

## **ADEPT: Consultation Tracker**

### **January 2021**

This document is tailored to provide a monthly overview of key consultations and committee inquiries relevant to the Association of Directors of Environment, Economy, Planning and Transport.

#### **Department consultations**

##### **Cabinet office**

No updates

##### **Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy**

###### **Contracts for Difference (CfD) for low carbon electricity generation: new Supply Chain Plan questionnaire**

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy has opened a consultation on a new Supply Chain Plan as part of the application process to enter a Contract for Difference allocation round.

Opens: 14 January 2021

Closes: 11 March 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/contracts-for-difference-cfd-for-low-carbon-electricity-generation-new-supply-chain-plan-questionnaire>

##### **Department for Culture, Media and Sport**

###### **Consultation on changes to the Electronic Communications Code**

The government is consulting on changes to the legal framework for agreements on access to land for digital infrastructure.

Opens: 27 January 2021

Closes: 24 March 2021

[https://www.gov.uk/government/news/government-reviews-law-on-access-to-land-for-digital-infrastructure?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm\\_source=2d0d519d-5120-4d16-ab17-3fc8cad4c16d&utm\\_content=daily](https://www.gov.uk/government/news/government-reviews-law-on-access-to-land-for-digital-infrastructure?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_source=2d0d519d-5120-4d16-ab17-3fc8cad4c16d&utm_content=daily)

##### **Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

###### **Updating the UK plan for shipments of waste**

The Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs has opened a consultation on updating the UK plan for self-sufficiency in waste disposal, by prohibiting imports and exports of waste to and from the UK for disposal.

**Opens: 18 January 2021**

**Closes: 1 March 2021**

<https://consult.defra.gov.uk/international-waste-shipments/updating-the-uk-plan-for-shipments-of-waste/>

##### **Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government**

###### **Right to Regenerate: reform of the Right to Contest**

The Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government has opened a consultation on reforming the Right to Contest, in order to encourage the right to be utilised more effectively and more widely to stimulate regeneration and the more productive use of land.

Opens: 16 January 2021

Closes: 13 March 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/right-to-regenerate-reform-of-the-right-to-contest#history>



### **The Future Buildings Standard**

The Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government has opened a consultation on The Future Buildings Standard. Opens: 19 January 2021

Closes: 13 April 2021

[https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/the-future-buildings-standard?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm\\_source=1b5a327f-f9e7-4d0b-af88-0b84ec7355e8&utm\\_content=immediately](https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/the-future-buildings-standard?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_source=1b5a327f-f9e7-4d0b-af88-0b84ec7355e8&utm_content=immediately)

### **Department for Transport**

#### **Implementing the Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation**

The Department for Transport has opened a consultation on proposals for implementing the international aviation carbon offsetting scheme (CORSIA).

Opens: 18 January 2021

Closes: 28 February 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/implementing-the-carbon-offsetting-and-reduction-scheme-for-international-aviation>

### **HM Treasury**

No updates

### **Current committee consultations & inquiries**

#### **Transport Committee**

No updates

#### **Science and Technology Committee**

No updates

#### **Housing, Communities and Local Government Committee**

No updates

#### **Business Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee**

No updates

#### **EFRA Committee**

No updates

#### **Environmental Audit Committee**

No updates

#### **Public Accounts Committee**

No updates

#### **Treasury Committee**

No updates

#### **National Infrastructure Commission**

No updates



### Misc of interest

#### **Greening Our Existing Homes: National retrofit strategy**

The Construction Leadership Council has opened a consultation a National retrofit strategy.

Opens: 16 December 2020

Closes: 1 March 2021

<https://www.constructionleadershipcouncil.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/CLC-National-Retrofit-Strategy-final-for-consultation.pdf>

#### **Review of 'Principles for managing level crossing safety'**

The Office of Rail and Road has opened a consultation on the proposed guidance document 'Principles for managing level crossing safety' which pertain to safe level crossing practices.

Opens: 25 January 2021

Closes: 25 February 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/review-of-principles-for-managing-level-crossing-safety>