19/170 Gas Meter Safety Policy - Stage 3

Summary of Impacts

This proposal involves upholding an existing policy position on the installation of gas meter sets within apartments or other habitable areas and the implementation of a gas meter inspection regime based on a safety analysis.

Key to impacts: Red – negative, Blue – neutral, Green – positive.

Social

Community	
and	individual
healt	th

 Community and individual health will be positively impacted by this proposal through increased safety and awareness of risks associated with internal gas meter sets.

Economic

ACT Government Budget

• There will be no significant impact on the ACT Government Budget.

Environmental

Energy

 As energy efficiency increases, the risk posed by gas meter sets also increases because of the reduced air refresh. By not allowing the installation of gas meter sets in apartments, and implementing an inspection regime for existing installations the energy efficiency is not compromised.