

SK: Rules of auctions for new energy production sources from renewable sources of energy

On 3 February 2020 the Ministry of Economy of the Slovak Republic (hereinafter referred to as the "ME SR") published a call for submitting tenders to a selection procedure for the systems of producers of electricity from renewable energy sources entitled to a support. The conditions of the participation in the tender are as follows:



Time period for submitting bids

- 30 April 2020 until 15.00 p.m.

Available new capacity (subject matter of the tender)

- 30 MW of electrical energy produced from ASE

New potential resources (parameters)

- solar energy
 - installed power from 100 kW do 2 MW including
 - placement only on a roof, external cladding of buildings or on the premises which are not considered as agricultural premises
- biomass, biofuel, landfill gas, gas from sewage treatment plants, wind energy, water energy or geothermal energy
 - installed power from 500 kW to 10 MW including

Maximum offering price (higher price offers shall not be considered)

- EUR 84.98 EUR/MWh for solar and wind energy
- EUR 106.80 EUR/MWh for all other types of renewable resources
- successful candidates shall qualify for the support in a form of a supplementary charge in a sum corresponding to a difference between the price of saleable electricity and the price offered by them in a tender

Basic conditions for participation in the auction

- sending an individual application form and an individual price offer on the forms of the ME SR
- a candidate may submit 5 price offers at most
- the only criterion for assessment of the auctions is the amount of the offered price EUR/MWh (the lowest price wins)

Demonstration of the conditions

- a candidate must be a legal person with a registered office in a member state of the European union or in a state which is a contractual party to the Agreement on the European Economic Area
- a candidate may not have arrears in taxes, levies customs, penalties, may not be in the insolvency, restructuring or liquidation proceedings
- Affidavit that a candidate is not a company in difficulty
- Affidavit on submission of a signed proposal of the Contract on the supplementary charge with OKTE, a. s.

Bid evaluation process

1. the ME SR shall evaluate whether the application and the price offer comply with the formal requirements, if not, the bid shall not be taken into further consideration
2. OKTE, a. s. shall evaluate whether the Contract on the supplementary charge is duly completed, if not, the bid shall not be taken into consideration
3. deposition of the guarantee in the amount of EUR 75,000 EUR/MW in the form of (a) cash, (b) a bank guarantee, (c) a combination of cash and a bank guarantee
4. OKTE, a. s. shall inform the ME SR about the fulfilment of the obligations pursuant to the Contract on the supplementary charge, if not, the bid shall not be taken into consideration
5. the ME SR shall open and evaluate the price offers; the results of the public procurement shall be published on their web page

Obligatory time periods of activation of an installation (from the date of publishing the results of the public procurement)

- the systems utilizing solar energy up to 21 months
- the systems utilizing wind energy up to 39 months
- other systems up to 51 months

Time period of provision of support

- 15 years following the day of activation of an installation

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