

#### Australian Jobs Act 2013

AIP Plan reference code: 9622S55J

## Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

Nominated project proponent: Forest Wind Stage 1 Pty Limited as trustee for Forest Wind Stage 1 Trust

#### Project details

Name: Forest Wind

Location: Wide Bay region of south-east Queensland, between Maryborough and Gympie

Type: Electricity facility

Purpose: Establish new facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: Forest Wind (the Project) is a proposed wind farm development in the Wide Bay Region of south-east Queensland, between Maryborough and Gympie within Australia's largest exotic pine plantation. The wind farm has been approved for up to 226 wind turbines with a potential capacity of up to 1,200 MW. The wind farm has the potential to produce approximately 3,800 GWH annually, which would power about 500,000 average Queensland homes. On completion of construction, the Project will comprise wind turbines and related ancillary infrastructure including the following: • Wind turbines, including foundations and hardstand • Access roads (utilising existing forestry tracks) • Public road upgrades, including site entrances • Underground electrical reticulation • High-voltage substations • Overhead HV electrical lines • Battery facilities • Meteorological masts and systems, and • Operations compounds, including workshops. The Traditional Owners of the land on which the Project is proposed to be located are the Butchulla First Nations People and the Kabi Kabi First Nations People. More details on the Project can be found at www.forestwind.com.au

Completion date: 31 Dec 2029

## Key goods and services

Indicative list of key goods and services to be acquired for the project:

| Key goods and services                         | Opportunities for Australian entities* | Opportunities fo<br>non-Australian<br>entities |
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| Wind Turbines<br>(Nacelles, Hubs &<br>Blades)  | No                                     | Yes  |
| Wind Turbine Towers                            | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Wind Turbine Foundation<br>Bolts               | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Quarry Materials                               | Yes                                    | No   |
| Concrete Supply                                | Yes                                    | No   |
| Reinforcing Steel                              | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Electrical Cabling                             | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Electrical Transmission<br>Line Poles & Towers | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Electrical Substation Equipment                | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| International Shipping & Logistics             | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Domestic Transport &<br>Logistics              | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Earthmoving & Excavation                       | Yes                                    | No   |
| Design & Construction of Roads & Hardstands    | Yes                                    | No   |
| Construction of Wind<br>Turbine Foundations    | Yes                                    | No   |
| Construction of<br>Underground Cabling         | Yes                                    | No   |
| Construction of OHL                            | Yes                                    | No   |
| Construction of Electrical Substations         | Yes                                    | No   |
| Erection & Installation of Wind Turbines       | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Engineering & Design Consultancy Services      | Yes                                    | Yes  |
| Project Management<br>Services                 | Yes                                    | No   |

## Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities

Wind Turbine Original Equipment Manufactures (OEMs) all have their manufacturing facilities offshore.

Project standards:

Australian International

<sup>\*</sup>An Australian entity is an entity with an ABN or ACN

#### Supplier information and communication

Project proponent's contact person for supplier enquiries:

Contact person name Adam Mackett
Contact person position
Phone number 0402248327

E-mail adam.mackett@tiltrenewables.com

Project proponent website: www.forestwind.com.au/

Project opportunities website: Forest Wind is using the Industry Capability Network (ICN) Gateway to provide opportunities for potential suppliers of the key goods and services to register their interest for the Forest Wind project. Individual work packages, including those which would be offered by the primary contractors (WTG Supply & Install Contractor, and Balance of Plant Contractor) are published on the ICN Gateway webpage to capture the opportunities for these key goods and services. Forest Wind JV will also utilise Tilt Renewables' Goods and Services database for the Forest Wind project (www.forestwind.com.au). In future, the successful primary contractors (WTG Supply & Install, and Balance of Plan) will also be required to maintain websites with details on pre-qualification and tender requirement for the relevant work packages.

Supplier engagement and communication actions:

Engage with vendor identification agencies on project opportunities and bid processes

Conduct supplier information briefings on project opportunities and bid processes

Issue media releases or ASX announcements on project developments and opportunities

Directly contact suppliers with information on project opportunities and bid processes

The Forest Wind project website is actively maintained and will be updated on an on-going basis throughout the project development, construction, and operations phases.

#### Building Australian industry capability

Supplier capability development actions:

Recommend suppliers undertake training and/or accreditation Provide market intelligence to suppliers

Global supply chain integration actions:

Introduce suppliers to global supply chain partners Provide references for high performing suppliers

Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

As part of further developing the Australian industry capability, Forest Wind JV will provide feedback to the unsuccessful tenders of the primary contractors (WTG Supply & Install, and Balance of Plant) as part of improvement for future tender opportunities. Forest Wind JV will require that the successful primary contractors provide feedback on their tendered work packages to ensure that unsuccessful bidders can improve the competitiveness for future opportunities through understanding both the strengths and weaknesses of their unsuccessful tender. This feedback would include recommendations of any relevant training, skills, capability and capacity which needs to be improved for future opportunities.

# Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Operations Phase

Nominated facility operator: Tilt Renewables Australia Pty Ltd

#### Facility details

Name: Forest Wind

Location: Wide Bay region of south-east Queensland, between Maryborough and Gympie

Type: Electricity facility

#### Key goods and services

Indicative list of key goods and services to be acquired for the new facility:

Key goods and services

Opportunities for non-Australian entities

Operations and Maintenance

Yes

Opportunities for non-Australian entities

Explanation for no opportunities for non-Australian entities

Explanation for no opportunities for non-Australian entities

Yes

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Facility standards:

Wind Farm

Australian International

#### Supplier information and communication

Facility operator's contact person for supplier enquiries:

Contact person name Barend van der Poll
Contact person position Asset Manager
Phone number 0437361364

E-mail barend.vanderpoll@tiltrenewables.com

Facility operator website: The Forest Wind project will either be included in Tilt Renewables Portfolio (www.tiltrenewables.com/assets-and-projects/) or the Forest Wind website will be maintained (www.forestwind.com.au). Either website will be used to promote the project and will include various methods for potential suppliers to contact the Proponent.

Facility opportunities website: The Forest Wind project website used during the operational phase will be used to promote the project and will include various methods for potential suppliers to contact the Proponent. The O&M Contractors will typically maintain websites with details for potential suppliers to register their interest in opportunities.

Supplier engagement and communication actions:

Promote project opportunities through industry associations

Conduct supplier information briefings on project opportunities and bid processes

Issue media releases or ASX announcements on project developments and opportunities

Signboard for facility will have contact details for anyone wishing to contact the proponent

### Building Australian industry capability

Supplier capability development actions:

Recommend suppliers undertake training and/or accreditation Provide market intelligence to suppliers

Global supply chain integration actions:

Introduce suppliers to global supply chain partners

Provide references for high performing suppliers

The proponent regularly shares any supplier information with the major contractors

Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

As part of further developing the Australian industry capability, the proponent will provide feedback to the unsuccessful tenders of the O&M Contract as part of improvement for future tender opportunities. The proponent will also require that the successful O&M Contractor provides feedback on their tendered work packages to ensure that unsuccessful bidders can improve the competitiveness for future opportunities through understanding both the strengths and weaknesses of their unsuccessful tender. This feedback would include recommendations of any relevant training, skills, capability and capacity which needs to be improved for future opportunities.