Department for Energy Security & Net Zero

Contracts for Difference: Stakeholder Bulletin
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AR6 budget announced

The Government has confirmed a budget of over £1 billion for Allocation Round 6 (AR6) of the Contracts for Difference (CfD) scheme.

The budget was announced as part of the Chancellor's Spring Budget this afternoon.

It is the largest budget to be set for a CfD allocation round and will help to ensure that the scheme continues to support delivery of the UK's ambitious decarbonisation commitments.

- [Visit the CfD microsite for further details](#).

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