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Certification of Reserve Capacity

Defines:

 conditions for certification for existing, new and upgraded facilities on a yearly basis (MR's 4.10 & 4.11)

Mechanism for:

- new Certified Reserve capacity to enter Market and existing capacity to
 obtain continued certification
- Market Participants to underwrite new projects through guaranteed revenue stream

2013 Cycle for the 2015/16 Capacity Year Timeline

Applications open



2013 Cycle for the 2015/16 Capacity Year – Key Dates

- 1 May 2013
- applications open
- 1 July 2013
- applications close
- 19 August 2013
- IMO notifies Participants of assigned CRC
- 2 September 2013
- security required for New Facilities/Upgrades
- declaration of CRC traded bilaterally vs. offer into Auction
- 3 September 2013
- IMO confirms bilaterally tradeable capacity with Market Participants
- 4 September 2013
- IMO publishes CRC for each Facility

Information Requirements

Information requirement details:

- MR 4.10
- 'Information for Applications for Certification of Reserve Capacity' user-guide on IMO website <u>http://www.imowa.com.au/f179,2624863/Microsoft_Word_-</u> <u>Information_for_Applications_for_Certification_of_Reserve_Capacity.pdf</u>
- summary excel spread-sheet shown below for submission to IMO in hard-copy or via
 email
- all documentation must be received before the close of the certification window

	Rule Requirement	Rule Requirement	Market Rule 4.10.1	Market Participant Response
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CRC Applications – Information Requirements MR 4.10.1

All Facilities require:

- ➢ key project dates
- excel spread-sheet

All generators (Scheduled & Non-scheduled) require:

- > evidence that Environmental Approvals have been granted or will likely be
- vidence of an Arrangement for Network Access

All scheduled generators require:

evidence of Fuel Contracts

All intermittent generators require:

Expert Report where less than 5 years old or for upgrades

DSP's require:

hours and periods of availability

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Online Submissions in WEMS/MPI

Pre-requisites for WEMS submission:

- Registered Market Participant Status
- WEMS access
- Facility name registration

WEMS submissions:

- All Facilities (existing/upgrades and new)
- User guide for submissions (CSV or XML) can be found on the IMO website:

http://www.imowa.com.au/f4768,1615280/File_Exchange_-

_Specification_XML_and_CSV_v3.0.pdf

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Assessment Process – Key Considerations

Outages

IMO may decide not to assign CRC to a Facility where:

- operating for >36 months and Forced Outage rate >15% or combined outage rate >30% over the last 36 months
- operating <36 months and likely to have a Forced Outage rate >15% or combined outage rate >30% over 36 months

Demand Side Programmes

CRC not to exceed the IMO's reasonable expectation of Relevant Demand less the minimum load

Network Access

- DSOC limits and runback schemes may result in generators being certified for less than their nameplate capacity
- Static system studies to be completed for new generation facilities/upgrades
- CRC based on actual/estimated output of candidate facilities in peak trading intervals from prior 5 years

Committed Status Requirements

- The IMO can not assign CRC to a Facility that is not expected to be a Registered Facility by 1 October 2015
- Generators must have:
- environmental approvals
- completed access studies
- ➢ fuel contracts

Conditional Certified Reserve Capacity:

- where committed status can not be verified it is possible for Conditional Status to be granted
- can be converted to Certified Reserve Capacity if the requirements to prove committed status are met during future cycles

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