

“Improving Your Resource Efficiency”

SDRN Event

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Business Support Simplification Programme

- Announced in the 2006 Budget
- Reduce the number of business support schemes from 3,000 to 100 by 2010
- NOT the intention to reduce the total amount of money spent by Government on Business
- Primary objective to ensure business support is targeted/focussed and less confusing
- “*Solutions for Business*” - common banding / livery, provenance



IYRE Product

- “Go live” - March 2009
- IDB transfer – October 2009
- Generally reflects existing support
- Current arrangements shown to provide vfm
- Continuation of WRAP, Envirowise, NISP, Carbon Trust etc as component programmes
- Continuing pressures for coherence in delivery

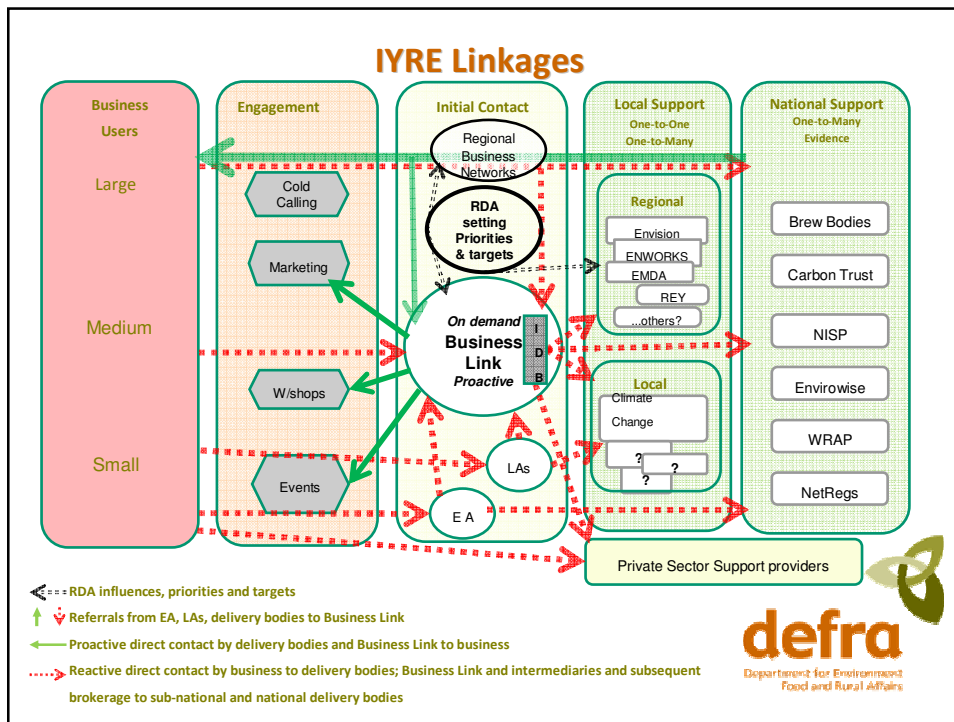


IYRE Product Coverage

- **Initial Level Support**
Awareness raising activities, introductory publications, “how to” guides, best practice case studies, events, self help tools, helpline, websites
- **Specialist support**
On site visits, support for supply chains, voluntary agreements, proactive targeting of specific business (eg recycling and reprocessing) grants (energy efficiency in small firms, technical tools (eg clean design)

Support Services variously available at National and Regional level





Delivery Landscape Review

The Review covered:

- Waste and Resources Action Programme (WRAP)
- National Industrial Symbiosis Programme (NISP)
- Envirowise
- Construction Resources and Waste Platform (CRWP)
- Centre for Reuse and Remanufacture (CRR)
- Action Sustainability (AS)
- BREW Centre for Local Authorities
and originally Carbon Trust & Energy Saving Trust

From April 2010 WRAP to lead in the provision of advice and support business, consumers and the public sector in resource efficiency.

To provide a streamlined, more efficient service and better value for money to the taxpayer.

Continuing Work

- “Convergence” BSSP and TG
- “Alignment” IDB to BL + national-regional efforts
- Branding
- Performance Management Framework

