

## GRANT FUNDING INFORMATION SHEET

**Grant Name**            **Low Carbon Buildings Programme – Phase 2 (Public Sector)**

**Funder**                Department of Energy and Climate Change.

LCBP Phase Two is part of the UK Environmental Transformation Fund (ETF), a joint DECC/Defra fund to bring forward the demonstration and deployment of low carbon energy and energy efficiency technologies. LCBP Phase 2 is managed by BRE.

**Objective**            LCBP Phase Two provides grants for the installation of micro-generation technologies to public sector buildings (including schools, hospitals, housing associations and local authorities) and charitable bodies.

**Eligibility**            Public sector organisations (including schools, hospitals, housing associations and local authorities) and charitable organisations.

**July 2009:** LCBP Phase Two will receive an additional £35 million of funding, and LCBP Phase One an additional £10 million. The current programme will now be extended until April 2011 in order to support technologies until the introduction of Feed-in Tariffs and the Renewable Heat Incentive.

Under LCBP Phase Two, £5 million of the £45 million has already been allocated to solar PV funding to deal with the majority of PV applications in the pipeline.

**Latest information**    **From 1 July 2009:**

- LCBP Phase Two will be open to all products and installer companies registered on the Microgeneration Certification Scheme (MCS).
- The extended programme will continue to provide grant funding to charitable organisations, community groups and the public sector.
- The upper limit for heat technologies will be raised to 300kW.
- Organisations may apply for up to 50% of the cost of installing approved technologies up to a maximum of £200,000 (though maximum grant levels may depend on the nature of the organisation).

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