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**To:** [Assembly Liaison Unit](#)  
**Cc:** [Wightman, Stuart](#); [Hughes, Seamus](#); [DETI Energy Mailbox](#); [Dolaghan, Paul](#)  
**Subject:** FW: PRIORITY WRITTEN: AQW 50691/11-16 : To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment on what date will the new rates for Renewabl...  
**Date:** 11 November 2015 16:17:18  
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**Importance:** High

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Please see attached response to above AQW cleared by John Mills.

Regards,

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-----Original Message-----

From: [alu@detini.gov.uk](mailto:alu@detini.gov.uk) [<mailto:alu@detini.gov.uk>]  
Sent: 10 November 2015 17:20  
To: Mills, John (DETI)  
Cc: Robson, Rod; Dolaghan, Paul; McCormick, Andrew (DETI); Kerr, Sean; Private Office DETI; Rooney, Eugene; Stewart, Chris (DETI); DG\_DETI Press Office; Assembly Liaison Unit; DETI Energy Mailbox  
Subject: PRIORITY WRITTEN: AQW 50691/11-16 : To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment on what date will the new rates for Renewabl...  
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PRIORITY WRITTEN QUESTION FOR ANSWER ON 13/11/2015

Tabled by: Steven Agnew MLA  
Constituency: North Down  
Political Party: Green Party

Reference: AQW 50691/11-16

Question: To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment on what date will the new rates for Renewable Heat Incentive come into effect; and why their implementation has been delayed.

Referred To: JOHN MILLS

Date Referred: 10/11/2015

**ACTION REQUIRED**

Please provide draft reply and background note to [alu@detini.gov.uk](mailto:alu@detini.gov.uk) not later than 11/11/2015 16:00

For further information etc. contact:

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**Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment**

**ASSEMBLY QUESTIONS WRITTEN (AQW)**

**Due for answer on:**    **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2015**

**AQW No:**                    **50691/11-16**

**Put Down By:**            **S Agnew**  
**Political Party:**         **Green Party**  
**Constituency:**         **North Down**

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**Question:**

To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment on what date will the new rates for Renewable Heat Incentive come into effect; and why their implementation has been delayed.

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**Answer:**

Subject to Assembly approval the new Renewable Heat Amendment Regulations will come into operation on 18<sup>th</sup> November. There was a delay in securing the necessary legal and financial approvals.

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**Jonathan Bell MLA**  
**Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_