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## New Current Cost Home Energy Monitor Named as a Which? Best Buy

Colourful new EnviR from energy monitor specialist, Current Cost, achieves top scores in independent tests by Which?

The new <u>EnviR</u> from <u>Current Cost</u>, the global manufacturer of energy monitoring technology, has been recognised as a <u>Which? Best Buy</u> in its recent round-up of energy monitors. The EnviR monitor is the latest in the energy specialist's range of innovative technologies which help UK householders to identify energy wastage.

When combined with a Current Cost Meter Reader, an LED sensor that connects the EnviR to the meter, the device has 100% accurate meter reading competence, enabling users to calculate exactly what their electricity bills will total without the need to contact their utilities provider.

The EnviR was named as a Best Buy product in the January 2011 issue of *Which?*. Achieving top marks for accuracy, the Current Cost EnviR, Trec and EcoManager all scored the highest possible rating in this category. The new EnviR monitor also scored excellently for its quality of information, with the daily usage bar chart singled out as being a particularly good visual feature.

The organisation said it had awarded Best Buys to "energy monitors that have proved they can report electricity usage accurately and consistently, as well as presenting the information in a useful and easily understandable way."

The new EnviR monitor is available in a range of colourful casings and contains all the monitoring features of Current Cost's existing <u>ENVI</u> device combined with new, advanced functionality. "The

EnviR is our most intelligent monitor to date and we are delighted that it has been recognised by Which? as a Best Buy," says Current Cost managing director, Martin Dix.

## **Facts**

- Current Cost's engaging and interactive devices are already being used by well over 1.5 million domestic users in the UK and overseas
- Leading the battle against energy waste and improving domestic energy efficiency as a whole remains a top priority for the technology specialist
- Teamed with the Current Cost <u>Internet Bridge Connection</u> device, users can access the data remotely 'anytime and anywhere'
- To be in with a chance of winning an EnviR device for the office and a bundle of Current Cost technologies, businesses should register at currentcost.com/smartpower

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## **Notes to Editors**

<u>Current Cost</u> was founded in 2004 and is the UK's most experienced manufacturer of real time displays for monitoring domestic electricity usage. The company continues to lead the market in innovation and was the first manufacturer to supply RTDs to the Top Six energy companies. Current Cost continues to lead the market in innovative RTD design and is the largest supplier worldwide, with over 1.5 million monitors installed to-date. C<sup>2</sup> proprietary technology is found in all the company's range of devices and is available in individual recognition plugs, standard meters and load management devices. The information gathered by the C<sup>2</sup> software can be downloaded to a PC or as a part web application, so that households, housing associations and any other organisation can track improvement in energy efficiency and reduce wastage.

<sup>\*</sup> EnviR, Trec and EDF Ecomanager are all products manufactured by Current Cost Ltd.