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The Electricity and Gas (Energy
Company Obligation) Order 2022

PART 5

Qualifying actions

CHAPTER 2

Measures which are part of ECO4 projects

SECTION 2

Projects accompanied by declaration from a relevant authority or participant

Measures accompanied by a declaration from a relevant authority: referral from a relevant health provider

- 19.**—(1) A measure meets the condition in this article if—
- (a) the measure is installed as part of an ECO4 project at private domestic premises;
 - (b) before the day on which the measure is completed, a relevant authority is consulted on the carrying out of the project at the premises;
 - (c) the relevant authority makes a declaration which certifies that it has received a referral from a relevant health provider, in relation to a person living at the premises, on the grounds that—
 - (i) the person is suffering from severe or long-term ill-health due to—
 - (aa) a cardiovascular condition;
 - (bb) a respiratory disease;
 - (cc) immunosuppression; or
 - (dd) limited mobility; and
 - (ii) the health of the person is adversely affected by living in a cold home;
 - (d) the declaration referred to in sub-paragraph (c) meets the validity requirement specified in article 17(2); and
 - (e) the measure would have met the condition in article 13 or 14 if paragraph (1)(b) in each of those articles were omitted (the household eligibility requirement).
- (2) In paragraph (1)(c), “relevant health provider” means—
- (a) a person registered in the General Practitioner Register kept by the General Medical Council under section 34C of the Medical Act 1983(1);

- (b) a Health Board constituted by an order made under section 2(1)(a) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978**(2)**;
- (c) a Local Health Board established by an order made under section 11 of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006**(3)**;
- (d) an NHS foundation trust within the meaning given in section 30 of the National Health Service Act 2006**(4)**;
- (e) an NHS trust established by order under section 25 of the National Health Service Act 2006.

(2) [1978 c. 29](#). Relevant amendments have been made by section 28(a)(i) of the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990 ([c. 19](#)), section 14 of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 7 to, the Health and Social Services and Social Security Adjudications Act 1983 ([c. 41](#)) and section 11(1) of, and paragraph 1(1) and (2)(a) of Schedule 1 to, the National Health Service Reform (Scotland) Act 2004 ([asp 7](#)).

(3) [2006 c. 42](#).

(4) [2006 c. 41](#). Section 30 was amended by section 159(1) of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 ([c. 7](#)).