

# Consultation on indicators for the Energy Efficiency Standard for Social Housing 2: Consultation questions

We welcome your general feedback on our proposals as well as answers to the specific questions we have raised. Please do not feel you have to answer every question unless you wish to do so.

Send your completed questionnaire to us by 15 January 2021.

- By email @: <u>shr@shr.gov.scot</u>
- Or post to: Scottish Housing Regulator Buchanan House 58 Port Dundas Road, Glasgow, G4 0HF

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## 1. Is there anything not covered by the proposed indicators? (if yes, please explain)

South Lanarkshire Council agree that the four proposed indicators are appropriate. The indicators will assist in achieving a balance between maintaining consistency across social landlord reporting while allowing for the individual circumstances of landlords to be included and considered.

## 2. Are there any indicators that you feel are not appropriate and, if so, why?

The council agrees that the main proposed indicators are appropriate however does suggest the requirement to provide the total number of properties where the energy efficiency rating is not known (Appendix 1 (xi)) may not be needed. Social landlords are already required to monitor the EPC ratings for all of their properties.

## 3. Is there any information we ask for that you feel does not need to be included or that we have been missed?

No, the council agrees that the indicators are appropriate other than the potential duplication highlighted in response to Question 2.

# 4: Would you like to make any other comments or suggestions about our proposed indicators?

To improve ease of interpretation and consistency of collation the council suggests that further guidance on the type and level of information being requested on the 'summary/evidence of improvements' (Appendix 1 (iv) and (ix)) would be beneficial. There is currently no indication as to the detail needed, whether that be for each property, area or by improvement measure.

## Thank you for taking the time to give us your feedback!