

**CLARIFICATION ON RFQ PARTICIPANT PRE-REQUISITES
IN THE PRE-QUALIFICATION DOCUMENT
FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF LARGE SCALE SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC PLANT
IN PENINSULAR MALAYSIA AND SABAH**

Section 4.2 of the RFQ document stated that:

“An RFQ Participant must be:

- (i) not a FiT Approval Holder under the Renewable Energy Act 2011;”*

The Energy Commission of Malaysia (EC) wishes to clarify further the above pre-requisite, as follows:

Feed-in-Tariff (FiT) Approval is awarded to a specific company or individual for a certain designated site and project under the FiT programme. It is issued under the Renewable Energy Act 2011 that regulates the FiT scheme, principally to promote the development of renewable energy in the country.

The Large Scale Solar Project programme that is regulated under the Electricity Supply Act 1990 (amended in 2015) is to boost large scale solar power generation through a competitive framework, without adversely affecting the security of the electricity supply system. Participation of a company which has been awarded the FiT approval may be considered under the programme, if the site offered is not the designated site or not an extension of the existing facility under the FiT Approval. This is to encourage wider participation of the private sector in renewable energy generation through a fair and equitable process that takes into consideration the impact of intermittent generation on the reliability of the electricity utility supply system.

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