

Climate Change Planning Guidance

Suggested 'Check List of Climate Change Information' that may be provided to Support Submission of Planning Applications and may be included in 'local lists'

Applications for development should include:

- Design and access statements to include consideration of climate change issues, and how these have been addressed in the proposal
- Consideration of low carbon construction techniques and modern methods of construction
- Consideration of use of low carbon building materials
- Energy statements detailing consideration of energy saving/low carbon energy technologies and feasibility studies
- Method statements to identify how energy saving/carbon reduction targets are to be achieved and will be monitored on completion of the development
- Details of certification schemes and accreditations relevant to the installation of equipment or construction techniques, methods and materials incorporated which contribute to climate change mitigation or adaptation.
- Biodiversity conservation and enhancement measures
- Greenhouse gas reduction plan, for industrial and mineral developments, setting out the measures employed to reduce emissions of Greenhouse Gasses