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**ENERGY EFFICIENCY (COST OF LIVING) IMPROVEMENT AMENDMENT BILL
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SUPPLEMENTARY EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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Introduction

This supplementary explanatory statement relates to a Government amendment to the Energy Efficiency (Cost of Living) Improvement Amendment Bill 2019 (the Bill). It has been prepared in order to assist the reader of the Bill and to help inform debate on it. It does not form part of the Bill and has not been endorsed by the Assembly.

This amendment is minor in nature and clarifies the intent of the original Bill.

This explanatory statement must be read in conjunction with the Bill. It is not, and is not intended to be, a comprehensive description of the Bill. What is written about a provision is not to be taken as an authoritative guide to the meaning of a provision, this being a task for the courts.

This amendment does not engage any human rights.

Provisions in detail

Amendment 1 Clause 4 (1)

Proposed new clause 4 (1)

This clause substitutes clause 4 (1) of the Bill to clarify the instruments that will be repealed by the clause. Clause 4 (1) will now provide that current instruments DI2019-194, DI2019-195 and NI2019-501, which were notified on 9 and 12 August 2019, will be repealed when clause 4 (1) commences by way of Ministerial notice.

The instruments listed in clause 4 (1) of the Bill as presented on 15 August 2019 were 2017 versions and were repealed by the updated instruments notified in 2019.