

Energy Security Select Committee

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Biography

Robert Jeffery is Government Relations Lead for OVO Energy, and also works on policy. Cian Fitzgerald is an economist for OVO Energy, and also works on policy.

OVO Energy was founded in 2009 by entrepreneur Stephen Fitzpatrick. It is a domestic energy supplier to half a million customers (1.8% of the domestic retail market). It is the first and only Which? Recommended Energy Provider, and has been voted the 25th best company to work for in the UK by the Times (2014). OVO employs 900 staff in Bristol and 100 in London. OVO's standard tariffs are comprised of 33% renewable electricity, and their Greener tariff comprises 100% renewable electricity. OVO Energy works with local authorities, and has partnerships with Cheshire East Council (unitary), Peterborough City Council and Southend-on-Sea Borough Council. They are the first mainstream energy supplier to remove all coal and nuclear from their fuel mix.