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**“Capacity, co-ordination and power in local climate
policy-making:
Comparing English and German municipalities”**

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