Feedback Form

Draft Long-Term RFQ – Version 2 posted April 22, 2022

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The Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) is seeking feedback from participants on the proposed revisions captured in version 2 of the draft Long-Term Request for Qualifications (LT1 RFQ). The LT 1 RFQ will seek to ensure that interested parties have sufficient financial capacity and experience to undertake project development for the LT1 RFP.

The draft LT1 RFQ can be found on the Long-Term RFP webpage.

Please provide feedback by May 2, 2022 to engagement@ieso.ca.

Please use subject header: **Draft Long-Term 1 RFQ**. To promote transparency, this feedback will be posted on the Long-Term RFP webpage unless otherwise requested by the sender.

The IESO will work to consider and incorporate comments as appropriate and post responses on the webpage.

Thank you for your contribution.



Draft LT 1 RFQ

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Topic/ RFQ Section	Feedback
Qualification Submission	
Qualification Submission / Section 2.7 (b)(i)	
Team Member Mandatory Requirements Large-Scale Team Member Experience / Section 3.2 (a)	Bedrock Energy Corp. ("Bedrock") believes that requiring an applicant that is submitting to the RFQ via the Team Member Mandatory Requirements avenue to demonstrate that they have achieved a Commercial Operating Date ("COD") for a past project in any jurisdiction in Canada or the United States of America no more than 15 years prior to the date of the RFQ submission, in accordance with the definition of a Qualifying Large-Scale Project, as prescribed in section 3.3(a)(i) of the most recent Draft RFQ (dated April 22, 2022), is unnecessarily restrictive. For example, taking into account the recent historic development context in Ontario, there have not been many dispatchable, non-renewable generation and no grid-scale energy storage developments constructed in this timeframe. This 15-year is respectfully too short; that timeframe essentially only reflects the procurements conducted by the predecessor to the IESO, the Ontario Power Authority, in the early-to-mid-2000s, and nothing of significance beforehand. Alternatively, Bedrock suggests that there is benefit of available experience if the IESO were to extend this requirement to 30 years, which is a timeframe more reflective of previous large project builds in Ontario.
Team Member Mandatory Requirements	
Small-Scale Team Member Experience / Section 3.2 (b)	

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Evaluation of Entity Development Experience Threshold	
Large-Scale Entity Development Experience Threshold / Section 3.3 (a)	
Evaluation of Entity Development Experience Threshold	
Small-Scale Entity Development Experience Threshold / Section 3.3 (b)	
Determination of Eligibility	
Section 3.4	

General Comments/Feedback