



Australian Jobs Act 2013

Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

Nominated project proponent: WELLINGTON NORTH SOLAR FARM PTY LIMITED

Project details

Name: Wellington North Solar Farm Pty Limited

Location: Wellington, NSW

Type: Electricity facility

Purpose: Establish new facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: Wellington North Solar Farm (the Project) is a proposed solar farm located approximately 5km North of Wellington, NSW. The project is intended to consist of over 750,000 PV panels, 104 medium voltage power conversion stations and associated balance of plant, and will have a DC nameplate capacity of 425MWp. It will connect into the national electricity grid via an overhead line into the TransGrid's 330kV Wellington substation. The Project will engage an EPC Contractor to provide design, engineering, supply, construction, installation, testing, and commissioning for the solar farm and associated high voltage electrical infrastructure. The EPC Contractor will be required to comply with the AIP plan. Appointment of the EPC Contractor is expected by the end of June 2022 with procurement, detailed design and early works commencing in July 2022. Full mobilisation and site works are expected to begin in October 2022 and continue until the second half of 2024.

Completion date: 12 Jun 2024

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 for non-Australian entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Electrical design works	Yes	Yes	
Supply of electrical equipment for substation, transmission lines, reticulation	Yes	Yes	
High voltage power transformers	Yes	Yes	
PV modules	Yes	Yes	
Solar PV single axis trackers	Yes	Yes	
Solar PV inverters	Yes	Yes	
Construction trades and services	Yes	Yes	
Fencing, landscaping and planting	Yes	Yes	
Labour hire	Yes	Yes	
Accommodation & subsistence	Yes	Yes	
Supply of fuel	Yes	Yes	
Owners Engineering	Yes	Yes	
Plant hire	Yes	Yes	
Road construction (including dust suppression)	Yes	Yes	
Earthworks	Yes	Yes	
Foundation construction	Yes	Yes	
Geotechnical investigations	Yes	Yes	
Construction of site facilities	Yes	Yes	
Materials supply (road material, quarry, concrete)	Yes	Yes	

* An Australian entity is an entity with an ABN or ACN

Project standards:

Australian
International

Supplier information and communication

Project proponent's contact person for supplier enquiries:

Contact person name Arun Vijayakumar
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Project proponent website: <https://www.lightsourcebp.com/au/projects/wellington-north-solar-farm/>

Project opportunities website: Project opportunities will be listed on the ICN Gateway webpage <https://gateway.icn.org.au/>. ICN Gateway Project Webpage is expected to be activated by 20 July 2022.

Supplier engagement and communication actions :

- Promote project opportunities through industry associations
- Engage with vendor identification agencies on project opportunities and bid processes
- Conduct supplier information briefings on project opportunities and bid processes
- Directly contact suppliers with information on project opportunities and bid processes

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:

The EPC contractor will be required to offer feedback to unsuccessful bidders and this feedback will include recommendations of relevant training and capability development. Unsuccessful bidders will be provided feedback on relevant training and capability development.

Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Operations Phase

Nominated facility operator: LIGHTSOURCE ASSET MANAGEMENT AUSTRALIA PTY LTD

Facility details

Name: Wellington North Solar Farm Pty Limited

Location: Wellington, NSW

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 Australian entities*	Opportunities for non-Australian entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Miscellaneous consumables (diesel, chemical spray, PPE)	Yes	Yes	
Miscellaneous equipment (lawnmowers, graders, water carts, excavator)	Yes	Yes	
Operation technicians	Yes	Yes	
PV cleaning services	Yes	Yes	
Grass cutting and landscape management services	Yes	Yes	

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Facility standards:

- Australian
- International

Supplier information and communication

Facility operator's contact person for supplier enquiries:

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