

## Front of house

### Use energy efficient lighting as appropriate in public areas

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Compass Theatre is investigating how it can take this further

### Implement accurate heating and cooling systems controls and check heating and cooling time controls and set points weekly

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Kenneth More Theatre is now using its BMS more effectively and is now using its hot water system more efficiently

### Investigate efficiency of hand dryers in public toilets

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Duchess Theatre has installed new low energy hand dryers

### Ensure time/daylight sensing controls are used on exterior and front of house displays

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Ecovenue best practice guidance

## Auditorium

### Avoid heat waste in auditoria through use of a building management system

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A BMS would be ideal for complex buildings such as The Drill Hall

### Ensure blacked out windows are insulated

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The Finborough is being encouraged to insulate unused windows

### Keep doors and curtains closed to retain heat and reduce draughts

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### Use natural ventilation where possible to reduce energy consumption

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Little Angel Theatre's Advisory Report recommends 'stack' ventilators

### Only use house lights when the house is open

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Small venues such as Tara and the Bush would benefit from dedicated low energy auditorium working lights

## Backstage

### Use occupancy detectors to switch off dressing room lights when empty

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All venues Advisory Reports include this recommendation

### Use mirror lights which save energy and provide an acceptable colour temperature

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Bush Theatre advised to replace lamps

### Fit sheet draught excluders to dock or get-in doors

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Compass Theatre's Advisory Report recommends installation

### Fit thermostatic radiator valves to radiators in backstage areas

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### Inspect boilers regularly and look to replace any boiler over 15 years old

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Little Angel Theatre is investigating a new biomass boiler

## Onstage

Use serges made from recycled fabric, and further recycle them when no longer needed

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Douse moving lights and projectors once rig-checked and re-strike at 'the half'

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Recommended to the Duchess as best practice for West End theatres

Recycle post-show waste – up to 90% can be recycled

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Ecovenue best practice

Use appropriate stage working lights – low energy floodlights if possible

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Small spaces such as TARA Arts don't always need halogen sources as work lights

Living 'green' walls can help keep stages cool in summer and warm in winter

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Little Angel Theatre's living wall will help regulate the temperature of its stage house