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Overview

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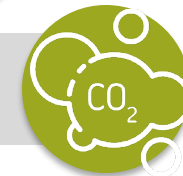
Question and Answers



2020 Scheme JF



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Scheme 2020

Items

1. Changes to scheme
2. Budget 2020
3. Late delivery qualifying criteria
4. Application rules and Process
5. Domestic
6. Web Site
7. Do's and Dont's



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General

- Part L building regulations Domestic and non domestic
- Close Date is the 31 January or when the budget is fully expired
- If the budget is not fully expired then after 31 January SEAI will accept applications under €220K
- Pre application help can be provided subject to the guidelines
- Guidelines form part of the contract and you may not make applications which are not consistent with these guidelines
- External evaluation process same as previous and their decisions on technical matters are final.
- **Note Brexit considerations**

Changes to the scheme & Budget

1. Late delivery option
2. Close date 31 January contracts above €220
3. Schedule F requirements
4. Small payment for HLI assessment
5. Minimum score under Section C (12 Marks)

Budget

Provisional Budget is €19M

SEAI will look to commit €21M Subject to demand

*We will most likely operate a reserve list

Late Delivery

- This provision is only where M&V is a mandatory requirement and contract is €750K
 - Why? Due to the size of contract to allow additional time for delivery
- Delivery of the contract and projects is 80% by 14th October
 - Extension element is only 20%
- This is only available when contracted and only when requested at application
- Exclusions -
 - Extensions in 2019
 - Non delivery 70% requirement 2019 contract
- Overall cap applies which is €2M
- Note we recommend you clarify in advance as we will reject any application where this is requested and you are excluded

Application and Process

- Same process to be applied as 2019 application process
- 3 tracker's will be available on the web site
 - Total Budget available
 - Late delivery available
 - Housing strand
- We intend to increase the number so status so that progress is clearer
- Applications not meeting criteria will be offered a second opportunity to apply note 5 day turnaround
- Where any guidelines is breached application will be rejected

Domestic

- Changes in addresses possible
- Changes in measures **not** possible
- Windows means full window replacement (Every single window)
- Doors 1 Front or 1 Back
- All pricing is fixed and by measure
- We want the Sq. Meter price for measures
- Single measures not permitted

Web Site

- Webinar -On the Workbook is available
- Guidelines by next week
- BEC will publish FAQ
- Application Trackers updated weekly (Friday)
- Presentations on Part L is on the web site
- This presentation will be made available

Do Recommendations

- Energy Audits
 - Read the guidelines
 - Back up information (technical)
 - Complete the application form correctly
 - Tell us the entire story
 - Ensure you have self scored **
 - Take deposits
 - Inform contractors and clients of time lines
 - Watch the application tracker and funding available
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- ** Self score section A only

Don't Recommendations

- Apple computers
- Assume
- Stretch the truth (Too far)
- Refer to irrelevant projects
- Expect exceptions
- Ring us about the deadline or if funding is gone

Communities Home strand

- This strand is run by Stephen Farrell
 - Previous focus on LA and Housing association
 - Allocated funding for 2019 was €1M
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- For 2020 this allocated funding will be significantly increased
 - Open to all homes 35% funding cap
 - Further details on the SEAI web site in the coming days

Thank you

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