STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2019 No. 1052

The Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme and Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2019

PART 3

Amendments to the Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme Regulations 2018

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4. The Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme Regulations 2018(**1**) are amended in accordance with this Part.

Amendments to regulation 35 (tariff guarantees)

5.—(1) In regulation 35(11), for "The" substitute "In relation to tariff guarantee applications made before 17th July 2019, the".

(2) After regulation 35(11) insert—

"(11A) In relation to tariff guarantee applications made on or after 17th July 2019, the guaranteed tariff does not apply where—

(a) the tariff start date in relation to an accredited RHI installation is earlier than the date given under paragraph (4)(b) or the tariff start date for a producer of biomethane for injection is earlier than the date given in accordance with paragraph (5)(a);

(b) the tariff guarantee has been revoked; or

(c) the tariff start date in relation to an accredited RHI installation or producer of biomethane for injection is—

(i) 183 or more days after the date given in accordance with paragraph (4)(b) or (5)(a); or

(ii) after 31st January 2021,

whichever is the earlier.".

Amendments to Schedule 7 (degression)

6.—(1) Schedule 7 is amended as follows.

(2) For Table 1 (total expenditure) substitute—

(**1**) S.I. 2018/611 as amended by S.I. 2018/635.

"**Table 1**

Total expenditure

Assessment date	*Total expenditure anticipated for subsequent year £million*
31st July 2019	894.04
31st October 2019	920.70
31st January 2020	946.55
30th April 2020	967.99
31st July 2020	983.66
31st October 2020	997.53
Any date after 30th January 2021	1,009.26"

(3) For Table 2 (forecast for expenditure: plants which generate heat from solid biomass) substitute—

"**Table 2**

Forecast for expenditure: plants which generate heat from solid biomass

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	421.00	6.00
31st October 2019	427.00	6.00
31st January 2020	433.00	6.00
30th April 2020	439.00	6.00
31st July 2020	445.00	6.00
31st October 2020	451.00	6.00
Any date after 30th January 2021	457.00	6.00"

(4) For Table 3 (forecast for expenditure: CHP systems) substitute—

"**Table 3**

Forecast for expenditure: CHP systems

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	77.50	1.72
31st October 2019	79.22	1.72

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st January 2020	80.94	1.72
30th April 2020	82.66	1.72
31st July 2020	84.38	1.72
31st October 2020	86.10	1.72
Any date after 30th January 2021	87.82	1.72”

(5) For Table 4 (forecast for expenditure: ground source heat pumps and shared ground loop systems with an installation capacity of 100kWth or above) substitute—

“**Table 4**

Forecast for expenditure: ground source heat pumps and shared ground loop systems with an installation capacity of 100kWth or above

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	26.00	3.00
31st October 2019	29.00	3.00
31st January 2020	32.00	3.00
30th April 2020	35.00	3.00
31st July 2020	38.00	3.00
31st October 2020	41.00	3.00
Any date after 30th January 2021	44.00	3.00”

(6) For Table 5 (forecast for expenditure: ground source heat pumps and shared ground loop systems with an installation capacity of below 100kWth and air source heat pumps) substitute—

“**Table 5**

Forecast for expenditure: ground source heat pumps and shared ground loop systems with an installation capacity of below 100kWth and air source heat pumps

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	9.22	0.64
31st October 2019	9.86	0.64
31st January 2020	10.53	0.66

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
30th April 2020	11.23	0.70
31st July 2020	11.94	0.71
31st October 2020	12.65	0.71
Any date after 30th January 2021	13.37	0.72”

(7) For Table 6 (forecast for expenditure: plants which use solar collectors) substitute—

“**Table 6**

Forecast for expenditure: plants which use solar collectors

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	1.00	0.50
31st October 2019	1.50	0.50
31st January 2020	2.00	0.50
30th April 2020	2.50	0.50
31st July 2020	3.00	0.50
31st October 2020	3.50	0.50
Any date after 30th January 2021	4.00	0.50”

(8) For Table 7 (forecast for expenditure: plants which generate heat from biogas with a capacity below 600kWth) substitute—

“**Table 7**

Forecast for expenditure: plants which generate heat from biogas with a capacity below 600kWth

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	57.00	0.90
31st October 2019	57.90	0.90
31st January 2020	58.80	0.90
30th April 2020	59.70	0.90
31st July 2020	60.60	0.90
31st October 2020	61.50	0.90

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
Any date after 30th January 2021	62.40	0.90”

(9) For Table 8 (forecast for expenditure: producers of biomethane for injection and plants which generate heat from biogas with a capacity of 600kWth and above) substitute—

“**Table 8**

Forecast for expenditure: producers of biomethane for injection and plants which generate heat from biogas with a capacity of 600kWth and above

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	389.84	2.00
31st October 2019	391.84	2.00
31st January 2020	393.84	2.00
30th April 2020	395.84	2.00
31st July 2020	397.84	2.00
31st October 2020	399.84	2.00
Any date after 30th January 2021	401.84	2.00”

(10) For Table 9 (forecast for expenditure: deep geothermal plants) substitute—

“**Table 9**

Forecast for expenditure: deep geothermal plants

Assessment Date	*Expenditure threshold when calculating C for the purposes of regulation 60 (£million)*	*Anticipated increase in expenditure since previous assessment date (£million)*
31st July 2019	3.30	0.03
31st October 2019	3.33	0.03
31st January 2020	3.36	0.03
30th April 2020	3.38	0.02
31st July 2020	3.41	0.03
31st October 2020	3.43	0.02
Any date after 30th January 2021	3.46	0.03”