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Contribution on the hydrogen point. I note that there is a much longer list of recommendations (including on hydrogen) from the committee scrutiny of the climate change plan.

**Thanks**

**8. Hydrogen: The Committee recognises the need for a mix of approaches to the decarbonisation of heat and that the feasibility of hydrogen is still in its early stages. The members who visited the Levenmouth Community Energy Project were impressed with the pioneering work they were able to see for themselves.**

The Scottish Government will continue to assess the role of hydrogen in the energy system, including for decarbonising heat, and will continue to support innovative projects in Scotland. Other examples of world leading projects we have supported include the Surf and Turf project in Orkney which brings together two power sources – tidal and wind – with technology to convert and store excess energy as hydrogen, and the Aberdeen hydrogen buses, cars and re-fuelling initiative, which is now home to one of the largest hydrogen bus fleets in Europe.

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Hi all,

I'm looking to put together a response to the EJFW committee's response to the draft Energy Strategy as well as some advice for Mr Wheelhouse. As such it would be helpful to have a contribution (a few sentences) from the relevant policy areas that have been highlighted in the letter. I'm mainly looking for what the SG have done, are doing and may do in relation to the

recommendations. I've attached the original letter, a summary of the recommendations and also highlighted which paragraphs your assigned recommendations can be found.

Based on current out of office replies, could you get back to me with information by **COP Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July.**

**Thermal Capacity (paragraph 30):** [REDACTED]

**Behaviour Change (paragraph 41):** [REDACTED]

**SEEP (paragraph 45,55,70):** [REDACTED]

**District Heating (paragraph 80,99):** [REDACTED]

**Hydrogen (paragraph 93):** [REDACTED]

**National Grid (paragraph 113,121,128,129):** [REDACTED]

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