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Chris

See answer that I received on Friday clearly stating that Northern Ireland do not have to follow Westminster regarding the Wind Energy ROC's.

I have asked for a meeting with DETI Minister Jonathan Bell.

I have suggested to other MP's, including Margaret Ritchie and Jim Shannon (from Jonathan Bell's party) that they should also lobby Minister Bell

Regards

Tom

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The Department for Energy and Climate Change has provided the following answer to your written parliamentary question (17100):

Question:

Tom Elliott: To ask the Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change, whether the Northern Ireland Executive has the option to continue to issue its own Renewables Obligation Certificates. (17100)

Answer:

Andrea Leadsom:

Decisions regarding the issuing of Renewables Obligation Certificates (ROCs) are matters for Northern Ireland's Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment to determine in accordance with the Renewables Obligation Order (Northern Ireland) 2009.[1]

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