# A consultation on 2016-17 Fees and Charges

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**Question 1. Do you support the removal of EIUC charges on customers other than water companies for 2016-17?**

**Question 2. For all other Regulatory Schemes, do you support maintaining these 2016-17 charges at current 2015-16 levels, as we develop our cost-modelling approach and efficiency programme?**

**Question 3. Do you think operators with chronic poor performance should pay more after two consecutive years?**

**Question 4. How should we reflect improving performance where operators move into a better performance band such as moving from Band F to Band E?**

**Question 5. How should we respond when operators swing between average and poor performance bands? For example Band C to Band E to Band C to Band D?**

**Question 6. Is the risk matrix easy to understand?**

**Question 7. Do you agree with the proposed charging bands and charges for flood risk activity permits?**

**Question 8. Should these charges apply to works being undertaken by anyone, or should there be exceptions (for example, charities)?**

**Question 9. Do you agree with the pre-application inclusion within the charges?**

**Question 10. What factors should we consider when determining how we offer a cost reduction for permits covering multiple structures?**

**Question 11: Do you agree with introducing a tiered risk based charge for subsistence or would you prefer a single charge?**

**Question 12: Do you agree with our proposal to charge a zero rate for varying and surrendering a permit for the first year of the charging scheme?**

**Question 13. Do you agree with the principles as set out?**

**Question 14. Do you agree that a charged service should be offered for all types and all stages of applications? Or do you think the service should be limited to specific types or stages of application, such as developments over a certain size or during the pre-application stage of a development?**

**Question 15. Do you agree with our proposal to introduce a tiered charging scheme? Are there other charging options we should consider?**

**Question 16. Do you support our intention to continue to offer the option to set up bespoke arrangements in the interim?**

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