

Feedback Form

Transmitter Selection Framework – July 25, 2024

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Following the July 25, 2024 Transmitter Selection Framework (TSF) focused engagement session, the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) is seeking feedback from stakeholders on the items discussed during the webinar. The webinar presentation and recording can be accessed from the [engagement web page](#).

Please submit feedback to engagement@ieso.ca by **August 9, 2024.** If you wish to provide confidential feedback, please submit as a separate document, marked "Confidential". Otherwise, to promote transparency, feedback that is not marked "Confidential" will be posted on the engagement webpage.

Topic	Feedback
<p>Partial Contracting Evaluation:</p> <p>In your view, does the proposed "Partial Contracting Approach" sufficiently:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safeguard ratepayers against project risks? • Promote competition? • Promote Indigenous Participation? 	<p><u>Yes, this approach maybe the optimal approach since it simplifies bookkeeping and discourages excess billing. It promotes competition because this model does not address operation and maintenance. This model does support indigenous participation because it allows for an easier bookkeeping and discourages excess billing.</u></p>
<p>Qualified Transmitter Registry:</p> <p>Does a flexible application submission window for a qualified transmitter registry meet developers/stakeholders needs?</p>	<p><u>BetweenThere is a fine line between the need for supporting relevant experience and financial stability, construction and operations and maintenance to undertake transmission projects with long term goals. On the other hand, supporting competition of new transmitters to Ontario supports the experience of other potential transmitters. And this flexibility will inherently meet the needs of developers/stakeholders with the best interest of qualifications.</u></p>
<p>Evaluation Criteria Review:</p> <p>Has the IESO captured all of the necessary evaluation guiding principles and criteria within an expected transmission project proposal?</p>	<p><u>–Good question – the evaluation process is extensive with respect to criteria requirements but to meet all of the requirements satisfactorily may be to challenging for competitors.</u></p>
<p>Indigenous Participation Criteria:</p> <p>What criteria should be considered to assess a proponent's experience with Indigenous participation and partnerships?</p>	<p><u>Experience with construction, operations and maintenance, financial strength would benefit/strengthen the indigenenous participation and partnerships.</u></p>

General Comments/Feedback

No comment at this time.