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Submitted to Utility Regulator (Support for Decarbonisation Preparation) Bill
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Introduction

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Utility Regulator (Support for Decarbonisation Preparation) Bill

Clause 1 (1)

6 Does this part of Clause 1 give the Utility Regulator sufficient power and/or responsibility in order to help decarbonise the energy sector in Northern Ireland?

Yes

If no, what powers / responsibilities should the Bill confer on the Utility Regulator in order to support decarbonisation, beyond the provision of advice?:

Clause 1 (2)

7 Should the Utility Regulator's support for decarbonisation be restricted to the provision of advice to the Department for the Economy?

Yes

If no, who else should the Utility Regulator be able to provide decarbonisation advice to?:

Clause 1 (3)

8 Do you support this aspect of Clause 1?

No

If no, please explain in the text box below.:

Decarbonisation won't work but will become a priority and knock more important stuff out of the way

Clause 2

9 Should the relevant provisions be commenced immediately after Royal Assent?

No

If no, what conditions or restrictions might be placed on commencement?:

Hold off and see what is needed and what they offer

Additional Information/Comments

10 Please provide information on any other potential amendments that you feel would enhance the Bill and the rationale for those.

Additional information or comments.:

Carbon 0 is not a wise place to pour money into.

Proposed Additions and Amendments

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No, traditionally regulators are weak and powerless. I think there should be more powers to hold others to account

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Should be accountable to others such as department of finance and the nipso

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The utility regulator should be required not just allowed to provide information.

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Businesses and residential properties.

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There has been limited green initiatives since the closure of this 10 years ago. Rapid action is required and the bill should ensure microgeneration eg solar panels and support for community energy companies are enhanced.

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