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**To:** [Assembly Liaison Unit](#)  
**Cc:** [Mills, John \(DETI\)](#); [McCune, David](#); [Harris, Michael](#); [Patton, Joanna](#); [Neth\\_Energy](#)  
**Subject:** FW: AQW 32878/11-15 : To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment to detail the range of renewable technologies that are currently being supported and developed under the Strategic Energy Framework.  
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Joanna,

Please see attached AQW response which has been approved by John Mills.

Many thanks

Paul.

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**From:** [Joanna.Patton@detini.gov.uk](mailto:Joanna.Patton@detini.gov.uk) [<mailto:Joanna.Patton@detini.gov.uk>]  
**Sent:** 10 April 2014 08:22  
**To:** Mills, John (DETI)  
**Cc:** Sterling, David; Thomson, David; Rooney, Eugene; Aiken, Glynis; Private Office DETI; DG\_DETI Press Office; Dolaghan, Paul; Neth\_Energy; McCune, David; Assembly Liaison Unit  
**Subject:** URGENT AQ No. AQW 32878/11-15 : To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment to detail the range of renewable technologies that are currently being supported and developed under the Strategic Energy Framework.

DEPARTMENT OF ENTERPRISE, TRADE AND INVESTMENT  
ASSEMBLY QUESTION - NUMBER: AQW 32878/11-15

For Written Answer on 28/04/2014

Tabled By: Tom Elliott

Constituency: Fermanagh and South Tyrone

Political Party: UUP

**QUESTION IN FULL:** To ask the Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment to detail the range of renewable technologies that are currently being supported and developed under the Strategic Energy Framework.

Referred To: MILLS JOHN (MR) on 10/04/2014

Please provide draft reply and background note to [alu@detini.gov.uk](mailto:alu@detini.gov.uk) by 17:00 on 16/04/2014.

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**ASSEMBLY QUESTIONS WRITTEN (AQW)**

**Due for answer on:** Monday 28 April 2014

**AQW No:** 32878 /11-15

**Put Down By:** T Elliott  
**Political Party:** UUP  
**Constituency:** Fermanagh & South Tyrone

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**Question:**

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**Answer:**

Renewable electricity technologies eligible under the Northern Ireland Renewables Obligation are: anaerobic digestion; bioliquids; biomass; energy crops; energy from waste with CHP; gasification (advanced and standard); geopressure; geothermal; hydro; landfill gas; offshore wind; onshore wind; pyrolysis (advanced and standard); sewage gas; solar photovoltaic; tidal; and wave.

Renewable heat technologies eligible under the Northern Ireland Renewable Heat Incentive and/or Renewable Heat Premium Payment are: air source heat pumps; biomass; biomethane and biogas combustion; ground source heat pumps (including deep geothermal); and solar thermal.

Whilst the above technologies are eligible for support, not all are necessarily currently being developed.

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**Arlene Foster MLA**  
**Minister of Enterprise, Trade and Investment**

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

**Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment**

**ASSEMBLY QUESTIONS WRITTEN (AQW)**

**AQW No: 32878 /11-15**

**Background**

1. A similar question has been asked by Barry McElduff (AQW 32403/11-15). Both MLAs are members of the Environment Committee which has been carrying out a review of wind energy.

**Reply prepared by:**

**John Mills, Head of Energy**

**Further information available from:**

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**SPECIAL ADVISER CLEARANCE:**

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

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