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Department of Industry, Science and Resources

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Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary – Project Phase

Nominated project proponent:

The Trustee for Watta Wella Project Trust

Project details

Project name:

Watta Wella Renewable Energy Project

Location:

Joel Joel VIC, 3384

Type:

Other productive facility

Other project type:

Wind Farm and Battery Energy Storage Facility

Purpose:

Establish new facility

Capital expenditure:

$1 billion - $2 billion

Description:

The Watta Wella Renewable Energy Project is located approximately 16 kilometres north-east of Stawell in north-west Victoria. The approved project comprises:

Up to 45 wind turbine generators with an approved capacity of up to 360 MW.
A Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) with a capacity of up to 400 MW / 1,600 MWh.
Internal access roads and hardstands.
Underground MV electrical reticulation.
Wind farm and BESS substations.
Operations and maintenance facilities.
Site compounds and associated civil infrastructure.
An approximate 2km overhead 220 kv transmission line.
The project is expected to generate enough renewable electricity to power approximately 200,000 Victorian homes while supporting regional economic development and employment opportunities throughout construction and operations.

Estimated completion date:

30/04/2030

Key goods and services

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

List of key goods and services:
An Australian entity is an entity with an ABN or CAN.

Key goods and services	Opportunity for entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Wind Turbine Generators	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	
Substation Equipment	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	
Earthworks	Opportunities for Australian entities	
Land transport	Opportunities for Australian entities	
Civil and electrical balance of plant construction	Opportunities for Australian entities	
Construction Compound and Operations and Maintenance Facility	Opportunities for Australian entities	
Anchor Cages	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	
Battery Energy Storage System	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	

Project standards:

Australian, International

Supplier information and communication

Project Proponents Contact Person

Project proponent's contact person for supplier enquires.

Contact person's name:

Klara Mysickova

Contact person's position:

Contract Administrator

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Project Proponent Website

Project proponent website:

https://www.wattawella-renewableenergy.com.au/

Project Opportunities Website

List of websites:

Is this website active?	Is this website active?	Date the website is expected to go live:
https://gateway.icn.org.au/projects/20266	Yes	

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
Provide market intelligence to suppliers
Support supplier development initiatives of industry associations or governments

Global supply chain integration actions:

Introduce suppliers to global supply chain partners

Feedback:

Confirm you, and/or your procurement entities will offer and, if requested, provide feedback to unsuccessful Australian entities whose bids to supply key goods or services for the project have not been successful
Confirm feedback provided to unsuccessful bidders will include any recommendations of relevant training, skills, capability and capacity development
Confirm you will collect written evidence of feedback offered or provided to unsuccessful bidders

Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary – Operations Phase

Nominated facility operator:

The Trustee for Watta Wella Project Trust

Facility details

Facility name:

Watta Wella Renewable Energy Project

Location:

Joel Joel VIC, 3384

Type:

Other productive facility

Other facility type:

Wind Farm and Battery Energy Storage Facility

Key goods and services

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

List of key goods and services:
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Key goods and services	Opportunity for entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Wind Farm operation and maintenance	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	
Substation Maintenance	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	
Battery Energy Storage System Maintenances	Opportunities for Australian entities Opportunities for non-Australian entities	

Facility standards:

Australian, International

Supplier information and communication

Facility operators Contact Person

Facility operators contact person for supplier enquires.

Contact person's name:

Marton Kalocsay

Contact person's position:

Senior Development Project Manager

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Facility Operator Website

Facility operator website:

https://www.wattawella-renewableenergy.com.au/

Facility Opportunities Website

List of websites:

Website address (URL only)	Is this website active?	Date the website is expected to go live:
https://gateway.icn.org.au/projects/20266	Yes	

Supplier engagement and communication actions:

Promote new facility opportunities through industry associations
Conduct supplier information briefings on new facility 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

Feedback:

Confirm feedback provided to unsuccessful bidders will include any recommendations of relevant training, skills, capability and capacity development Confirm you will collect written evidence of feedback offered or provided to unsuccessful bidders Confirm you, and/or your procurement entities will offer and, if requested, provide feedback to unsuccessful Australian entities whose bids to supply key goods or services for the new facility have not been successful