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Peter

thanks for the draft - it reads well. I have tracked changes which I'm happy to discuss - they do not fundamentally change the 'case'. One point which is worth a discussion with you and joanne is the leu's. I would propose leaving out that section as I think we had more or less agreed that treating them separately would be difficult re admin and also risk a challenge around the special treatment of/protection of gas. This is my first read and if you/joanne make changes of substance it would also be worth a chat.

I hope this gets to you ok and you can read the changes.

Fiona