

# CIC 36

## Declarations on Formation of a Community Interest Company<sup>1</sup>

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Company Name in full

**TRANSITION BUXTON C.I.C.**

### **SECTION A: COMMUNITY INTEREST STATEMENT – beneficiaries**

1. We/I, the undersigned, declare that the company will carry on its activities for the benefit of the community, or a section of the community<sup>2</sup>.

**The company's activities will provide benefit to the people who live, work and/or run a business in Buxton and its surrounding catchment area. In particular the company's objective is to increase the resilience of the community to the effects of climate change and increasing fuel prices, and assist in the transition to a low carbon economy.**

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**SECTION B: Community Interest Statement – Activities & Related Benefit**

Please indicate how it is proposed that the company’s activities will benefit the community, or a section of the community. Please provide as much detail as possible to enable the CIC Regulator to make an informed decision about whether your proposed company is eligible to become a community interest company. It would be useful if you were to explain how you think your company will be different from a commercial company providing similar services or products for individual or personal gain.

<b>Activities</b> (Tell us here what the company is being set up to do)	<b>How will the activity benefit the community?</b> <i>(The community will benefit by...)</i>
<b>Raise awareness about the potential impact of climate change and oil dependency</b>	The company will organise events and other means by which information about climate change, oil dependency, resource depletion and related topics can be disseminated, and where ideas about how best to manage the transition to a low carbon economy can be discussed.
<b>Develop and implement projects that will enable individuals to be more self-reliant</b>	The company will work to develop and implement projects which will enable individual members of the community to take action to reduce their own carbon emissions, and their reliance on fossil fuels and other non-renewable resources, thereby increasing their self-reliance and resilience against the effects of external and global factors outside of their control; the company will aim to encourage participation from all sectors of the community.

<p><b>Develop and implement projects that will enable the community to be more resilient</b></p>	<p>The company will work to develop and implement projects which will enable the community as a whole to reduce its reliance on fossil fuels and other non-renewable resources, and thereby increase its resilience against the effects of external factors outside of its control; it will promote a culture of mutual reliance and supportiveness within the community; it will aim to produce an 'energy descent plan' setting out a time frame for a step by step reduction in the community's collective carbon emissions and use of non-renewable energy.</p>
<p><b>Operate in collaboration with other organisations in the locality who share similar objectives.</b></p>	<p>The company will collaborate and work positively with other voluntary organisations in the local area, and with local businesses, local authorities, educational establishments, individuals in the community and other stakeholders who have similar or related objectives.</p>
<p>If the company makes any surplus it will be used for...  <b>Any profits generated will be used to invest in further projects for the benefit of the community.</b></p>	

(Please continue on separate sheet if necessary.)

**COMPANY NAME**

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**SECTION C:**

1. We/I, the undersigned, declare that the company in respect of which this application is made will not be:

- (a) a political party;
- (b) a political campaigning organisation; or
- (c) a subsidiary of a political party or of a political campaigning organisation.<sup>3</sup>

**SECTION D:**

Each person who will be a first director of the company must sign the declarations.

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**CHECKLIST**

This form must be accompanied by the following documents:

- (a) Memorandum of Association
- (b) Articles of Association, which comply with requirements imposed by section 32 of the Act and Part 3 of the Regulations or which are otherwise appropriate in connection with becoming a community interest company
- (c) Form IN01- you need to indicate that the proposed company is adopting bespoke articles.
- (d) Any completed continuation sheets
- (e) A cheque for £35 made payable to Companies House

You do not have to give any contact information in the box opposite but if you do, it will help the Registrar of Companies to contact you if there is a query on the form. The contact information that you give will be visible to searchers of the public record.

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**When you have completed and signed the form, please send it to the Registrar of Companies at:**

*For companies registered in England and Wales:* Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ  
DX 33050 Cardiff

*For companies registered in Scotland:* Companies House, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Edinburgh Quay 2, 139  
Fountainbridge, EH3 9FF DX 235 Edinburgh

*For companies registered in Northern Ireland:* Companies House, 2nd Floor, The Linenhall, 32-38  
Linenhall Street, Belfast, BT2 8BG

**NOTES**

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<sup>1</sup> This form will be placed on the public record. Any information relevant to the application that you do not wish to appear on the public record, should be described in a separate letter addressed to the CIC Regulator and delivered to the Registrar of Companies with the other documents.

<sup>2</sup> The community interest test is referred to in section 35 of the Companies (Audit, Investigations and Community Enterprise) Act 2004 and is expanded upon in regulations 3, 4 & 5 of the Regulations.

<sup>3</sup> A company is not eligible to be formed as a community interest company if it will be an "excluded company". If you are not sure whether the company which you wish to form falls into any of these categories, you should refer to the definitions of the terms "political party", "political campaigning organisation" and "subsidiary" (and of the related terms "election", "governmental authority", "public authority" and "referendum") in Regulation 2 of the Regulations before completing this form.