

# 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](mailto: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

<b>Topic/ RFQ Section</b>	<b>Feedback</b>
<b>Qualification Submission</b>  Qualification Submission / Section 2.7 (b)(i)	Section 2.7 (b)(ii): Could IESO please advise the attachment size limit for electronic delivery? Files may be large and lead to multiple email threads for submission package. Alternatively, if there is an online portal for the Proponents to upload the submission, this would prevent multiple submission threads.
<b>Team Member Mandatory Requirements</b>  Large-Scale Team Member Experience / Section 3.2 (a)	N/A
<b>Team Member Mandatory Requirements</b>  Small-Scale Team Member Experience / Section 3.2 (b)	N/A

## Evaluation of Entity Development Experience Threshold

Large-Scale Entity Development Experience Threshold /  
Section 3.3 (a)

Section 3.3 (a)(ii) requires Applicants to provide "evidence of applicable environmental and energy or electricity-sector permits or licenses, interconnection agreements and market participation or registration documentation in respect of the Qualifying Large-Scale Project (each as applicable) as well as documentary evidence of the achievement of commercial operation in respect of such Qualifying Large-Scale Project." Projects that are already in operation would have obtained and executed required permits and agreements to be in compliance for commercial operation. For operation projects, as they would have met the necessary permit compliance and executed required agreements, would IESO instead accept evidence of the achievement of commercial operation for Qualifying Large-Scale Project from Applicants with experience developing large-scale projects?

Section 3.3 (a)(ii) requires Applicants to provide "certified copies of the securities register(s) of the applicable Person(s) (and any legal name-change documentation, if applicable)" where such documents are not issued in the name of the RFQ Applicant. If Qualifying Large-Scale Projects are owned by its respective SPV that is ultimately owned by the Applicant or by a Control Member, would IESO consider accepting an organizational chart without the certified copies of the securities register(s) holdings?

Section 3.3(a)(iii) requires the Applicants to provide a contact name, email and phone number of a reference person employed with the applicable Governmental Authority (or equivalent) or utility responsible for the procurement or regulation of the Qualifying Large-Scale Project" for those that are outside of Ontario. Would IESO accept

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	contact details of the phase leader of the Project(s) who has/had the experience developing and was responsible for responding to the procurement and/or regulation of the Project(s)?
<b>Evaluation of Entity Development Experience Threshold</b>  Small-Scale Entity Development Experience Threshold / Section 3.3 (b)	N/A
<b>Determination of Eligibility</b>  Section 3.4	N/A

### General Comments/Feedback

Would IESO consider provide draft Prescribed Forms for Applicants to review earlier?