

Bioenergy Member's Meeting
10.00 – 17.00 8th November 2018
Aviva, St Helens, 1 Undershaft, London EC3P 3DQ



DRAFT AGENDA

Time	Duration	Room 1	Room 2
9.30	30 min	<i>Registration</i>	
10.00 – 11.00	60 min	<p>Composting and AD- Of interest to ORG and Biogas Charlie Trousdell, Chair Organics Recycling Group</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business rates: reducing the burden imposed on AD plants (Chris Handel, HRC Ltd) Update on ORG/Biogas lobbying activities (ORG/Biogas teams), including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food wastes Farming policy EU Fertiliser regs Plastics, compostables and feedstock quality Questions and answers 	Room 2 Not Available
11.00-11.05	5 min	<i>Room Change/ Comfort break</i>	
11.05 – 12.05	60 min	<p>Heat Policy -Of interest to Biogas, Waste to Energy & WHA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decarbonisation of Heat (BEIS officials invited) RHI regulations and Tariff Guarantees (Luke Bailey, Ofgem) Ofgem Operational Issues (Mark Sommerfeld, REA) Assessing the costs of converting Coventry and Edinburgh to BioSNG, Andy Cornell, APP 	<p>Biomass Power Policy - Of interest to Biomass UK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biomass UK Plan for next 6 Months Biomass UK Steering Group Policy Update – CfDs IPCC and IEA reports – Building on these publications Air Quality Update
12.05-12.10	5 min	<i>Room Change/ Comfort break</i>	
12.10 -13.00	50 min	<p>Plenary – Of Interest to all members (Room 1) Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> REA Update – Steering groups, sector business plans and board changes (James Court, REA) Autumn Statement and Brexit (James Court, REA) Bioenergy Strategy Update (Adam Brown/ Mark Sommerfeld, REA) GDPR update (Simon Buchanan, Recloc Ltd.) 	
13.00-14.00	60 min	Networking Lunch	
14.00- 14.50	50 Min	<p>Biogas Policy – Of Interest to Biogas Chair: John Baldwin, REA Biogas Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> FiT and other policy update (Frank Gordon and Kiara Zennaro, REA) RHI degression and other policy issues related to biogas/biomethane (Kiara Zennaro, REA) Green Gas certification update (Jesse Scharf,GGCS) Questions and answers 	<p>Wood Heat Policy – Of interest to WHA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RHI Biomass Deployment Update and degression analysis. Emission Certificate Issues RHI: Biomass Conversion In Urban Areas Consultation WHA Conference March 2019
14.50-14.55	5 min	<i>Room Change/ Comfort break</i>	
14.55 – 15.40	45 min	<p>RTFO Development and Gaseous Fuels - Of Interest to Waste to Energy / G&P / RTFG/ Biogas (Room 1)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing a position on Hydrogen Findings from the latest gas HGV testing programme Further discussion on Low Carbon Fossil Fuels and whether DfT should support these 	
15.40 – 15.45	5 min	<i>Room Change/ Comfort break</i>	
15.45 – 17.00	75 min	<p>RTFG Policy – Of interest to RTFG</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minutes and matters arising from last meeting Steering committee Discussion of fuel duty decisions in budget Prospects for E10 Report of issues covered in the RTFO Expert Fuels Group REA low carbon transport paper Update on RED outstanding issues Agreeing the mini Business Plan 	<p>Waste Policy – Of Interest to Waste to Energy / Landfill gas/ Biogas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EfW Steering Group Waste and Resource Strategy Grid Issues (Frank Gordon, REA) Autumn Statement – Incineration Tax? Plastics