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See email below. Can you give me a call on this.

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Spoke to OFGEM this a.m. about joint approach to RHI. They reckon they can do about 50 checks by end March using existing independent assurance. Reckon that will mean £50k to £60k this year. Should be safe to release £25k for PCIs. Talked about waiting for Michael to comment but he isn't here and not sure what he would be able to add anyway given senior agreement to take this forward with OFGEM.

Grateful for confirmation of £25k, timetable now critical as I understand confirmed as consultancy and needing Ministerial approval.