

6.9.6 Materials and Products

Clay plasters

<http://www.tierrafino.nl/eupages/ukpages/index.html>

The Centre for Sustainable Design

<http://www.cfsd.org.uk/>

Forestry Stewardship Council

<http://www.fsc-uk.info/>

Reforestation Scotland

<http://www.reforestingscotland.org/>

Forests Forever

<http://www.forestsforever.org.uk/contents.html>

Linseed oil paints

<http://holkham.co.uk/linseedpaints/>

Alternatives to PVC

<http://archive.greenpeace.org/~toxics/pvcdatabase/productalt.html>

Construction resources; Green Building Supplier

<http://www.constructionresources.com/>

Environmentally Preferable Purchasing Guide US site

http://www.swmcb.org/EPPG/6_2.asp

6.9.7 Funding/ Help/ General

Scottish Energy Efficiency Office

<http://www.energy-efficiency.org/>

Help for local authorities

<http://www.practicalhelp.org.uk/index.html>

Envirowise has a free telephone helpline for advice (0800 585794), as well as free leaflets covering environmental management for a range of different business sectors.

<http://www.envirowise.gov.uk/envirowisev3.nsf>

The DEFRA Sustainable Development Factsheets has information on the government's Sustainable Development Strategy, including what it means for businesses, and what actions businesses are taking.

Sustainable Scotland Website

<http://www.sustainable.Scotland.gov.uk/>

Encyclopedia of Sustainable Construction

<http://www.doc.mmu.ac.uk/eric/esd/menu.html>

Environmental reporting: DEFRA website
<http://www.defra.gov.uk/environment/envrp/index.htm>

Ecobuilding
<http://www.aecb.net/membonly/discus/>

Centre for Alternative Technology – Wales
<http://www.cat.org.uk/>

Green construction news
<http://www.greenconstruction.co.uk/default.htm>

Green construction publishers
<http://www.jxi.com/index.html>

Usable Buildings
<http://www.usablebuildings.co.uk/>

Movement for innovation
<http://www.m4i.org.uk/m4i/>

Mobility and access
<http://www.rnib.org.uk/jmu/welcome.htm>

6.9.8 Funding

<http://www.est.org.uk/communityenergy/funding.cfm>

<http://www.thecarbontrust.co.uk/TheCarbonTrust/Default.htm>

<http://www.biffaward.org/>

<http://www.eca.gov.uk/homepage.asp>

<http://www.forward-scotland.org.uk/>

<http://www.clear-skies.org/default.htm>

6.9.9 Accreditation

The Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment administers the EMAS scheme in the UK. For further information, visit the website or telephone: 01522 540069.

<http://www.emas.org.uk/>

INEM (International Network for Environmental Management), is a non-profit organisation which aims to help companies improve their environmental and economic performance. This web site has very helpful definitions, checklists and downloadable tools specifically to help small and medium-sized businesses carry out environmental management.

<http://www.inem.org/>