

# Public consultation on the review of progress towards the 2020 energy efficiency objective and a 2030 energy efficiency policy framework

INFORMATION ABOUT THE RESPONDENTS	
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How would you prefer your contribution to be published on the Commission website, if at all? -single choice reply-( <b>compulsory</b> )	Anonymously (I consent to publication of all information in my contribution and I declare that none of it is under copyright restrictions that prevent publication)
<b>A. Energy efficiency targets and measures</b>	
1. Do you think the right approach in addressing the shortfall is:  -multiple choices reply-( <b>compulsory</b> )	a) To define energy efficiency target(s) - b) Reinforced implementation of existing legislation, including active policy on infringements - d) other
1.a.1. How should these target(s) be expressed? -single choice reply-( <b>compulsory</b> )	No opinion
1.a.2. At what level should they apply? -multiple choices reply-( <b>compulsory</b> )	National - Sectoral
1.a.3. Should they be: -single choice reply-( <b>compulsory</b> )	Legally binding
Further comments on targets -open reply-( <b>optional</b> )	
Please specify your response b) -open reply-( <b>optional</b> )	
Please specify your response d) -open reply-( <b>optional</b> )	
<b>B. Energy efficiency sectors</b>	
2. Do you think that further policy measures are needed at EU level to foster energy efficiency in buildings?  -single choice reply-( <b>compulsory</b> )	No

Please give details. -open reply-(optional)

The BAK (Federal Chamber of German Architects) greatly welcomes the Commission's and the EU's measures to improve energy efficiency in Europe. However, all policy measures have to be viewed with caution. Energy efficiency in buildings is adequately addressed by the EU and national legislation (EED/EPBD and national implementations). To foster a holistic view on energy efficiency and sustainability it is not enough to focus on singular assets such as buildings. Moreover the emphasis should be put on city or town quarters and urban and rural communities. Within these of course buildings and construction play an important role but issues of infrastructure, energy supply, industry, transport and agriculture are not to be forgotten and thus need to be included in any measures dealing with energy efficiency. A sustainable future can only be achieved with combined efforts in urban and rural areas. Please see additional position-paper which will be handed in separately by the BAK.

3. Do you think that further policy measures are needed at EU level to foster energy efficiency in industry?

Yes

-single choice reply-(optional)

Please give details. -open reply-(optional)

see above.

4. Do you think that further policy measures are needed at EU level to foster energy efficiency in transport?

Yes

-single choice reply-(optional)

Please give details. -open reply-(optional)

see above.

5. Do you think that further policy measures are needed at EU level to foster energy efficiency in electrical equipment?

No opinion

-single choice reply-(optional)

6. Do you think that further policy measures are needed at EU level to foster energy efficiency in generation and distribution?

No opinion

-single choice reply-(optional)

7. Do you think that further financial mechanisms and instruments are needed at EU level to mobilise energy efficiency investments?

No opinion

-single choice reply-(optional)

8. Do you think that further measures are needed to build the capacity of actors in the energy efficiency sector?

-single choice reply-(optional)

9. What are the most promising technology solutions that can help deliver energy savings in the 2020 and 2030 time horizon? How can their development and uptake be supported at EU level?

-open reply-(optional)

10. Further comments -open reply-(optional)