Annex 1

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| Respondent Details | |
| Company/Organisation: |  |
| Designation of organisation:  Eg. public sector, not-for-profit, energy supplier, private company |  |
| Respondent Name: |  |
| Job title: |  |
| Address: |  |
| Phone number: |  |
| Email address: |  |

| Qu No. | Question | Consent to publish your response (Y/N) |
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| Qu. 1 | Are you aware of any energy efficiency schemes that operate in Northern Ireland. If yes, please tell us the schemes you are aware of. |  |
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| Qu. 2 | Are you familiar specifically with the Northern Ireland Sustainable Energy Programme (NISEP)? If so, tell us did you:   1. design/bid for funding for a scheme 2. provide advice to someone applying for energy efficiency work to their property 3. carry out work as a contractor/installer for a NISEP scheme 4. receive energy efficiency measures to your property? 5. other     If you did not participate in/avail of NISEP, was there a particular barrier to stop you? |  |
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| Qu. 3 | Have you either directly participated in/availed of any of the other schemes, or provided advice to anyone participating/availing? If yes, tell us which scheme.  If you did not, tell us why, and if there were any particular barriers to stop you? |  |
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| Qu. 4 | Are you familiar with how the NISEP is delivered? If so, what is your opinion of the delivery? Do you think this could be improved? If so, how? |  |
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| Qu. 5 | What is your view of how NISEP is funded? (see information within this document) |  |
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| Qu. 6 | What are the benefits of NISEP? Do you have any case studies you could provide outlining the benefits? |  |
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| Qu. 7 | What are your thoughts on the eligibility criteria for NISEP funding? Do you think this requires any change? If so, how? |  |
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| Qu. 8 | What is your view of the 80% ring-fence for vulnerable customers? |  |
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| Qu. 9 | Should a need be established to continue NISEP (or develop a replacement), do you think there are changes that could be made? If so, please provide detail. |  |
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| Qu. 10 | Do you believe householders/businesses would carry out the energy efficiency work without NISEP? (Please specify if you are talking about domestic or business properties) |  |
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| Qu. 11 | What is your view of the importance of NISEP? Is there a need for NISEP, (or a replacement scheme) paid for by customers, to continue to support energy efficiency work in Northern Ireland? If yes, please specify what changes should be made in order to ensure that it is additional to other support programmes, such as Affordable Warmth and/or Boiler Replacement or support available to businesses? |  |
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| Qu. 12 | If you think NISEP should continue, up to what level should electricity customers continue to pay? |  |
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| Qu. 13 | Are you aware of any research/reports or other information that could help inform UR’s equality screening in relation to NISEP? This will include any information of the impact that NISEP has on a range of groups listed in Section 75 of the NI Act. If so, please provide details. |  |
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| Qu. 14 | Are you aware of any research/reports or other information that could inform UR’s consideration of the impact NISEP has on the following groups:   1. those of different ages (including households with children or with members who are of pensionable age); 2. those with a disability or chronic illness and those without; 3. those who live in rural areas; 4. those on low income?   If yes please provide details. |  |
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| Qu. 15 | Are you aware of any research reports or other information that could inform UR’s consideration of the impact NISEP has had on business customers? If so please provide details |  |
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|  | Any additional comments |  |
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