



Energy Poverty Mitigation Policy Actions - Estonia -



Context

- This factsheet showcases the main policy actions included as part of the national energy poverty mitigation roadmap of **Estonia**. Following an extensive co-creation process, this roadmap consists of a list of priority actions which should be carried out within Estonia in order to mitigate energy poverty effectively. The actions have been developed based on a thorough stakeholder mapping, vision exercises and are coupled with individual indicator sets per action. The main policy actions are briefly presented in this factsheet while their full details as well as the complete roadmaps, can be accessed via the POWERPOOR website [here](#).
- The aim of the national roadmaps is to build on the project's activities and to enable the application of the POWERPOOR approach to promoting integrated energy poverty mitigation policies across all regional and cities within the POWERPOOR countries. The roadmaps include a circular methodology which encourages the uptake and revision of the identified actions following the project's lifetime.

The roadmaps are the result of coordination with many relevant stakeholders. These include representatives from local and/or regional authorities, housing providers, social workers, health practitioners, experts on alternative financing schemes, representatives from energy communities, civil society as well as other stakeholders linked to energy planning as well as academia.



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Policy sector



Actions to be implemented



By when



By whom

Energy communities

New legislation and supportive legal framework developed for the creation and management of energy communities

2023

Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications, Ministry of Justice

Buildings

New program of financial support measures developed for apartment associations and owners of small residences, including new grants for renovation and renewable energy solutions

2023

Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications

Housing

New housing policy – currently energy poverty is targeted through energy policy or social policy, leaving out the aspects of housing issues that brings these two sides together. This cap should be filled with new housing policy.

2025

Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications, Ministry of Social Affairs, municipalities

Buildings

New system of energy certificates in force – the development of virtual tools for issuing energy certificates/labels and energy audits that automatically prepare documents or make calculations and will allow energy labels and energy audits to be standardised.

2025

Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications

Buildings

New training programs for apartment associations and homeowners on renovation, energy efficiency and energy communities

2025

EKYL; Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications

