



Scotlandbuilt:

***Can renewables breathe
new life into heavy
engineering in Scotland?***

Introduction – talk outline

- Scottish Renewables
- ScotlandBuilt
- Political drivers
- Potential for renewables in Scotland
- Conclusions

Scottish Renewables

- A Member-led trade association
- Over 200 members
- NGOs, public bodies, communities & commercial
- Sectors - wind, marine, hydro, biomass and microgeneration
- Providing information to members
- Raising awareness among decision-makers
- Helping build viable and sustainable markets for renewable technologies



Clydebuilt



HMS DARING

Blythswood Shipbuilding Company, 2006



mv British Triumph

Lithgows, 1936

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Pelamis in Dry Dock in Rosyth

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Pelamis



Pelamis order for Portugal

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Beatrice installation

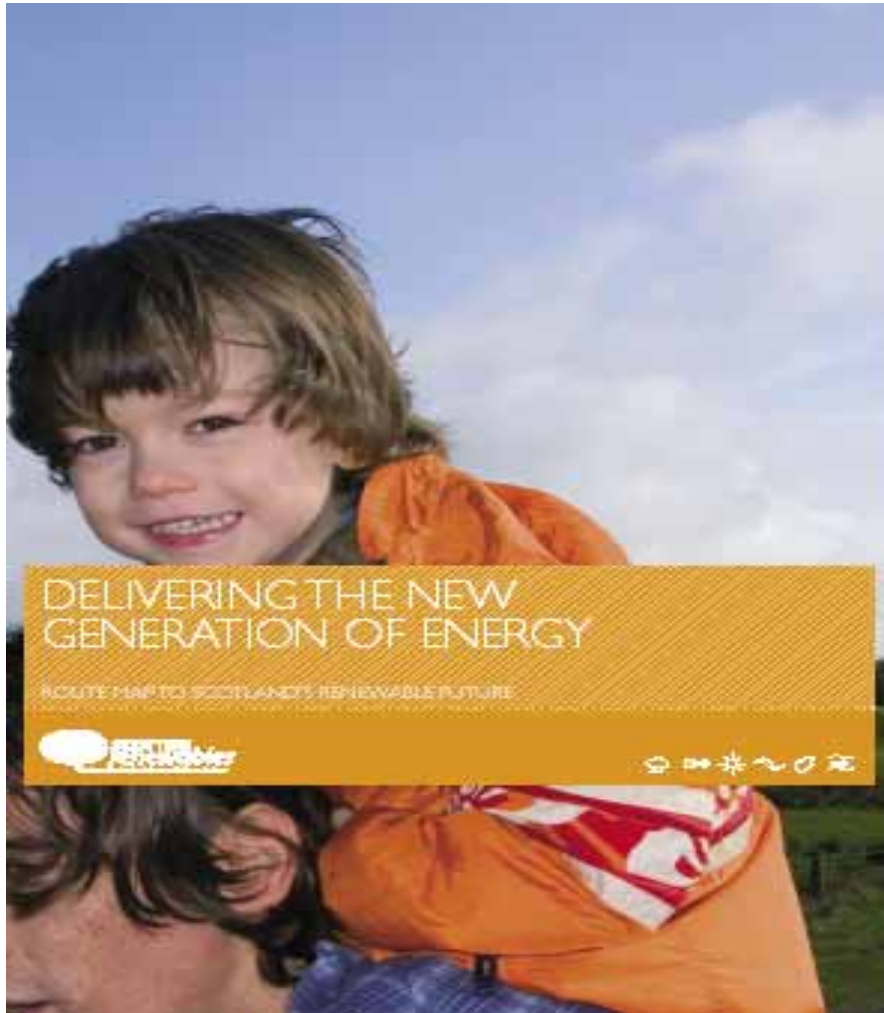


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Delivering a New Generation of Energy: Route Map to Scotland's Renewable Future



Based on existing research, policy initiatives from government and their aspirations

What we can do, where we are, where we are going and what are the obstacles on the way

A positive vision of the future

Download a copy from the Scottish Renewables' website

Conclusion

- We need to work towards integrating the Scottish renewables industry better
- This integration must see a unified body that includes the development community, civic and political society and industry
- It must embrace all renewable energy – heat, transport and electricity
- This integration must lead to a common identity, one that I have dubbed Scotlandbuilt, if Scotland can truly grasp the economic potential of renewables and possibly breathe life back into heavy engineering in Scotland



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