the drop
kWh/m3 🗵		down menu. If no
		Unit is selected the
Sustainability Data		System defaults to
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Country of purchase		
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Biomass derived from waste		
ay produce		
Land use		
Energy crop types and proportions	Select 'OK' once you ha	ve entered
	all of the relevant inform	mation
Environmental quality assurance schemes		
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For installations using biomass with a capacity of more than 1MWth (Great Britain only), and where fossil fuel is not used for ancillary purposes and the biomass is not contaminated with fossil fuel, there is no requirement to supply Gross Calorific Value (GCV) information. The Register will automatically default to 1.

If your installation is solid biomass of a capacity greater than 1MWth, or biomethane, then you will also be required to enter further sustainability data (in addition to the sustainability information described in Chapter 5). You should input this data on the same screen as your Fuel Measurements. See 'Adding fuel measurements for fuels used in a specific period' for details.

7.5 Once you have selected 'OK' the screen below will appear. You now have the option to add a further fuel measurement, or continue to the periodic data submission.



### Adding further sustainability information for fuels used in a specific period

Sustainability information must be added for solid biomass installations with a capacity greater than 1MWth (Great Britain only), and biomethane producers, which is in addition to the information described in Chapter 5:

7.6 Once you have finished entering your data select 'OK'.

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You can only edit sustainability data when periodic data is editable and 'With Participant'. You will then be taken back to the screen in which you can add and submit periodic data. Enter the rest of your periodic data and then select 'Submit'.

### Editing, viewing and deleting previously entered fuel measurements

7.7 If a periodic data submission is 'With Participant', you will be able to view / edit / delete your fuel measurement entries associated with that submission period.



If you delete a fuel measurement from this particular submission you are not deleting the fuel from your application.

## 8. View Payment History

8.1 Log into the Register and select 'Payments' at the top of the screen. Select View Payment History

GOV.UK Welcome Log out	Non-Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive Home User Management Accreditation Periodic Data Declarations Payments Annual Sustainability Report Information
BETA This is a new service – your <u>feedba</u> Whilst this is happening, you will s <u>Home</u> > Payments	ick will help us to improve it. We're currently updating the look and feel of the RHI register till be able to find everything you need to apply or resubmit your data.
Payments	Subsection
Use this service to:	View Payment History
• View all the details of each paymen	nt
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The screen below will be displayed showing payments made against the installation:

Log ou	t		Payments	Annual Sustai	nability Report I	nformation
BETA	This is a new serv Whilst this is hap	vice – your <u>feedba</u> opening, you will s	<u>ck</u> will help us t till be able to fi	to improve it. We'ı nd everything you	e currently upda need to apply or	ting the look and feel of the RHI register. resubmit your data.
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	Submission Start	Submission End	Payment Amount	Reference Number	Failure Indicator	<u>View Payment History</u>
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8.2. If no payments have been made then the message 'Sorry, no data' will appear.

## 9. Declarations

It is very important that you view and read each declaration before you 'sign' it. You can also print off a copy of the declaration. Signing the declaration by checking the 'I accept' box, as shown below, indicates that you have read and agreed to the declaration.

### **Declaration Signatory**

9.1. Only an Authorised Signatory can sign a declaration. The Authorised Signatory will be asked to sign declarations confirming their agreement to the conditions of joining and remaining on the scheme.

### When declarations must be signed

- 9.2. The Authorised Signatory will need to sign declarations at various stages; for example, for new account creation, at the submission of an accreditation application or when an application is edited and re-submitted and on an ongoing annual basis (annual declaration) when we request it.
- 9.3 When an annual declaration is due, we will send a notification email to the Authorised Signatory.

#### How to sign an annual declaration

9.4 To sign an annual declaration, the Authorised Signatory will need to log into the Register and select the Declaration link. Select 'Sign Annual Declarations' and search for the installation in the drop down list. If you have a declaration that needs to be signed you will see it when the installation is selected. If there are no declarations to sign you will see 'No Results Matched'. To sign you should read and tick the box at the bottom of the page.

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Use this service to:

- view agreed declarations
- sign annual declarations

View Agreed Declarations Sign Annual Declarations

Welcome Log out	Non-Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive Home User Management Accreditation Periodic Data Declarations Payments Annual Sustainability Report Information
BETA This is a new service – yo Whilst this is happening Home > Declarations > Sign Anr	our <u>feedback</u> will help us to improve it. We're currently updating the look and feel of the RHI register. , you will still be able to find everything you need to apply or resubmit your data. nual Declarations
Installation:	Subsection

9.5 After agreeing the annual declaration, you will see a message confirming that your annual declaration option has been submitted.

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### How to view previously signed declarations

Information

Information

<u>View</u>

View

9.6 You can view all previously declared declarations under the Declaration link on the homepage by selecting 'View Agreed Declarations'.



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# **10. Support**

### Access issues and general enquiries

Our team provides operational and technical support by email RHI.enquiry@ofgem.gov.uk or by telephone on 0300 003 2289. Use the phone number if your enquiry is urgent.

Examples of support provided include:

- Account access issues
- Queries on how to answer a specific question (but please refer to any help text in the first instance)
- General enquiries (but please refer to the comprehensive guidance in the first instance)

We will provide support during the following hours, unless otherwise specified.

9am – 5.00pm Monday to Thursday

9am – 4.30pm Friday

Please have your account details to hand when contacting us. If your enquiry is complex, or the matter cannot be easily dealt with, the issue may not be immediately resolved and we may have to call you back.

Information on any change to our opening hours will be published on the Non-Domestic RHI web pages: www.ofgem.gov.uk/RHI.

### Email address for accreditation application enquiries

Once you have made a submission you should email enquiries to the RHI.accreditation@ofgem.gov.uk inbox, quoting your RHI installation number in the subject line. The phone number remains the same.

# **11. RHI Register and Use of Data**

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