

Senedd Cymru | Welsh Parliament

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## 1. What are your views on the Action Plan?

It's too limited. I work for a global provider of charging stations and your policy is weak, poorly thought through and won't deliver the capacity needed to electrify car transport.

## 2. What are your views on progress made against Action 1: Charging infrastructure?

Very poor provision so far. You should

Consider working with companies who know their stuff, yet all you do is strategise and don't engage.

## 3. What are your views on progress made against Action 2: Optimisation of energy provision?

Again very limited and the plan does not in any way seem

Sensible for the electrification needed to achieve the targets for CO2 reduction.

## 4. What are your views on progress made against Action 3: Enhanced rapid charging provision?

It's a joke, no more words necessary

## What are your views on progress made against Action 4: Welsh quality standards?

Very poor - typical of public sector provision. If you engaged with companies who provide infrastructure standard would improve but the piecemeal nature of provision in Wales is laughable. I work in Germany and in comparison the Welsh quality standards are literally laughable.

## What are your views on progress made against Action 5: Regulatory facilitation?

Is there any? If there is it's certainly not filtered through to practical implementation

### What are your views on progress made against Action 6: Partnership and collaboration?

Rubbish - I work in the largest European provider of wall boxes and charging stations - yet no-one has engaged as far as I'm aware.

### What are your views on progress made against Action 7: Increase public awareness?

I mix are already aware, just waiting for Government to implement

### What are your views on progress made against Action 8: Encourage investment opportunity and innovation?

Has there been any at all? I doubt European companies wingding to invest as the plan for Wales is so weak. I've just been to a factory in Germany where wall boxes and charging stations are produced and can honestly say this would never happen in the UK, the investment mis simply too large for such a wishy washy plan.

### What are your views on progress made against Action 9: Create synergies?

There is very little joined up thinking, it seems the plan was created by public sector committee, it lacks the bite and the vision.

### What are your views on the strategy ?

See above - it's weak and badly thought through - would never pass an audit in a business environment and whilst I applaud the effort, the attainment is quite another thing.

### Do you have any other points you wish to raise within the scope of this inquiry?

Yes. As an electric car driver there is a whole he's of thinking to be done about rural infrastructure.