



# House of Commons

Tuesday 2 February 2016

## PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS

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### ENERGY BILL [*LORDS*]

[*FOURTH AND FIFTH SITTINGS*]

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*Clause 77 agreed to.*

*Clause 78 agreed to.*

Dr Alan Whitehead  
Clive Lewis

*Withdrawn 16*

Clause 79, page 46, line 43, at end insert—

- “(2) Within six months from the date of this Act coming into force, the Secretary of State shall report to Parliament on the impact of this section and any other policy changes to the renewable energy sector with regards to how they affect the United Kingdom’s ability to comply with the 2020 EU renewable target.
- (3) The report in subsection (2) must include an estimate of the cost to the taxpayer should the UK not comply with the 2020 EU renewable target.”

*Clause agreed to.*

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Andrea Leadsom

*Not selected 4*

Page 47, line 3, leave out Clause 80

*Clause negated on division.*

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*Clause 81 agreed to.*

*Clause 82 agreed to.*

Energy Bill [*Lords*], *continued*

Andrea Leadsom

*Agreed to on division 5*

Clause 83, page 48, line 2, leave out “This Part comes” and insert “Sections [Onshore wind power: closure of renewables obligation on 31 March 2016], [Onshore wind power: circumstances in which certificates may be issued after 31 March 2016] and [Use of Northern Ireland certificates: onshore wind power] and this Part come”

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

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Andrea Leadsom

*Agreed to 6*

Clause 84, page 48, line 14, leave out subsection (4)

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

[Adjourned until Thursday at 11.30am]