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**Sent:** 30 December 2016 15:17  
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**Cc:** 'johnrobinson@dup.org.uk'; Bullick, Richard; Gordon, David; TEO HOCS; Widdis, Hugh; Stewart, Chris (DFE); McNabb, Chris; McGinn, Paul  
**Subject:** FW: Urgent cost control and administrative changes to the NI Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) Schemes

You should be aware of the email below which I have seen for the first time this afternoon. No actual new point, but clearer evidence re timing, and on how the sequence of events was described to officials.

Many thanks.

**From:** Wightman, Stuart [<mailto:Stuart.Wightman@detini.gov.uk>]  
**To:** Mills, John (DETI)  
**Sent:** 17 July 2015 11:40  
**Subject:** RE: Urgent cost control and administrative changes to the NI Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) Schemes

John

I have spoken to the Minister's PS about our Submission on tariff changes to the Non-domestic RHI scheme. He has confirmed that the SPAD has read this Submission and is seeking advice (presumably from their Party) before passing to the Minister. We should hopefully expect a decision during the last week in July when the Minister returns.

Stuart

**From:** Wightman, Stuart  
**Sent:** 08 July 2015 18:23  
**To:** Private Office DETI  
**Cc:** McCormick, Andrew (DETI); Stewart, Chris (DETI); Rooney, Eugene; Cooper, Trevor; Mills, John (DETI); Hughes, Seamus; Smith, Alan; DG\_DETI Press Office; 'Neth\_Energy'; Kerr, Sean; McCrea, Ian; Cairns, Timothy  
**Subject:** Urgent cost control and administrative changes to the NI Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) Schemes

Please see attached Submission (and annexes) for clearance by the Special Advisor and the Minister.

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