

THE ENERGY SAVINGS OPPORTUNITY SCHEME (ESOS)

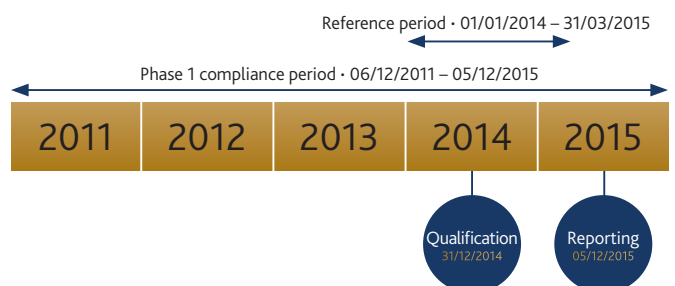
The Energy Savings Opportunity Scheme (ESOS) came into effect in April 2014. It is the UK Government's national ratification of the EU Energy Efficiency Directive article 8 which requires every large organisation in Europe to undertake energy audits.

DO I NEED TO COMPLY WITH ESOS?

Organisations of more than 250 employees or turning over more than 50 million euros qualify for ESOS, or equivalent schemes in other EU countries.

In order to comply with the law, organisations will be required to follow one or a combination of the following compliance routes:

- ESOS energy audit;
- Display Energy Certificate;
- Implementation of an Energy Management System ISO 50001;
- Green Deal Assessment.



WHAT CAN LONGEVITY DO FOR YOU?

We can help you through each element of your ESOS compliance requirements:

1. Developing your ESOS compliance strategy;
2. Implementing your Energy Management System (ISO 50001);
3. Conducting ESOS audits;
4. Conducting Green Deal assessments;
5. Issuing you Display Energy Certificates;
6. Ensuring you achieve further operational savings via the implementation of your ESOS strategy;
7. Calculate transport related carbon liability;
8. Fund energy efficiency progress via all funding partners.

What happens if my organisation does not comply?

1. Organisations who fail to comply will have their names published on the scheme Administrator's website;
2. A fixed penalty of up to £50,000 should be paid to the scheme Administrator; and/or
3. An additional £500 per day for each day after the compliance date up to £40,000; and
4. Publication of non-compliance details.

WHAT IS THE SITUATION OUTSIDE THE UK?

ESOS is the UK response to the Energy Efficiency Directive. Other schemes exist in other European countries, but the compliance deadline is fixed for all European countries.

Longevity can help you comply at Pan-European level.

