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Since its publication in the early 90s, Brenda Boardman's Fuel Poverty has been the reference text for those wishing to learn about this complex subject. In this, its successor, she turns a critical eye to the new millennium and finds that the situation, while now more widely recognised, is far from having improved. The book begins by discussing the political awakening to the issue and exploring just who constitutes the fuel poor. It examines the factors that contribute to fuel poverty - low incomes, high fuel prices and poor quality housing - and looks at and evaluates the policies that have been employed to help reduce the problem. The latter part presents a detailed set of proposals based around long-term improvements in the housing stock that must be employed if we are to avoid a dire situation continuing to get worse. Based on detailed analysis of the situation in the UK, the growth of fuel poverty (sometimes called energy poverty) in other countries and the new focus in European policy makes the book timely and provides important lessons for those who now have to produce policies to tackle the issues.

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This programme sets out the Government's policies and priorities for action on climate change in the UK and internationally. The first section examines the nature and scale of the challenge posed by climate change. It describes the existing international framework for action, including the G8 and EU meetings and resulting plans of action. The Government intends to build on these developments, and also try to influence the rapidly growing economies of India, China, Brazil and others so that they evolve as low-carbon economies. The major part of the report is concerned with the UK's attempt to deliver the Kyoto Protocol target of reducing emissions of six greenhouse gases by 12.5 per cent below base year levels over the 2008-2012 period, and also the domestic goal of reducing carbon dioxide emissions by 20 per cent below 1990 levels by 2010. Projections indicate that CO2 reduction by 2010 will only be some 10.6 per cent below the 1990 level. Sections on the UK emission inventory and projections, the strategy to reduce emissions, and the energy supply sector, are followed by chapters covering particular economic sectors: business; transport, domestic; agriculture and forestry; the public sector. Among policies outlined here are: encouragement of microgeneration and renewable sources of energy; investigation of carbon capture and storage; support for energy efficiency in business, local and central government; increase uptake of biofuels; include aviation in the emissions trading scheme for the EU from 2008; raise energy standards of new and refurbished buildings; introduce the Code for Sustainable Homes; strengthen consumer demand for energy efficiency. The Government also sets out its approach to encourage personal action, as citizens, consumers, motorists and business people. Provision of better information to the public, including an online service on the environmental impact of everyday products and services, will be supplemented by a plan for action on sustainable consumption by the end of 2006.

Economic Report of the President January 2017 Together with the Annual Report of the Council of Economic Advisers

Carbon Management in the Built Environment

Including Testimony ... with Review and Digest Thereof, and a Special Report on Domestic Service

A Directory

The Report: Abu Dhabi 2013

House of Lords official report

Fuel Poverty : Fifth report of session 2009–10, Vol. 2: Oral and written Evidence

Three broad sectors of the economy are generally recognized as key to a low carbon future: energy, construction and transportation. Of these, carbon management in the built environment remains the least well-studied. This much-needed book brings together the latest developments in the field of climate change science, building design, materials science, energy and policy in a form readily accessible to both students of the built environment and practitioners. Although several books exist in the broad area of carbon management, this is the first to bring together carbon management technology, technique and policy as they apply to the building sector. Clear and succinct sections on the overarching principles, policies, approaches and technologies are combined with case studies and more in-depth coverage of the most relevant topics. It explains how to produce a simple carbon footprint calculation, while also being an informative guide for those developing or implementing more advanced approaches. This easy to read book is the ideal primer for anyone needing to get to grips with carbon management in the built environment.

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Beyond decent homes

Real Estate Investor, Homeowner, Home Buyer and Seller Survival Kit Series

Report to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, U.S. House of Representatives, One Hundredth Congress, Second Session

Clay's Handbook of Environmental Health

Fifth Report of Session 2009–10, Vol. 2: Oral and Written Evidence

The UK Programme 2006

Do you remember President Barack Obama's economic priorities during his presidency? The Economic Report of the President is an annual report written by the Chair of the Council of Economic Advisers. An important vehicle for presenting the Administration's domestic and international economic policies, it provides an overview of the nation's economic progress with text and extensive data appendices. This volume pertains to President Barack Obama administration and reviews the efforts of the Obama Administration to ensure economic growth among all American families. This authoritiative resource covers highlights from the eight years of President Barack Obama and his administration's service to the United States of America. American citizens, economists, political scientists, fiscal forecasters, policymakers, market research analysts, financial analysts, policy analysts, management consultants, financial and business reporters may be interested in this volume. High school teachers may be able to use this report for teaching activity-based lessons to high school students as a way to make economics relevant to current events, economic growth, and the role of Government with impact on the fiscal and monetary policy. Undergraduate and graduate students pursuing coursework for economic majors may find this volume useful for research in Economics History, History of Economic Thought, and Economics of Government Regulations classes, while political science students may find this volume useful for research in Public Fiscal Policy, and Political Economics classes. Check out our Economic Policy resources collection here: https://bookstore.gpo.gov/catalog/budget-economy/economic-policy U.S. Federal Budgets available by year are available here: https://bookstore.gpo.gov/catalog/budget-economy/federal-budgets-year Other publications relating to President Barack Obama presidency can be found here: https://bookstore.gpo.gov/catalog/us-military-history/presidential-history/44-barack-obama

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The physical upgrading of the existing domestic and industrialbuilding stock to improve energy performance is an essential partof a transition to a low carbon society. Successfully retrofittingbuildings to improve energy performance is not simply atechnological challenge, it is a complex socio-technical problemthat needs to be addressed in a co-ordinated way, utilising skillsand knowledge from a range of industrial and academicbackgrounds. Within both the academic and practitioner communities there is agrowing understanding of the scale and nature of the problem, onewhich encompasses issues such as policy and regulation, people andbehaviour, supply chain and process, as well as issues oftechnology. Retrofitting the Built Environment discusses thefactors that impact on the retrofit problem, providing a clearanalysis of the main issues that the academic and industrialcommunities must engage with to resolve the problems of domesticenergy and retrofit. The book is divided into four broadsections: Understanding the Problem Policy and Regulation Implementing and Evaluating Retrofit People and Communities Academic and industrial researchers, policy makers and industrypractitioners will find each section covers a mix of policy,technical and social science issues, presented by both academic andindustry authors, giving a wide and detailed perspective of theissue. The Editors Will Swan is a Senior Lecturer in Buildings Retrofit inthe School of the Built Environment at the University of Salford.He leads a number of projects in the field of sustainable retrofit,covering a number of topics including monitoring, behaviour andretrofit project delivery, as part of Salford’s AppliedEnergy and Buildings Research Group. He sits on the GreaterManchester Buildings Group and also is Chair of the RetrofitInnovation Group. Philip Brown is Director and Senior Research Fellow atthe Salford Housing & Urban Studies Unit (SHUSU) at theUniversity of Salford. He is the lead academic on end-use energydemand within the Applied Energy and Buildings Research Group, andsits on Greater Manchester’s Low Carbon Economic Area groupfor Customer Engagement.

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Statistical Reporter

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Surveying Historic Buildings

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This edition of Parker's California Business & Professions Code is from our Parker's California Code Business Series and is a convenient desktop reference containing the California code and regulations you use most in your business practice. This single volume contains the complete primary law plus annotations and other features to help you find what you need quickly and expand your research.

Building Surveyor’s Pocket Book is an accessible encyclopaedia of matters vital to building surveyors. Well-illustrated with diagrams, pictures, tables, and graphs, it covers all essential elements of building pathology, building performance, and building construction terminology in a simple, accessible way for the practitioner and student. This Pocket Book provides a practical and portable reference text, working as a first-stop publication for those wishing to refresh their knowledge or in need of guidance on surveying practice. Working through fundamental principles in key practice areas, the book is not overly bound by the regulation and legislation of one region, and the principles can be applied internationally. This book is ideal reading for individual surveyors, practitioners, and students in building surveying, facilities management, refurbishment, maintenance, renovation, and services management. It is also of use for those interested in building forensics, building performance, pathology, and anyone studying for their RICS APC. Many other professions in architecture, contracting, engineering, and safety will also find the book of use when undertaking similar practice.

Building Surveys

Energy Efficiency Standards for Residential & Nonresidential Buildings

House of Commons official report

HUD Newsletter

fourth report of session 2009-10, Vol. 2: Oral and written evidence

National Coastal Condition Report II

This classic, definitive reference work for all those involved in environmental health is now available in its 19th edition. Significant changes include those made to chapters on food safety and hygiene, environmental protection, the organisation and management of environmental health in the UK, port health, and waste management. New chapters have been added on health development, an introduction to health and housing, contaminated land, and environmental health in emergency planning, as well as a new glossary of abbreviations and acronyms. New material on training and standards, IT, practical risk assessment, and investigatory powers is also included. Each chapter reflects the wider background against which the subjects must be studied and the new concepts and approaches that have emerged over the past few years.

Approximately 600 references arranged by accession numbers. Each entry gives bibliographical information, contact, unit, agency concerned, authority, and abstract. Subject, agency/organization, Congressional indexes.

Describes reports required of executive branch agencies by the Congress on a recurring basis.

Food Bibliography

Climate Change

United States Code

References to Reports and Other Documents Issued by the U.S. General Accounting Office, January 1977-December 1980

The Parliamentary Debates (Hansard).

Fixing Fuel Poverty

This bestselling book has been fully revised and updated to include valuable new case studies and examples which help to demonstrate the common problems found in older buildings. It features many additional photographs illustrating the decay mechanims and individual issues associated with damp, timber decay, masonry defects, roofing problems and many other aspects. The book begins by summarizing the basics of surveying practice, including the inspection, assessment, defect diagnosis and monitoring of defects. It then examines the building elements, discussing their construction, typical faults and their diagnoses. This section provides specific advice on assessing industrial monuments and features concise inspection checklists for ease of reference. In the final section, the author looks to the future, considering the specific challenges faced by property professionals when employed to survey historic buildings. The book is accompanied by comprehensive appendices, including sample survey forms, and a list of useful contacts is followed by an extensive bibliography. This book will be of particular interest to conservation officers, surveyors, architects, archaeologists and planners.

The Department of Energy and Climate Change's Warm Front Scheme to tackle fuel poverty in England helped to improve the energy efficiency of over 635,000 households between June 2005 and March 2008. There were, however, 1.9 million vulnerable households in 2006, so this rate of progress will still leave many in fuel poverty in 2010. The installation of central heating systems and insulation in homes has helped vulnerable. 86 per cent of assisted households are either highly satisfied or satisfied with the work done. The delivery of the Scheme has been largely effective but it has been impaired by problems in Scheme design. The Government's use of proxy measures, such as benefit entitlement, to determine who is eligible for Scheme grants is a pragmatic approach, but it has resulted in inefficient targeting of resources. Fifty-seven per cent of vulnerable households in fuel poverty do not claim the relevant benefits to qualify for the Scheme. And nearly 75 per cent of households who would qualify are not necessarily in fuel poverty. In addition, between June 2005 and March 2008 the Scheme has given £ 34 million in grants to households whose properties were already comparatively energy efficient. Gas and oil boiler replacement costs are at the higher end of the range, partly because of Scheme specifications. The grant available has not increased since 2005 and more applicants (around 25 per cent in 2007-08) are having to contribute towards the cost of the work carried out. Some eligible applicants are therefore withdrawing from the Scheme, or not progressing their applications (around 20,400 households in total as of October 2008).

Since the first edition was published in 1983, Building Surveys has been the core text in its field for students and professionals alike. Covering everything needed for initial inspections such as equipment, know-how and procedures to writing an accurate report, this book is a proven indispensable guide. It considers all the structural elements required when surveying a property for example, foundations, walls and roofs as well as what to look out for and how to deal with it. Legal considerations and recent cases are used to illustrate good working practice making this a comprehensive text to this important subject.

Energy Research Abstracts

Energy Abstracts for Policy Analysis

Occupational Outlook Handbook

Building Surveyor ’ s Pocket Book

Retrofitting the Built Environment

Challenges and Solutions

This clear and accessible guide provides a comprehensive outline on how to convert your house into a more 'green' home. Buildings are the greates energy wasters and for those of us concerned about the environment, and household bills, this book presents the key design changes that we can implement to our own homes to remedy energy loss. This title covers the full range of design chanegs that are available to the homeowner and designer for renovation, from the roof to the basement, from insulation to windows. It also feature a selection of case studies illustrating the experiences of other homeowners and designers and how they have adapted and used the technology available to them in creating an energy efficient home. This is a practical, hands-on guide, ideal for architects, designers and homeowners.

Represents the annual report of the President's Council of Economic Advisers. Appendix B contains historical tables (from 1959 or earlier) on aspects of income (national, personal, and corporate), production, prices, employment, investment, taxes and transfers, and money and finance.

Contains the 4th session of the 28th Parliament through the session of the Parliament.

Report of the Industrial Commission on the Relations and Conditions of Capital and Labor Employed in Manufactures and General Business ...

Fuel Poverty

N.E.L.A. Bulletin

Monthly Catalogue, United States Public Documents

Parker's California Business & Professions Code

Some vols. include supplemental journals of "such proceedings of the sessions, as, during the time they were depending, were ordered to be kept secret, and respecting which the injunction of secrecy was afterwards taken off by the order of the House".

Lists the California code regulations for energy efficient standards for residential and nonresidential buildings. Changes made since the 1992 version are marked with a bar in the outside margin and the index is also expanded to include many more useful terms. Changes focus on improving compliance by more clearly describing the responsibilities of each party in the compliance and construction process. Numerous charts and tables.

Parliamentary Debates (Hansard).

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Journal of the Senate of the United States of America

Real Estate from A to Z

Journal of the House of Representatives of the United States

Poverty in Scotland