

**SPD Adoption Statement
(Regulation 16)**



**BUILDING FOR TOMORROW TODAY: SUSTAINABLE DESIGN AND
CONSTRUCTION SPD**

ADOPTION STATEMENT

The Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) Building for Tomorrow Today for Sustainable Design and Construction was adopted by Leeds City Council on 1 August 2011.

The Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) on sustainable design and construction has the following aims and objectives:

Aim

To provide practical guidance for design and construction projects within Leeds aiming to achieve the highest possible levels of sustainability to support the city in achieving it's social, economic and environmental goals.

Objectives

To support developers in realising projects that:

- Reduce greenhouse gas emissions;
- Successfully adapt to climate change;
- Have a minimal impact on overall environmental quality;
- Provide inclusive development to all users.

Any person with sufficient interest in the decision to adopt the SPD may apply to the High Court for permission to apply for judicial review of that decision. Any such application must be made promptly and in any event not later than 3 months after the date on which the SPD was adopted.

The SPD, the Sustainability Appraisal, a statement summarising the main issues raised during the formal consultation period and how these were addressed in the SPD and a copy of this Adoption Statement can be viewed on the Council's website or at the Development Enquiry Centre, Development Department, Leonardo Building, 2 Rossington Street, Leeds, LS2 8HD (Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 5:00pm) (Wednesday 10:00am – 5:00pm).