

Feedback Form

Long-Term RFP – May 4, 2023

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Following the May 4th public webinar on the Long-Term RFP (LT1 RFP), the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) is seeking feedback from participants on design of the LT1 RFP and LT1 Contract.

The referenced presentation can be found on the [Long-Term RFP webpage](#).

Please provide feedback by May 18, 2023 to engagement@ieso.ca.

Please use subject header: **Long-Term RFP**. 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.

Areas of Feedback:

Topic	Feedback
The revised proposed procurement timeline presented on May 4, with regards to changes to the schedule of the Deliverability Test process.	With many details of LT1 still not released by the IESO and many last minute timeline changes and requirements it makes it more challenging to keep pace and manage all the priorities to ensure projects are ready for this fall. Please consider reverting to the original schedule.
The proposed broadened definition of an Eligible Expansion facility, which gives the optionality of connecting to a separate connection point as long as the new resource remains within the boundaries of the existing site.	
The removal of locational Rated Criteria points due to a provincial wide Capacity need within the timeframe of the LT1 RFP.	

Other or General Comments/Feedback:

We would like to comment on a decision pending E-LT1 results that was raised at the webinar. As a company committed to public engagement and consultation we are concerned with the requirements to complete municipal resolutions prior to submission despite IESO still not releasing materials on what is required for community engagement. Municipalities often have no or less frequent meetings in the summer months and summer vacation may also harm our potential public meeting attendance. Without the rush we can have a more thoughtful and thorough engagement process.