

# Important Guidance: Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive ending March 2022

The Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive (DRHI) will close to new applicants at the end of 31st March 2022. Within this fact sheet is important guidance for those who wish to apply to the DRHI prior to its closure.

## What is the Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive?

The Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive (DRHI) is a Government renewable heat financial incentive scheme. Successful applicants of the DRHI become participants who, if they meet their ongoing obligations, will receive quarterly payments for seven years.

## Applying for the DRHI

The DRHI is still open to new applicants however will close to new applicants at midnight at the end of 31st March 2022. This means that new applicants must ensure that the renewable heating system is installed and commissioned when the application is made, and the application must be submitted in time and properly made.

## Important documentation

For those who wish to apply to the DRHI, it is important that the applicant has all of the required documentation prior to applying as the application must be completed all in one go. The following documentation is required:

- ✓ Property's Energy Performance Certificate, which must be less than 24 months old when you apply and confirm loft and/or cavity wall insulation not required.
- ✓ MCS certificate(s) for heating systems.
- ✓ Purchase receipt or invoice for installation.
- ✓ Installer Metering Questions from your installer if system is metered for payment.
- ✓ Documentation for any grant funding you have received (excludes loaned funds that will be repaid).
- ✓ Copy of a utility bill or council tax bill.
- ✓ Bank details for a UK bank account in your name as the applicant, or in the name of the company that owns the heating system.
- ✓ Your ID details, or that of the company that owns the heating system.

## How to apply for DRHI

To begin the process of applying for the DRHI, applicants must use the application portal [here](#).

Please note: This fact sheet has been compiled using information available at the time of publication. Government schemes are changing all the time and we therefore recommend you do your own research. For further information related to the DRHI, please read Ofgem's guidance by clicking [here](#).

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