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Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

UK

3. Department Responsible

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3. Originating Department

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4. Notification Number

2015/0182/UK - T40T

5. Title

Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme

6. Products Concerned

The grant scheme will support the uptake of ultra-low emission vehicles in the UK by providing funding for homecharging units.

7. Notification Under Another Act

8. Main Content

The Eletric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme (EVHS) will provide a minimum of £15m in grant funding over five years (April 2015 to March 2020). This scheme provides £700 to the registered keeper, lessee, motability customer or employed nominated user of a plug in vehicle that is eligible under the UK Plug in Car Grant Scheme and Plug In Van Grant Scheme. All customers are limited to one chargepoint per eligible plug in vehicle.

The Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV) authorises entrants into the market to install chargepoints in residential properties to ensure UK electrical installation standards are met. OLEV also approves chargepoints that can be installed under the scheme which are assessed by a panel of experts. The installation standards and technical specification for the chargepoint are set in the attached Guidance.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The EVHS is designed to promote uptake of ultra low emission vehicles in the UK through enabling safe access to homecharging, a key barrier to ULEV update. Expansion of the ULEV market is a key area for the UK to meet its green house gas (GHG) aspirations as set out in the UK document '2050 Pathways' and the European Document 'EU Transport GHG Routes to 2050'.

This measure is a de facto technical specification linked to fiscal or financial measures affecting the consumption of products or services by encouraging compliance with those specifications, requirements or rules (as defined in Article 1(9) of Directive 98/34/EC) and therefore no standstill period is required.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References of the Basic Texts: Annex A: Electric Vehicle Homecharge Scheme Guidance for Installers and Manufacturers

| 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure No |
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| 12. Grounds for the Emergency |
| 13. Confidentiality No |
| 14. Fiscal measures Yes |
| 15. Impact assessment No |
| 16. TBT and SPS aspects TBT aspect |
| No - The draft is not a technical regulation nor a conformity assessment |
| SPS aspect |
| No - The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure |
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