

Freedom of Information (FOI) request

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Your request:

FOI request

Dear Sir,

Please advise;

1. Your current estimate of the cost to the UK economy of meeting the Net Zero commitments by 2050. Please provide a breakdown.
2. Your current estimate of the cost to the UK Government of meeting the Net Zero commitments by 2050. Please provide a breakdown.
3. Your current estimate of the cost to the social housing sector of meeting the Net Zero commitments by 2050. Please provide a breakdown.

Best wishes,

[name redacted]

Our response:

Thank you for your request. We have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

1. Our current estimate of the cost of meeting Net Zero is available in our [Sixth Carbon Budget Advice report](#).
2. Our current estimate of the cost of meeting Net Zero is available in our [Sixth Carbon Budget Advice report](#).

3. Our current estimate of the cost to the social housing sector of meeting Net Zero is available in our [Sixth Carbon Budget dataset](#). The data can be found on the 'Buildings additional data' worksheet. All measures which require additional investment are split by tenure – the 'Local authority' attribute covers rented homes owned by local authorities and social housing providers. The additional capex is shown in columns QF to RJ. Some of this investment is likely to be funded by central government grants rather than out of social housing providers' budgets.

Information disclosed in response to this FOIA request is releasable to the public. In keeping with the spirit and effect of the FOIA and the government's Transparency Agenda, this letter and the information disclosed to you may be placed on the CCC website, together with any related information that will provide a key to its wider context. No information identifying you will be placed on the CCC website.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. If you are not content with the outcome of the review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. In keeping with our transparency policy, the information released to you will be published on www.theccc.org.uk. Please note that this publication will not include your personal data.

Kind regards,

Climate Change Committee