

ADEPT: Consultation Tracker February 2022

This document is tailored to provide a monthly overview of key consultations and committee inquiries relevant to the Association of Directors of Environment, Economy, Planning and Transport.

Department consultations

Cabinet office

No updates

Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

No updates

Department for Culture, Media and Sport

No updates

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

No updates

Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities

No updates

Department for Transport

Low carbon fuel strategy: call for ideas

The Department for Transport has opened a consultation on the creation of a long-term low carbon fuels strategy for the transport sector.

Opens: 7 February 2022

Closes: 3 April 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/low-carbon-fuel-strategy-call-for-ideas>

Use of maritime shore power in the UK: call for evidence

The Department for Transport has opened a consultation on the costs, benefits, vessel emissions and options for increasing the use of shore power in the UK.

Opens: 7 February 2022

Closes: 25 April 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/use-of-maritime-shore-power-in-the-uk-call-for-evidence>

Transport labour market and skills

The Department for Transport has opened a consultation on the most significant labour market and skills challenges across the transport sector to inform future strategy.

Opens: 7 February 2022

Closes: 9 May 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/transport-labour-market-and-skills>

Mobility as a Service: code of practice

The Department for Transport has opened a consultation seeking views on the content that could be included in a mobility as a service (MaaS) code of practice.

Opens: 8 February 2022

Closes: 3 May 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/mobility-as-a-service-code-of-practice>



HM Treasury

No updates

Current committee consultations & inquiries

Business Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee

No updates

Culture, Media and Sport Committee

No updates

EFRA Committee

No updates

Environmental Audit Committee

No updates

Levelling Up, Housing and Communities Committee

No updates

Public Accounts Committee

No updates

Science and Technology Committee

No updates

Transport Committee

No updates

Treasury Committee

No updates

National Infrastructure Commission

No updates

Misc of interest

Public transport in towns and cities

The House of Lords Built Environment Committee has launched an inquiry into public transport in towns and cities in England.

Opens: 28 January 2022

Closes: 11 March 2022

<https://committees.parliament.uk/call-for-evidence/714/>

Driving tests: improving availability and processes

The Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency has opened a consultation on proposals to improve the availability of driving tests, give learner drivers better information about driving instructors and modernise some test processes.

Opens: 25 January 2022

Closes: 8 March 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/driving-tests-improving-availability-and-processes>



Reforming aviation consumer policy: protecting air passenger rights

The Department for Transport has opened a consultation on reforms to the Civil Aviation Authority's consumer enforcement powers as well as consumer dispute resolution, flight delay compensation and accessible air travel.

Opens: 31 January 2022

Closes: 27 March 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/reforming-aviation-consumer-policy-protecting-air-passenger-rights>

Discussion paper: Meeting future demand for mobile data

The Office of Communications has opened a consultation on meeting future demand for mobile data.

Opens: 9 February 2022

Closes: 8 April 2022

<https://www.ofcom.org.uk/consultations-and-statements/category-3/discussion-paper-meeting-future-demand-for-mobile-data>

UK energy supply and investment

The House of Lords Economic Affairs Committee has launched an inquiry into how the Government can foster investment to ensure a resilient and affordable energy supply during the transition to net zero.

Opens: 10 February 2022

Closes: 11 March 2022

<https://committees.parliament.uk/work/6535/uk-energy-supply-and-investment/>