



Australian Government

Australian Industry
Participation Authority

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Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

Nominated project proponent: Collie Battery Energy Storage Pty Ltd as trustee for the Collie Battery Trust

Project details

Name: Collie Battery Project Stage 1

Location: 4997 Collie-Williams Road, Palmer WA 6225

Type: Electricity facility

Purpose: Establish new facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: The Collie Battery is Neoen's first major project development in Western Australia and has an approved development planning permit for up to 1,000 MW. It is located 2.5 hours south of Perth near Shotts Substation and connected to the existing 330 kV Western Power transmission line. Site works are expected to commence in June 2023 with an expected commercial operation date in late 2024. Ownership Collie Battery Pty Ltd as trustee for the Collie Battery Trust plans to enter into an 'engineer, procure, construct' (EPC) contract with consortium partners UGL and Tesla to build the project to a size of 200 MW / 800 MWh. UGL engages most suppliers and subcontractors in relation for the Project while Tesla's key focus is the delivery of the batteries and specialised commissioning resources. Collie Battery Pty Ltd as trustee for Collie Battery Trust is a wholly owned subsidiary of Collie Battery Holdco Pty Ltd. This company provides the guarantee and security over its shares held in the Trustee for Collie Battery Trust and its rights under relevant shareholder loans. Collie Battery Pty Ltd as trustee for Collie Battery Trust and Collie Battery Holdco Pty Ltd are a consolidated group. Collie Battery Holdco Pty Ltd is owned by Neoen International SAS (100% shareholder), a wholly owned subsidiary of Neoen SA. Neoen Australia Pty Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of Neoen SA and will provide asset and construction management services to Collie Battery Pty Ltd as trustee for Collie Battery Trust.

Completion date: 31 Dec 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
Battery Components	No	Yes	The battery components are highly specialised and there is currently very limited/no manufacturing of these related components in Australia, and only a limited amount of component assembly despite several state government efforts to improve this. As such, no local opportunities have been identified.

Inverter Skid (including unit transformers & switchgear)	No	Yes	The inverter skid components are highly specialised and there is currently very limited/no manufacturing of these related components in Australia, and only a limited amount of component assembly despite several state government efforts to improve this. As such, no local opportunities have been identified.
Electrical Equipment (including switchgear)	Yes	Yes	
Substation Transformer	No	Yes	Transformers are highly specialised and there is currently very limited/no manufacturing of these related components in Australia, and only a limited amount of component assembly despite several state government efforts to improve this. As such, no local opportunities have been identified.
Tooling	Yes	Yes	
Switch Room	Yes	Yes	
Operations & Maintenance Building	Yes	Yes	
Steelwork for Foundations	Yes	Yes	
Concrete	Yes	No	
Design Services	Yes	No	
Construction Services	Yes	No	
Engineering Services	Yes	No	
Cable Installation	Yes	No	
Battery & Inverter Installation Services	Yes	Yes	
Civil Works	Yes	No	
Site Facilities & Cleaning Services	Yes	No	
Site Security	Yes	No	
Electrical Installations	Yes	No	
Substation Construction Works	Yes	No	
Consultants Including Commissioning Resources	Yes	No	
Site/Security Fence	Yes	No	
Logistics Services	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 Yash Patel (UGL)
Contact person position Procurement Manager (UGL)
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Project proponent website: <https://colliebattery.com.au/>

Project opportunities website: The relevant website page is <https://colliebattery.com.au/work-with-us/> The relevant Industry Capability Network (ICN) Gateway page setup by UGL. This website will be updated throughout the project life cycle to keep Australian Industries updated on the stage of the project as well as key contact details. By providing a dedicated contact e-mail address on the project website and UGL's ICN Gateway Project Page, potential Australian suppliers have the possibility to register their interest in the project, and in turn to access all necessary information in relation to tender packages and prequalification requirements for the Project. The project information, tender packages, prequalification requirements and registration details will be published on the project's website. It is our intention to publish this information now and in any case before the project construction commencement to give the Australian industry sufficient time to register their interest and present their services and offers with regards to the available subcontracts.

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
- 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
- Support supplier development initiatives of industry associations or governments

Global supply chain integration actions:

- Provide references for high performing suppliers

Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

Feedback – mainly in the form of verbal feedback - will be provided to Australian entities unsuccessful in their bids to supply key services. While it is impractical to provide detailed feedback to all applicants, entities that meet the pre-requisites but narrowly miss out on the supply opportunity will be consulted. UGL and – where applicable – Neoen will issue a regret e-mail to all unsuccessful applicants – the opportunity to seek feedback will be provided in the regret e-mail. The intended outcome is to create more diversity and opportunities for capable Australian entities to be fully equipped to bid for specific packages in similar projects in the future. Details will be provided as to: • why they were not the preferred bidders; and • what are the relevant training and skills, capability and capacity development activities (if any) the entity should undertake to be successful in future.

Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Operations Phase

Nominated facility operator: Collie Battery Energy Storage Pty Ltd as trustee for the Collie Battery Trust

Facility details

Name: Collie Battery Project Stage 1

Location: 4997 Collie-Williams Road, Palmer WA 6225

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
Spare & Replacement Electrical Parts	Yes	Yes	
Vegetation Management	Yes	No	
Civil (Road & Drain) Maintenance Works	Yes	No	
General Operation, Testing & Maintenance Services	Yes	No	
Installation & Commissioning	Yes	No	

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Facility standards:

Australian
International

Supplier information and communication

Facility operator's contact person for supplier enquiries:

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Contact person position Head of Construction
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Facility operator website: <https://collielbattery.com.au/>

Facility opportunities website: The project website address is <https://www.collielbattery.com.au/> This website will be updated throughout the project life cycle to keep Australian Industries updated on the stage of the project as well as key contact details giving potential Australian suppliers the possibility to register their interest in the project, and in turn to access all necessary information in relation to tender packages and prequalification requirements for the Project. The project information, tender packages, prequalification requirements and registration details will be published on the Project website including for the initial operational phase.

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