

Guidance: Workplace Charging Scheme authorised installers

Updated: List of authorised installers for the Workplace Charging Scheme.

Details of companies authorised by the Office for Low Emission Vehicles to install [workplace chargepoints](#).

Intellectual property clinics



The intellectual property clinics which we hold in Newport are currently postponed. Please see [Other IP clinics](#) below for more information about other clinics which run.

The Intellectual Property Office (IPO) is holding free regular IP legal clinics in Newport. The IP clinics are hosted by an IP Attorney who is a member of the Chartered Institute of Patent Attorneys (CIPA) and the Chartered Institute of Trade Mark Attorneys (CITMA).

The IP clinics are for individuals and businesses seeking legal advice on patents, trade marks and designs. If you require more general help and support with intellectual property please visit our [IP for Business tools](#).

What will you get?

You can discuss your ideas or problems in confidence with an IP Attorney for 30 minutes at no cost. An Examiner from the IPO will also take part in the clinic to help give an understanding of the IPO's requirements.

How to register

For help and information on IP matters or to make an appointment, please call our Information Centre on 0300 300 2000 or [email us](#) to discuss your requirements.

Venue

Intellectual Property Office
Concept House
Cardiff Road
Newport
South Wales
NP10 8QQ
United Kingdom

Date

Please see our [events calendar](#) for other dates.

Other IP clinics

Please note that this clinic is based in Newport, South Wales.

Other IP clinics are held regularly across the UK which may be more convenient. For more information please see [CIPA](#) and [CITMA](#).

For further non legal IP support in your area, locate your nearest [Patlib](#) or [Business and IP Centre](#).

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1. 21 January 2022

Information about our IP clinics held in Newport are currently postponed.

2. 11 January 2019

Date removed due to being out of date and the next clinic is to be confirmed.

3. 16 August 2018

IP clinic added for 30 October 2018.

4. 19 December 2017

New Intellectual property clinic date (20 February 2018) added.

5. 13 November 2017

IP clinic for 12 December 2017, 20 February, 24 April and 26 June 2018 added.

6. 17 October 2017

Date added for October 2017.

7. 2 May 2017

New intellectual property clinic date added.

8. 24 February 2017

New Intellectual Property clinic date added.

9. 12 January 2017

New clinic date added.

10. 2 November 2016

First published.

Consultation outcome: Solway Firth potential Special Protection Area: outcome

Updated: Link to consultation outcome added

Special Protection Areas (SPAs) are special sites designated under the [EU Birds Directive](#) to protect rare, vulnerable and migratory birds.

The proposal is to extend the existing Upper Solway Flats and Marshes Special Protection Area (SPA) to create the Solway Firth SPA.

The proposed new boundary will include and protect the internationally important wintering populations of:

- red-throated diver
- common scoter
- goosander

The site is mainly situated in Scottish inshore waters. Scottish Natural

Heritage will lead the consultation. See the details on their website using the link above.

Consultation outcome: Waste electrical and electronic equipment compliance fee 2016

Updated: Added a note on what happened after this consultation.

We want to know whether you think there should be a Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) compliance fee set for 2016. We also want to know your thoughts on the two proposals we've received for how the fee should be managed in 2016.

The use of a compliance fee and how it is administered is agreed annually. Companies that don't meet their annual collection targets can comply with the 2013 WEEE Regulations by paying the compliance fee instead.

Guidance: Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme approved chargepoint model list

Updated: List of approved manufacturers and models under the Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme.

List of approved manufacturers and models under the Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme (EVHS).