



Energy Efficiency Obligation Scheme (EEOS) for Business and Public Sector

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Background

- The Energy Efficiency Obligation Scheme (EEOS) is a Government of Ireland energy efficiency scheme established in 2014 as the principal mechanism for achieving Ireland's Article 7 target under the Energy Efficiency Directive.
- SEAI is the scheme administrator for EEOS and is responsible for guidance, technical advice, target calculations, energy savings validation and reporting.
- The 2014-2020 EEOS supported energy efficiency actions in more than 300,000 homes and 3,000 businesses.
- The most recent 2021-2030 EEOS obligation period will achieve up to 60% of Ireland's energy efficiency target for 2030.



Scheme Operation

How does the scheme work?

- Under EEOS, the largest energy suppliers and distributors that sell more than 400GWh of energy per year, known as Obligated Parties (OPs), are required to achieve annual energy efficiency targets.
- OPs can achieve their annual targets by supporting homeowners, businesses and communities to carry out energy efficiency upgrades in exchange for energy credits which count towards their annual target.
- EEOS is a regulation with three sub-targets:
 - Cross-sector (85%)
 - Residential (10%)
 - Energy Poverty (5%)



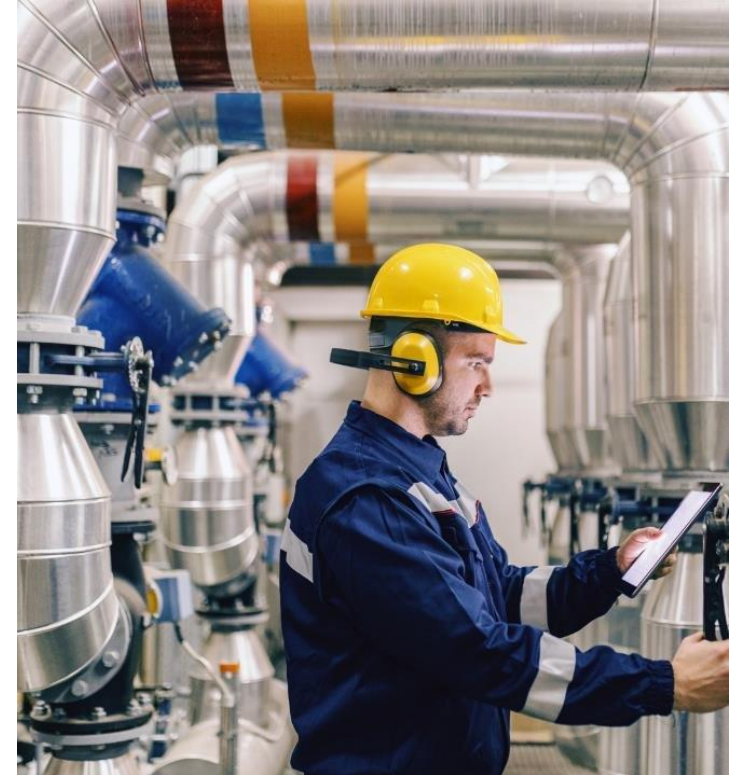


Obligated party supports



What kind of support can OPs offer?

- OP support can be technical and/or financial including the following:
 - a monetary amount per kWh
 - measurement and verification services
 - project management/ coordinator services
- For OP support to be eligible under EEOS, the OP must contribute to the achievement of the project **before the measures are installed** and the project must result in **final energy savings**.
- OPs often work in partnership with SEAI project coordinators and other delivery partners to offer additional financial supports on top of existing SEAI grants.
- Find OP contact details at: [Businesses](#) | [EEOS](#) | [SEAI](#)



Eligible Supports

| Heating | Ventilation & Air Conditioning | Electrification of Heat |
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| Servicing, set point regulation, controls and fabric upgrade. | Free cooling, maintenance, optimisation of operation and general energy management. | Heat Pump Installation. |
| Lighting | Motors, drives and pumps | Transport |
| Decommissioning, maintenance, retrofit and controls. | Replacement, VSDs and control. | Eco-driving, fleet and energy management. |
| Refrigeration | Compressed air | Industry processes |
| Temperature control, pipe insulation, relocation and replacement. | Leak repair, optimisation, redesign and replacement. | Steam trap inspections, facility programmes and BMS. |