

Proposal for a Capacity Market Rules Change



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Reference number (to be
completed by Ofgem):
CP149

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Type of Change:

- Amendment
- Addition
- Revoke
- Substitution

If applicable, whether you are aware of an alternative proposal already submitted which this proposal relates to:

What the proposal relates to and if applicable, what current provision of Rules the proposal relates to (please state provision number):

Rule 3.4.5
Calculation and submission of De-rating Factors and Anticipated De-rated Capacity by a Capacity Market applicant.

Description of the issue that the change proposal seeks to address:

Currently, all applicants are required by Rule 3.4.5 to calculate and submit de-rating factors and Anticipated De-rated Capacity for CMUs, but there is currently no provision within the Delivery Body's Capacity Market Portal for this information to be submitted.

However, these factors are determined automatically by the Delivery Body within its Portal, on submission of relevant CMU information by each applicant.

This proposal seeks to remove the requirement on Applicants to submit De-rating Factors and Anticipated De-rated Capacity, as Applicants are unable to fulfil this obligation.

As De-rating Factors are automatically calculated by the Delivery Body's Portal, the Rule imposes an unnecessary condition on Applicants.

If applicable, please state the proposed revised drafting (please highlight the change):

Delete Rules 3.4.5(c) and 3.4.5(d).

Analysis and evidence on the impact on industry and/or consumers including any risks to note when making the revision - including, any potential implications for industry codes:

Improves clarity between Applicants, Delivery Body and Ofgem, when conforming with The Rules.

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