

## ADEPT: Consultation Tracker June 2021

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

##### **The future of connected and automated mobility in the UK: call for evidence**

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy has opened a consultation on informing strategic policy on connected and automated mobility (CAM) in the UK.

Opens: 8 June 2021

Closes: 16 July 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/the-future-of-connected-and-automated-mobility-in-the-uk-call-for-evidence>

##### **Warm Home Discount: better targeted support from 2022**

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy has opened a consultation on Warm Home Discount: better targeted support from 2022. The department are seeking views on proposals to extend, expand, and reform the Warm Home Discount scheme to 2026.

Opens: 28 June 2021

Closes: 22 August 2021 (11:45pm)

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/warm-home-discount-better-targeted-support-from-2022>

#### Department for Culture, Media and Sport

##### **Consultation on regulations to implement the Telecommunications Infrastructure (Leasehold Property) Act**

The Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport has opened a consultation on the terms which will accompany the interim Code rights provided to operators who have successfully applied for an order made under Part 4A of the Electronic Communications Code.

Opens: 9 June 2021

Closes: 4 August 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/consultation-on-regulations-to-implement-the-telecommunications-infrastructure-leasehold-property-act>

##### **Shared Rural Network Consultation**

The Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport has opened a consultation on Open consultation: Shared Rural Network consultation. A public consultation on additional 4G mobile coverage to be provided in Total-Not-Spot (TNS) target intervention areas.

Opens: 29 June 2021

Closes: 27 July 2021 (11:45pm)

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/shared-rural-network-consultation>



### **Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

#### **Environmental permit competence requirements: changes to technically competent manager attendance**

The Environment Agency has opened a consultation on options for changes to the attendance requirements for technically competent managers, on rules associated with the attendance requirements and implementation timescales.

Opens: 14 June 2021

Closes: 9 August 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/environmental-permit-competence-requirements-changes-to-technically-competent-manager-attendance>

#### **Review of the schemes to compensate energy intensive industries for indirect emission costs in electricity prices**

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy has opened a consultation on the risk of carbon leakage due to the indirect emission cost from the UK Emissions Trading Scheme (ETS) and compensation price support (CPS) mechanism plus feedback on sector eligibility and scheme design.

Opens: 14 June 2021

Closes: 9 August 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/review-of-the-schemes-to-compensate-energy-intensive-industries-for-indirect-emission-costs-in-electricity-prices>

### **Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government**

No updates

### **Department for Transport**

No updates

### **HM Treasury**

No updates

### **Current committee consultations & inquiries**

#### **Transport Committee**

No updates

#### **Science and Technology Committee**

No updates

#### **Housing, Communities and Local Government Committee**

No updates

#### **Business Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee**

No updates

#### **EFRA Committee**

No updates

#### **Environmental Audit Committee**

No updates

### Public Accounts Committee

No updates

### Treasury Committee

No updates

### National Infrastructure Commission

No updates

### Misc of interest

#### **Draft Guidance on the Operation of the CMA's UK Internal Market Functions**

The Competition and Markets Authority has opened a consultation on draft guidance which explains how it will approach the exercise of its new function the Office for the Internal Market (OIM).

Opens: 27 May 2021

Closes: 23 July 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/draft-guidance-on-the-operation-of-the-cmas-uk-internal-market-functions>

#### **TfN Draft Decarbonisation Strategy for Consultation | June 2021**

Transport for the North has opened a consultation on a draft decarbonisation strategy for the North of England – setting out the target of near-zero carbon emissions from surface transport by 2045.

Opens: 7 June 2021

Closes: 31 August 2021

<https://transportforthenorth.com/press-release/decarbonisation-strategy-open-for-consultation/>

#### **Discussion document: The regulatory and commercial framework for strategic water resource solutions**

The Water Services Regulation Authority has opened a consultation on the regulatory and commercial framework for strategic water resource solutions.

Opens: 9 June 2021

Closes: 21 July 2021

<https://www.ofwat.gov.uk/consultation/the-regulatory-and-commercial-framework-for-strategic-water-resource-solutions-a-discussion-document/>

#### **Enhancing climate-related disclosures by asset managers, life insurers and FCA-regulated pension providers**

The Financial Conduct Authority has opened a consultation on enhancing climate-related disclosures by asset managers, life insurers and FCA-regulated pension providers.

Opens: 22 June 2021

Closes: 10 September 2021

<https://www.fca.org.uk/publications/consultation-papers/cp-21-17-climate-related-disclosures-asset-managers-life-insurers-regulated-pensions>

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Closes: 10 September 2021

<https://www.fca.org.uk/publications/consultation-papers/cp21-18-enhancing-climate-related-disclosures-standard-listed-companies>



### **Call for evidence: Financing & capitalising SMEs - APPG Levelling Up Report**

The APPG on Fair Business Banking is calling for written evidence to be submitted to inform its inquiry into financing and capitalising the UK's SMEs. The inquiry is looking into how more diverse funding models can deliver more choice and better outcomes for SMEs in the UK.

Opens: 22 June 2021

Closes: 16 July 2021

<https://www.appgbanking.org.uk/statements/call-for-evidence-financing-capitalising-smes-appg-levelling-up-report/>

### **Environmental permitting: standard rules consultation no 24**

The Environment Agency has published a consultation on Open consultation: Environmental permitting: standard rules consultation no 24. The Environment Agency wants views on whether the proposed standard rules permits, fire prevention plans and generic risk assessments are appropriate to manage the risks of the permitted activities.

Opens: 28 June 2021

Closes: 20 September 2021 (11:45pm)

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/environmental-permitting-standard-rules-consultation-no-24>

### **Meeting the UK's housing demand**

The House of Lords Built Environment Committee has launched an inquiry on meeting the UK's housing demands. The inquiry will investigate the demand for new housing in the UK and how barriers to meeting this demand can be overcome

Opens: 29 June 2021

Closes: 10 July 2021

<https://committees.parliament.uk/work/1328/meeting-the-uks-housing-demand/>

