<u>Guidance: High Speed 2 (HS2) rail — impacts on woodland management activity: operations note 47</u>

7 page summary providing information on:

- HS2 Glossary, and phases of work
- Legislation
- HS2 Has permission to fell trees (Phase 1)
- Landowner Has a felling licence to fell trees
- Landowner Restocking conditions after felling
- Landowner Applying for a felling licence
- Landowner Has grant agreement for woodland creation
- Landowner Plans new woodland creation
- HS2 Plans new woodland creation
- HS2 Phases route map

Guidance: Assessment of potential wildfire risk resulting from planned deforestation to open habitat: operations note 40

26 page summary offering:

- Purpose
- Background
- Context Policy and regulation
- Planning for wildfire
- Preparing a Wildfire Management Plan (WMP)
- FC review of wildfire planning
- Contacting Fire and Rescue authorities
- Sources of further advice
- Wildfire management plan minimum requirements
- Wildfire risk assessment template
- Wildfire risk and hazard checklist
- Example wildfire risk assessment
- Stakeholders for wildfire planning
- Template letter to Fire and Rescue Service

Official Statistics: RHI deployment data: August 2018

Monthly statistics for the Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) programme present the number of applications and accredited installations on the non-domestic and domestic schemes so far.

<u>Official Statistics: Rural deprivation</u> statistics

Updated: Minor amendments to the wording on page 1 to improve the clarity of the text.

Deprivation indicator for people living in rural and urban areas based on the Index of Multiple Deprivation (IMD).

Metadata

Data source: Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government (MHCLG), English Indices of Deprivation (2015), Index of Multiple Deprivation (2015)

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his release includes measures installed under the Energy Company Obligation (ECO) and the Green Deal schemes. It also includes further analysis and geographical breakdowns of ECO measures, ECO delivery costs, estimated carbon and energy savings from measures installed and the supply chain. These statistics are provisional and are subject to future revisions.