

Question 60: (Translated from French)

Where a project is located on private land, if a variant has an installed capacity less than its main offer:

1. Is it possible to reduce the size of the site proposed in the main offer?
2. Is it necessary to provide a new turbines supply agreement for the project's variant?
3. Is it necessary to provide resolutions of acceptance and support of the project's variant by local authorities?

Answer 60:

1. As mentioned in Section 2.2.1 of the Call for tenders document, the bidder must demonstrate that he has valid letters of intent or option agreements for at least 60% of the units of assessment on which the wind farm infrastructures are to be located, both for the main offer and for each variant. As noted in Section 3.2.4 of the Bid form, a separate table must be provided for the main offer and for each of the variant, if its physical layout differs from the main offer.

Remember also that, under Section 3.9 of the Call for tenders document, a site other than the one proposed in the main offer cannot be considered as a variant and must be presented in a separate bid.

2. Insofar as the statement signed jointly by the bidder and its manufacturer apply equally to the bid's variants and main offer, it is not necessary to provide new statements specific to each variant.
3. Insofar as the resolutions from the local authorities apply equally to the bid's variants and main offer, it is not necessary to provide new resolutions specific to each variant.