# **APGTF Response to Consultation Document**

#### **Panel Discussion**



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# The Workshop

 Workshop being held as part of response to Government consultation on energy policy

- In particular, responding to 'Key Issues for Consultation'
  - details in pack



# **Objectives for Panel Session**

- Present expert views on the relevant key issues raised in the Government's Consultation Doc't
- Consider how to respond on issues relating to technology strategy and the necessary RD&D for the fossil, waste and biomass sector
- Make any other relevant comments



## Input to Panel Session

- Draft response prepared by APGTF and sent to delegates
- Summary points:
  - -need to consider prospective impact on UK industry, for UK and global markets
  - -essential that RD&D and Deployment is strongly supported for fossil power generation
  - -short to medium term, incremental improvements to plant efficiency most cost effective for fossil
  - -longer term, EOR and CO2 sequestration
  - -strong argument for indigenous fuels and appropriate balanced mix of fuels (for security of supply)



## Input to Panel Session - continued

- Draft response summary points, continued
  - -RD&D programme needs strong international element; UK funding must increase so that UK can benefit fully from collaboration
  - -support focus on energy efficiency; CHP market needs addressing
  - -new technologies need support for commercial-scale demonstration
  - -20% renewables target is difficult, some key issues must be addressed.
  - -Prediction of 20% DG in EU by 2020 is optimistic for UK. Needs RD&D
  - -In the future, UK needs a mixed portfolio (renewables, nuclear, fossil). Need commitment to this in next 5 years eg for clean coal



#### Input to Panel Session - continued

- Draft response summary points, continued
  - -diversity should be encouraged by positive measures, not by imposing restrictions
  - -there's a case for demo of retrofit super-critical technology on pf plant
  - -Urgent need for decisions on LCPD and future retrofits
  - -Need to continue to develop 700degC ultra super-critical plant
  - -IGCC offers route to higher effic'y and ultimately to H<sub>2</sub> production
  - -if UK can continue to exhibit modern, advanced technology, it will benefit in world markets
  - -Government assistance is essential, not only for R&D but also to help bring technologies to market



#### Input to Panel Session - continued

- Draft response summary points, continued
  - -UK must have a well supported R&D programme to produce new technologies to compete in global market place
  - -Must have a balanced RD&D programme for clean fossil, nuclear and renewables)
  - -Need a RD&D programme for minimum of 10yrs, industry led with strong partnerships with universities. Need action now.
  - -Need greater coordination of UK energy R&D; a single unit to steer, coordinate and advise
  - -Need new industry led group covering R&D for fossil, nuclear and renewables covering UK and global market



### Input to Panel Session – Views of Experts

- Climate Change and Security of Supply Derek Cheetham, Innogy
- Renewables and Distributed Generation Mike Cannon, ALSTOM
- Energy Efficiency and CHP Derrick Farthing, Powergen
- Coal Les King, Mitsui Babcock
- Innovation and Institutional John McMullan, University of Ulster

+ support from expert panels

# Panel Session

Chance for delegates to have their say



# **Output from Panel Session**

- Key issues, comments, questions will be noted
- Feedback forms will be collected
- APGTF's draft document will be modified accordingly
- New document will be sent to DTI by 13
  Sept
- New document and other Workshop material to be put on web-site

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