

EuroACE Webinars with BUILD UP on EPBD Guidance Note

***Webinar 1: Long-Term Renovation Strategies,
 the EPBD central tool for Member States to achieve impact***

Thursday 8th November 2018, 12.00-13.15

Questions from Q&A Session

<p>Could we have some examples please? Who's doing well on this - cities or Member States?</p>
<p>The IPCC Special Report on 1.5 Degrees states that a 5% renovation rate in developed country cities is needed to be compatible with 1.5 Degree pathways - how can we push for science-based targets?</p>
<p>Under previous EED and EPBD the Concerted Actions (Commission funded activity to bring MS together on these issues) produced guidance on financing - how can the sector work with the Concerted Actions and will updated guidance be requested by the Commission?</p>
<p>Have there been expressed particular resistance for the amended directive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - At institutional level? - From market stakeholders?
<p>Has the level of ambition of LTRS (e.g. 3% renovation rate) been set considering that results in reality may be lower?</p>
<p>Adrian: you mention the benefits for homeowner in energy poverty, taking into account pre- and rebound that makes difficult to reach the great energy savings you mentioned, quid the financing beyond grants?</p>
<p>Nora: don't you think that long term renovation strategies should also focus on a larger scale than only on individual buildings, regarding the energy performance, with a better integration of renewables?</p>
<p>As an example: would the periodic cleaning (i.e., a preventative maintenance task) of EXISTING cooling equipment in buildings (namely, refrigeration and air conditioning) be included within the scope of the program, as contrasted to the RETROFIT of more energy efficient equipment in a building?</p>
<p>Has there been analysis how accurately the national renovation strategies v2.0 have taken up recommendations from Build Upon engagement?</p>
<p>How will the SFSB be linked with the sustainable finance policy (eg EU Taxonomy) from DG FISMA?</p>
<p>@Adrian: the major change in EPBD 2018 is the target to decarbonise the building stock. However, your presentation does not mention the word decarbonisation. Can you please elaborate on this point? What are EuroACE views on decarbonisation?</p>
<p>@James: Stakeholders included in your mapping are all very conservative. It's hard to understand why you did gather under BuildUpon such conservative groups who will not decarbonise the building stock. If this is your target? Highly recommend you work with those you consider 'unusual suspects'. Can you please elaborate on this?</p>
<p>James: You should look to the GAFA</p>