Scotland Policy Conferences Keynote Seminar:

Priorities for energy in Scotland: investment, flexibility and the new energy strategy

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 29th November 2016

Venue: Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, Nicolson Street, Edinburgh EH8 9DW

Agenda subject to change

8.30 - 9.00	CONFE Registration and coffee
9.00 - 9.05	Chair's opening remarks Jamie Greene MSP, Member, Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, The Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party
9.05 - 9.35	Priorities for the new energy strategy Chris Stark, Director of Energy and Climate Change, The Scottish Government Questions and comments from the floor
9.35 - 10.20	Managing the energy mix: investment, innovation and sustainability Dr Brian Tilley, Head of Energy Policy, E.ON Dr Vivian Scott, Policy Research Associate, SCCS, University of Edinburgh John Forster, Chairman, Solar Trade Association Scotland and Forster Group Clare Lavelle, Scottish Energy Consulting Lead, Arup Questions and comments from the floor
10.20 - 10.40	Reforming the energy market Roger Witcomb, Energy Market Inquiry Chair, Competition and Markets Authority Questions and comments from the floor
10.40 - 10.45	<u>Chair's closing remarks</u> Jamie Greene MSP, Member, Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, The Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party
10.45 - 11.10	Coffee
11.10 - 11.15	<u>Chair's opening remarks</u> Claudia Beamish MSP, Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Spokesperson, Scottish Labour Party
11.15 - 11.25	Regulatory priorities for the energy sector Kersti Berge, Partner, Networks and Head of Ofgem in Scotland
	Establishing a flexible energy system to meet future needs: demand side response and network resilience
11.25 - 11.35	Angus McIntosh, Innovation and New Technology Manager, SGN
11.35 - 11.45	Scott Mathieson, Network Planning and Regulation Director, SP Energy Networks
11.45 - 11.55	Keith Bell, ScottishPower Professor of Smart Grids, University of Strathclyde
11.55 - 12.05	Dr Alastair Martin , Founder and Chief Strategy Officer, Flexitricity
12.05 - 12.30	Questions and comments from the floor with Kersti Berge , Partner, Networks and Head of Ofgem in Scotland
12.30 - 12.55	Next steps for the energy market John Fiennes, Director, Energy Strategy, Networks and Markets, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Questions and comments from the floor
12.55 - 13.00	Chair's and Scotland Policy Conferences closing remarks Claudia Beamish MSP, Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Spokesperson, Scottish Labour Party Stephania Barr, Forum Lead, Scotland Policy Conferences

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