

Reigate and Banstead Borough Council

Meeting of Council 1 December 2022

Public Questions

| Verbal responses to be given at the meeting | | | |
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| | Question by | To be answered by | Subject |
| 1. | Mr Christopher Whinney | Councillor Lewanski, the Executive Member for Corporate Policy | Retrofitting insulation |

Mr Christopher Whinney will ask the **Executive Member for Corporate Policy and Resources, Councillor Lewanski**, the following question:

Question 1: Retrofitting insulation

In the Autumn Statement the Government re-affirmed its intention to mitigate Climate Change and continue measures to reduce use of energy. It has put aside considerable funds to encourage Local Authorities to retrofit dwellings in their Boroughs.

In 2021/22 90 low-income households were retrofitted in Reigate & Banstead, so for 2022/23 what amount of central funds were tendered for and funds actually received to date and how many dwellings have been retrofitted to date and how many still to be retrofitted, please?

What is the intention of RBBC for 2023/24?

Cllrs and interested persons have indicated concern on lack of sufficient number of operatives capable of installing such systems etc. Would the forthcoming reply include some comment on training for operatives, please?