

## **Renewable Power Capital response to Ofgem's consultation on the approach to disputes and determinations from the Gate 2 to Whole Queue exercise**

### **About Renewable Capital**

Renewable Power Capital (RPC) is a London-headquartered pan-European renewables company established in 2020, with the backing of CPP Investments, one of the world's largest pension funds. We invest in the development, construction, and long-term operation of renewables and storage projects, enabling the energy transition and driving stable long-term, risk-adjusted returns. Our flexible investment mandate allows us to structure investments which recognise the changing market dynamics in Europe and create innovative solutions to build relationships designed for decades rather than months. RPC is led by a seasoned and established team of energy investment professionals with deep renewable power, technical, and operational expertise, and a strong common purpose.

### **Overall feedback**

The ADR is generally as expected, but it should be important to be transparent about what evidence has been provided by NESO and the DNOs in circumstances where a dispute should be triggered, as this will be key as part of the dispute for determination.

### **Consultation question responses:**

1. Does the G2tWQ Determinations Guidance in Appendix 1 clearly set out the Authority's determination processes for disputes arising from the Gate 2 to Whole Queue exercise and its expectations of disputing parties?
  - Broadly agree with the process proposed.
2. Is there any additional clarity that you think is needed on the determinations procedures in the G2tWQ Determinations Guidance?
  - No further clarity on the determination procedures required based on the current proposal, however, where a dispute is raised directly with either NESO or a DNO, it would be good for Ofgem to provide reassurance on the need for an open and transparent response.