

### **Londoners Worst In UK For Energy Efficiency**

London has claimed the title as the UK's worst region when it comes to energy efficiency. According to a poll by energy firm EDF Energy, only 65 per cent of Londoners regularly use energy-saving light bulbs or switched off TVs and computers when not in use. Consumers in northern regions fared better, with 77.8 per cent of those polled in the North East saying they are taking steps to save energy. Travers Clarke-Walker, of EDF Energy says, "We welcome the evidence in this survey that consumers are beginning to take some practical energy savings steps". But he warns the whole of the UK still has a long way to go to become more energy efficient. Further north in Scotland, about two thirds of households would fail an energy efficiency test, according to Scottish Gas. A survey by the gas firm estimated that 2.3 million homes in Scotland could make more than £100 million in energy efficiency savings.

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