

POLICY / LEGISLATION SCREENED OUT DURING THE PERIOD 1 APRIL TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2011

Division	Policy / Legislation Screened out	Aim	Date
Energy	Transposition of Renewable Energy Directive	The purpose of the Directive is to put in place the framework for achieving the European Council decision for a mandatory EU target of a 20% share of the EU's energy from renewable sources by 2020.	7 April 2011
Business Regulation	Preparation of Regulations for provision of financial assistance to members of the Presbyterian Mutual Society	The objective of the Regulations was to establish two schemes of financial assistance for members of the Presbyterian Mutual Society.	3 May 2011
Energy	Carry out a study regarding the need for an Energy Supplier Obligation	The study is to investigate placing an obligation on NI energy suppliers to achieve energy saving targets in the domestic and small business sectors.	26 May 2011
Energy	Appointment of an overarching marketing and communications agency to oversee and develop a unifying approach to sustainable energy messaging	DETI's Sustainable Energy Branch, in conjunction with the Executive Information Services, wishes to appoint a single marketing agency with responsibility for developing and delivering a unifying communications strategy, across government, for messages relating to sustainable energy and energy efficiency.	18 July 2011
Business Regulation	To allow traders to indicate changes to the Value Added Tax rate on goods by way of a general notice for a period of up to 28 days.	The current policy is to allow traders to display such notices for a period of up to 14 days only.	16 September 2011