



## Contracts for Difference: Stakeholder Bulletin

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### Government publishes response to consultation on future CfD rounds

The Government has today published a response to the December 2022 consultation on considerations for future Contracts for Difference (CfD) rounds.

The response confirms the Government's decision to make renewable electricity generators that directly supply offshore oil and gas facilities ineligible to apply for the Private Network CfD Agreement. This change, applying from the next allocation round (AR6) onwards, will prevent consumers from subsidising renewable electricity that is directly supplied to offshore platforms, ensuring that the CfD scheme continues to offer value for money.

The Government response also provides updates on longer-term policy considerations beyond AR6, including phasing, repowered assets, and multi-purpose interconnectors.

- [Read the full consultation response](#)

### AR6 Supply Chain Plans and guidance now available

The final Supply Chain Plans and associated guidance for AR6 have been published and may be accessed here:

- [AR6 Supply Chain Plans and guidance](#)

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