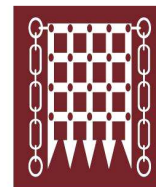


**Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum Keynote Seminar:
Next steps for smart meters: programme delivery, technological innovation, and consumer engagement**

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 1st December 2015

Venue: Glaziers Hall, 9 Montague Close, London SE1 9DD



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Derek Thomas MP, Member, Science and Technology Select Committee
- 9.05 - 9.15 **Delivering and managing the smart meter infrastructure**
Jonathan Simcock, Managing Director, Data Communications Company
- 9.15 - 9.25 **Assessing the challenges in implementing the communication network**
Nicolas Ott, Managing Director, Telecoms & M2M, Arqiva
- 9.25 - 9.40 Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.40 - 9.50 **Engaging with consumers in using smart technology and raising awareness of the roll-out**
Dennis Palmer, Head of GB Smart Meter Programme Liaison, Smart Energy GB
- 9.50 - 10.50 **Future proofing, ease-of-use, and energy efficiency**
Sarah Craig, Head of Smart Metering, Telefónica UK
Nick Lomax, Smart Technology Manager, Energy Saving Trust
Jeremy Yapp, Deputy Director, Smart Metering, BEAMA
Sara-Jane Asquith, Director of Metering & Smart Transformation, SSE
Mervyn Kohler, External Affairs Adviser, Age UK
Questions and comments from the floor with **Dennis Palmer**, Head of GB Smart Meter Programme Liaison, Smart Energy GB
- 10.50 - 10.55 **Chair's closing remarks**
Derek Thomas MP, Member, Science and Technology Select Committee
- 10.55 - 11.25 Coffee
- 11.25 - 11.30 **Chair's opening remarks**
Jeremy Yapp, Deputy Director, Smart Metering, BEAMA
- 11.30 - 11.40 **Regulation of smart meters and opportunities for consumers**
Laura Nell, Head of Smarter Metering, Ofgem
- 11.40 - 11.50 **Addressing the workforce gap - training and development priorities for installers**
Ian Moss, Client Manager Downstream Gas & Smart Metering, Energy & Utility Skills
- 11.50 - 12.00 **Examining data protection and privacy concerns**
Chris Martin, Partner, Pinsent Masons
- 12.00 - 12.10 **View from energy suppliers and managing smart meter installations**
Liz Kenny, Head of Industry, Smart Metering Programme, RWE npower
- 12.10 - 12.30 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 - 12.55 **The policy perspective on priorities for delivering the smart meter roll-out**
Judicaelle Hammond, Deputy Director, Policy and Consumers, Smart Metering Implementation Programme, Department of Energy and Climate Change
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum closing remarks**
Jeremy Yapp, Deputy Director, Smart Metering, BEAMA
Amy Cutter, Producer, Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum