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The political uncertainty arising from the indecisive result of yesterday's UK general election has cast into doubt the ability of the ruling Conservatives to impose a cap on retail energy tariffs and pursue other energy policies pledged in the party manifesto.

The collapse in Conservative support led to a hung parliament and unconfirmed reports of an informal deal brewing with the Democratic Unionist Party (DUP) in Northern Ireland to prop up a slim two-seat Tory majority in the House of Commons.

A so-called "supply agreement" with the DUP "will shift the government slightly ...



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