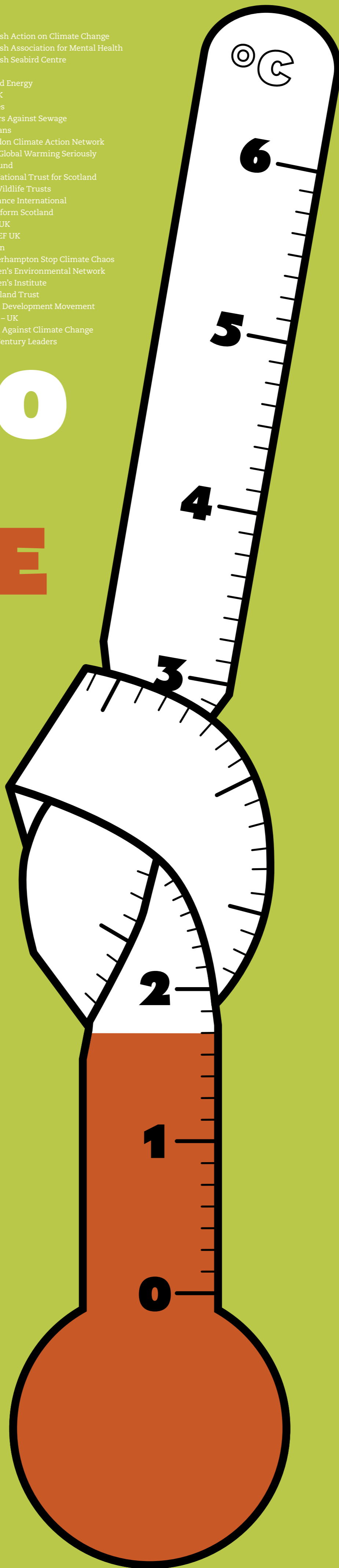


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# I Vote to STOP CLIMATE CHAOS



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# THIS HOUSE BELIEVES...

**1\_ We must limit GLOBAL WARMING to BELOW 2 Degrees C. We can STOP climate CHAOS. Our future is in our HANDS.**

**2\_ We Have a responsibility to PROTECT the WORLD'S POOREST and most VULNERABLE WHO are HIT HARDEST. THEY Deserve JUSTICE.**

**3\_ We can meet our energy needs SAFELY while making the necessary CUTS to CARBON EMISSIONS.**

**4\_ We must act IMMEDIATELY, BOOST our RENEWABLE energy SUPPLY and END our reliance on COAL-FIRED power stations that cannot CAPTURE their CARBON EMISSIONS.**

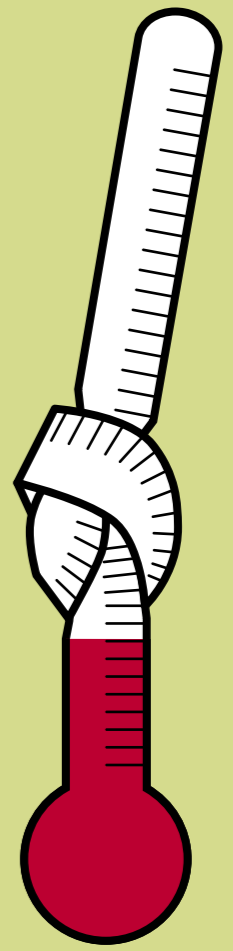
**5\_ We are 4 million strong; together we HAVE the POWER to INSPIRE our government to HELP CHANGE the WORLD for GOOD.**

## Give our future the green light

We can choose a better future. But we're up against it. Scientists the world over tell us we must keep global warming below 2 degrees C or we'll face climate chaos. We could kiss the world as we know it goodbye. But we don't have to.

Instead the UK can tap into its vast renewable energy reserves, as well as scrap plans to build new coal-fired power stations that cannot capture their carbon emissions and are unlikely to ever find a realistic way to do so. This is the most important way to tackle climate change at home and show leadership abroad.

So, right now, the UK Government has a big decision to make: it either backs renewable energy or it gives these coal-fired power stations the go ahead which will help send global temperatures into the danger zone. But we have a say in this decision. Together we can get Government to make the right choice and give renewable energy the green light.

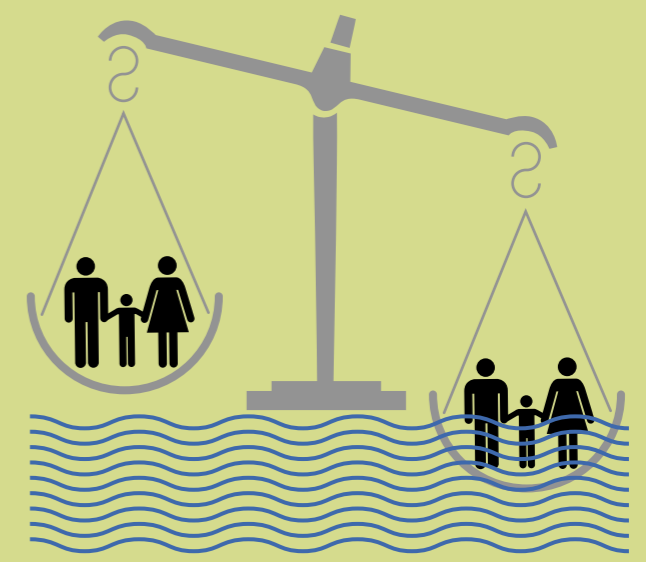


## Time to re-Balance the scales

The world's poorest will be hit first and worst. In fact they are already suffering the floods, droughts and hurricanes that the UK is helping to stir up. There is no justice in this. We must make things right.

The Prime Minister must take responsibility, take the lead, and kick start the carbon clean-up by saying no to coal without carbon capture.

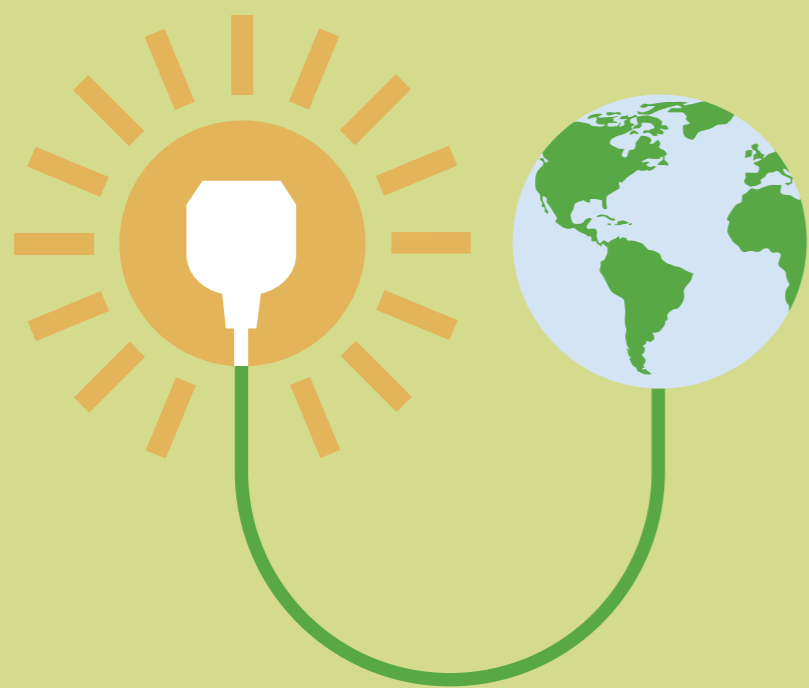
The UK can clean up its act. Coal-fired power stations pump out millions of tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>. One station alone can release the same amount in a year as 30 developing countries combined. Switching to renewable energy will lower these emissions, begin cleaning up the UK's share of the mess, and help protect the most vulnerable from the worst. We can show other big emitters that it can be done - Japan, the US and Europe churn out over 40 per cent of global emissions.



## KEEP THE LIGHTS ON

Generating energy from the sun, wind and waves does not mean turning out the lights. The elements do not have an expiry date, unlike the coal-fired power stations that will soon close. The UK can bridge the gap that these closures will create if Government meets its own target to deliver 15 per cent of energy from home-grown renewable sources by 2020.

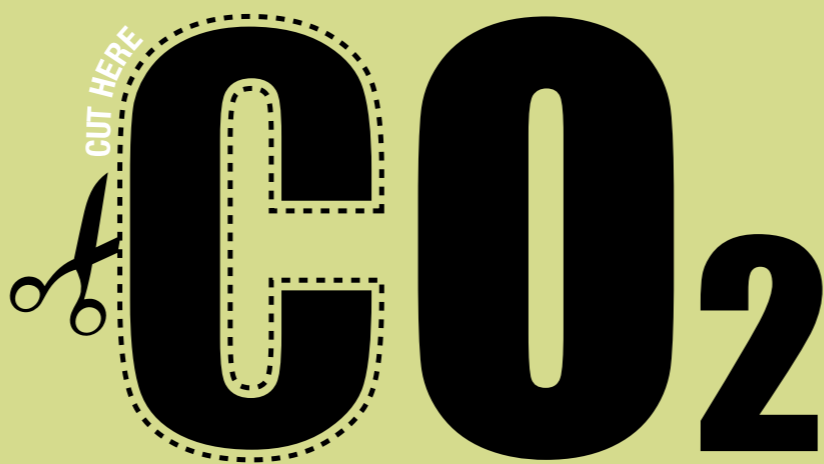
Instead Government is proposing to build new coal-fired power stations that will only emit more carbon. But the UK can take charge. Currently, the UK is struggling to generate 4 per cent of our electricity needs from all renewable sources, and yet offshore wind power alone could deliver the same amount in the next few years. The Prime Minister must choose wisely.



## MAKE THE SWITCH

The UK can produce low carbon power on a mass scale without messing with the economy. Renewable energy is becoming more cost-competitive, while energy bills are soaring, hitting the poorest hardest. UK offshore wind and wave power could bring in an impressive £3 billion and put 160,000 people in work. And investors are putting their money where our mouths are - since 2006 private investment in renewable power has increased by almost 70 per cent.

It's also a question of efficiency and cutting waste to reduce demand. Britons are Europe's worst wasters of energy, and two thirds of energy from coal-fired power stations is lost as heat before you've put the kettle on. What's more, not one commercial coal-fired power station worldwide has yet managed to remove the CO<sub>2</sub> it belches out. We cannot wait until a safe and affordable solution to this problem is found. Time is at a premium. The choice is simple: immediate investment in renewable energy must be Government's top priority.

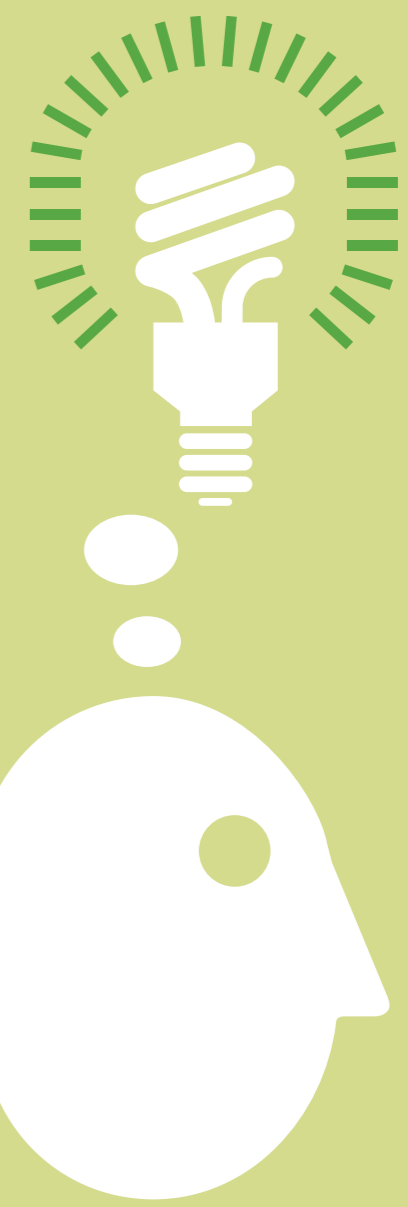


## TAKE CHARGE

We need to act fast. Every passing minute is one less that we have to stop climate chaos. The heat is on Government to make the right decision - one that will shape the rest of our lives and those of future generations.

We want the Prime Minister to give renewable energy the thumbs up; the green light; the go ahead; and to make coal-fired power stations that have little prospect of ever capturing their emissions a thing of the past.

Get on board and have your say. The more of us that make the demand, the bigger the impact we'll have. We're together all the way to a better future.



## 4 million strong and counting

We are the committed supporters, campaigners, students, voters, workers, nature lovers, hearts, minds and voices of 80 organisations. We are environmental and international development charities, trade unions, faith groups and more. We must take action on climate change. We must limit its effect on the world's poorest people, the world's most vulnerable species, and the environment we all depend on. Demanding political action will achieve this. We want renewable energy on a mass scale. And we can get it if we work together. The more of you that get on board, the louder our voice will be, the sooner we can stop climate chaos.



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