

## **Curo representation for energy efficiency and renewable energy Cabinet paper**

Curo own 12000 homes, a number of which are historic buildings. Curo want to provide high quality energy efficient homes for our customers. This can be challenging for historic buildings because generally they are hard and expensive to heat and have restrictions that limit energy efficient measures that can be provided due to the properties status.

Curo has been significantly involved in contributing to the development of the guidance. We would like to have had increased flexibility to make environmental improvement but understand the constraints placed on the council regarding these sensitive and important buildings.

Curo support the report recommendations and are keen to be involved in further engagement as proposed in item 2.2.

We will continue to actively engage with BANES planning department regarding acceptable solutions for a range of maintenance and refurbishment works that offer the best achievable energy efficient outcomes for our historic buildings and importantly for our customers.

Regards

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