13th September 2019

IFA and IFA2 Long Term Auction Product Mix

Dear Customers and Market Parties,

National Grid IFA2 Limited (NGIFA2) is proposing a Long Term Auction Product Mix for the forthcoming IFA2 1000MW HVDC Interconnector, to be used from the start of its commercial operation planned for Q2 2020, and conclude on the 31st of December 2020.

Meanwhile, National Grid Interconnectors Ltd (NGIC) will continue to use its current Long Term Auction Product Mix for the IFA Interconnector; the existing 2000MW HVDC Interconnector. The 2020 Product Mix will take effect from the 1st of January 2020, and conclude on the 31st of December 2020.

Details and the breakdown of both the IFA Product Mix, and the IFA2 Product Mix proposal can be found in Appendix 1.

NGIC and NGIFA2 would like to invite feedback from Customers and Market Parties on the above Long Term Auction Product Mix and proposal.

The latest date for responses to this consultation will be 17:00 BST on 27th September 2019. All responses should be titled **"Response to IFA/IFA2 Product Mix consultation"** and are to be submitted via email to ifa.customerenquiries@nationalgrid.com.

When responding please state your contact details and whether you are responding as an individual company or representing the views of an association.

If all or part of your response is in relation to either of IFA or IFA2 then please indicate. Otherwise we will treat your response as applying to both IFA and IFA2.

If you have questions relating to any of the above, please contact us via this email address: ifa.customerenquiries@nationalgrid.com.

Yours Faithfully,

Appendix 1: Product Mix Details

IFA

IFA will retain its 2019 Product Mix for the duration of 2020. The breakdown of the current mix to be also used going forward is as below:

Proposed	
Product	**Amount (MW)**
Day-Ahead	300
Weekend	100 (1 x 100)
Monthly	300 (3 x 100)
Quarterly	300 (2 x 150)
Seasonal	200 (2 x 100)
Annual	900 (4 x 225)

IFA2

The proposed Long Term Auction Product Mix for IFA2 in 2020 is shown below. Auctions will be held following the successful commissioning of the link.

Proposed	
Product	**Amount (MW)**
Day-Ahead	200
Monthly	100 (1 x 100)
Quarterly	100 (1 x 100)
Seasonal	100 (1 x 100)
Annual	500 (4 x 125)