

## **ADEPT: Consultation Tracker October 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.

### **Key dates:**

**Green Party Conference:** 30 Sept – 2 Oct 2022

**Conservative Party Conference:** 2 – 5 Oct 2022

**Prime Minister resignation:** 20 Oct 2022

**New Prime Minister:** 24 Oct 2022

**Autumn Statement:** 17 Nov 2022

### **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**

##### **WEEE compliance fee 2022: call for views**

The Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs is seeking views on if we should set a Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) compliance fee for 2022 and how this should be managed.

Opens: 17 October 2022

Closes: 14 November 2022

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/weee-compliance-fee-2022-call-for-views>

#### **Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities**

No updates

#### **Department for Transport**

No updates

#### **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**

#### **Funding for Levelling Up**

The Levelling Up, Housing and Communities Committee has launched an inquiry into levelling up funding.

Opens: 20 October 2022

Closes: TBC

<https://committees.parliament.uk/work/6928/funding-for-levelling-up/>

### **Public Accounts Committee**

#### **Creation of the UK Infrastructure Bank**

The Public Accounts Select Committee has opened a new inquiry looking at the creation of the UK Infrastructure Bank.

Opens: 12 October 2022

Closes: 25 October 2022

<https://committees.parliament.uk/work/6948/creation-of-the-uk-infrastructure-bank/>

### **COVID-19 Employment Support Schemes**

The Public Accounts Select Committee has opened a new inquiry looking at COVID-19 Employment Support Schemes.

Opens: 14 October 2022

Closes: 4 November 2022

<https://committees.parliament.uk/work/6967/covid19-employment-support-schemes/>

### **Science and Technology Committee**

#### **Governance of artificial intelligence (AI)**

The Commons Science and Technology Select Committee has launched an inquiry into the use of artificial intelligence (AI).

Opens: 20 October 2022

Closes: 25 November 2022

<https://committees.parliament.uk/work/6986/governance-of-artificial-intelligence-ai/>

### **Transport Committee**

No updates

### **Treasury Committee**

No updates

### **National Infrastructure Commission**

No updates

### **Misc of interest**

#### **Consultation: Net neutrality review**

The Office of Communications has opened a consultation on net neutrality.

Opens: 21 October 2022

Closes: 13 January 2023

<https://www.ofcom.org.uk/consultations-and-statements/category-1/net-neutrality-review>

