

Annex A: Response form for the consultation document on revised Funded Decommissioning Programme Guidance for New Nuclear Power Stations

You may respond to this consultation by email or by post.

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Please return by 8 March 2011 to:

Revised FDP Guidance Consultation
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Consultation questions	
1	Do you agree or disagree that the draft guidance sets out what an approvable Funded Decommissioning Programme should contain to ensure that operators of new nuclear power stations (i) estimate the potential costs of decommissioning, waste management and waste disposal and (ii) make prudent provision for meeting their liabilities? What are your reasons?
Response	We support the approach taken within the draft guidance to ensure that operators of new nuclear power stations are aware of their obligations to estimate the costs of decommissioning and waste disposal and make the necessary provision for meeting such liabilities. The approach described provides additional protection to taxpayers.
2	Does the draft guidance contain sufficient information to enable operators of new nuclear power stations to understand the matters that their funded decommissioning programmes should contain?
Response	From our understanding of the matters relating to decommissioning, we believe that the approach does contain sufficient information.

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