

Rebecca Long- Bailey response to energy price cap

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Long- Bailey MP, Labour's Shadow Minister for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy,

responding to Theresa May's re-announcement of an energy price cap, said:

'Today, after pressure from Labour and her own backbenches, Theresa May has finally been forced to recognise that the energy market is broken. But her response doesn't go nearly far enough.

"It is unclear if responsibility for action has again been passed to OfGem, with no commitment on when or how action will be taken. Yet again the country is left confused about whether the Prime Minister will honour her election promise.

"Labour has been clear that we would introduce a clear emergency price cap whilst taking the bold measures needed to reform our broken energy market in the long run such as bringing energy back into public ownership."