

Biomass & Biogas Sustainability Implementation Group (BABSIG)

Thursday, 19th May 2011

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Agenda

14.00	I. Introductions and welcome
14.05	II. GHG lifecycle tool for biomass electricity generation: Redacted, E4tech
14.35	III. Questions and Comments
15.00	<i>Coffee and short comfort break</i>
15.15	IV. Updates on other key issues <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Sustainable forestry management, Redacted, Forestry Commission Scotland- Bioenergy Strategy Redacted, DECC
15.50	V. Table groups to discuss progress and updates
16.15	VI. Feedback from tables
16.30	<i>Thanks & close</i>

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Demonstrating sustainable forest
management

Forestry Commission Scotland

Redacted & Redacted

GHG lifecycle tool for biomass electricity

E4Tech

Bioenergy Strategy

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RHI Policy Document



“..... The Government is working towards a co-ordinated, evidence-based bioenergy strategy during 2011, with coherent financial incentives reflecting the agreed best uses of bioenergy across heat, electricity and transport. Analysis of the best use of biomass forms part of this work.”

Renewable Heat Incentive, Chapter 5 March 2011

Bioenergy Strategy

4 Cross-government workstreams, each of which is engaging informally with external stakeholders:

- **Sustainable sources** – Defra lead
- **Consideration of uses across heat, electricity and transport** – DECC lead
- **Impacts on other sectors** – BIS lead
- **Communications** – DECC lead

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