# Retail Market Procedure NI 7 Generator Nominations

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#### 1. Introduction

#### 1.1 Scope

This document is the Retail Market Procedure for the nomination by Suppliers, Non Price Affecting Generators or their Intermediaries of Generation for the purpose of

- obtaining through Export Data Aggregation an offset of contracted export against aggregated import provided for a Supplier Unit by NIE Networks to the SMO.
- obtaining through Export Data Aggregation total export provided for a Generator Unit by NIE Networks to the SMO.

Refer to MP NI 16 – Data Aggregation, for the treatment of export within the Data Aggregation process.

#### 1.2 History of Changes

Version	Source of	Description of Change	
	Change		
0.1		Initial draft version.	
0.2	P Merkens	Issued for NIE Review	
0.91	P Merkens	Issued for SIG Workshop	
0.92	P Merkens	Updated following SIG Workshop	
0.93	J-E Smith	Final Draft Issued for Supplier Review prior to SIG Approval	
1.0	A Ferguson	Baseline SIG Approval	
2.0	A Ferguson	Baseline CDA Board approved	
		Updated for DR 1110/CRID163	
2.1	J-E Smith	Updated to reflect MP NI 39 Glossary of Terms	
2.1.1	J-E Smith	Updated for DR1143/CRID184 and UR Approved Change Report	
2.1.2	J-E Smith	Updated for CDA Board comments	
3.0	NIE Networks	Updated to incorporate change of name from NIE to NIE Networks	

#### 1.3 Document References

Document	Document Reference
MP NI 16	Data Aggregation
MP NI 39	NI Market Procedures - Glossary of Terms

## 2. Procedure Description

## 2.1 Supplier Nomination of Non-Participating Generation

Step	Role	Action	Interface
	Supplier	A Supplier must notify NIE Networks in writing of nominations of Non-Participating generation for the purposes of Export Data Aggregation and of terminations of such nominations. At least five business-days notice must be provided.  The following details must be provided:  Supplier Name, Address and Contact Details  Supplier Unit to which export will be aggregated  Generation Site MPRN  Generation Site Name and Address  Generation Site Connection Voltage  Effective Date of Start of Nomination (for new nominations only)  Effective Date of Termination of Nomination (for terminations of existing nominations)	Manual Notification to NIE Networks MRS
	NIE Networks MRS	NIE Networks MRS will validate the nomination to ensure that:  Required notice has been provided Supplier Unit is registered with SMO and NIE Networks and is not a trading site Supplier Unit Generation Site MPRN is valid Generation Site is not participating in the Single Electricity Market as that the Effective Date of Start of Nomination Generation Site is equipped with HH metering including an export channel Generation Site has a valid Generator Connection agreement Generation Site does not have a nomination from another Supplier that is effective on any date that the requested Export Data Aggregation nomination will be effective. Export may not be contracted to more than one Supplier Unit for the purposes of Data Aggregation for the Single Electricity Market.  If accepted, NIE Networks MRS will contact the Generator to confirm the nomination and will then confirm the nomination to the Supplier.	Manual Confirmation to Supplier

Step	Role	Action	Interface
	NIE Networks	Following acceptance of the start or termination of a nomination for Export Data Aggregation, NIE Networks will ensure that export from the nominated Generation Site will be netted with import that is registered to the same Supplier Unit.  Refer to MP NI 16 - Data Aggregation.	

## 2.2 Nomination of Participating Generators Export Activities

Step	Role	Action	Interface
	Participating Generator or Intermediary	A participating generator must notify NIE Networks in writing of nomination of a site for the purposes of Export Data Aggregation and of terminations of such nominations. At least five business-days notice must be provided.	Manual Notification to NIE Networks MRS
		The following details must be provided:	
	NIE Networks MRS	<ul> <li>NIE Networks MRS will validate the nomination to ensure that:</li> <li>Required notice has been provided</li> <li>Generation Site MPRN is valid</li> <li>Generation Site is participating in the Single Electricity Market as at the Effective Date of Nomination</li> <li>Generation Site is equipped with HH metering including an export channel</li> <li>Generation Site has a valid Generator Connection Agreement.</li> <li>If accepted, NIE Networks MRS will contact the Generator to confirm the nomination.</li> <li>Refer to MP NI 16 – Data Aggregation.</li> </ul>	Manual Confirmation to Generator

## 2.3 Supplier Nomination of Micro Generation

Step	Role	Action	Interface
	Supplier	On an annual basis a Supplier will provide NIE Networks with details of the declared net capacity for both Photovoltaic and Micro Wind based on what has been registered for ROCs with Ofgem.  A Supplier must notify NIE Networks in writing of nominations of micro generation on an annual basis for the purposes of Export Data Aggregation. At least 20 business days notice must be provided.  The following details must be provided:  Supplier Name, Address and Contact Details  Supplier Unit to which export will be aggregated  Micro Photovoltaic declared net capacity  Micro Wind declared net capacity  Settlement of the mirco generation tariff will only take place 13 months after the effective start date for any new Supplier who wishes to offer this micro generation tariff.  Settlement of the micro generation tariff will take place for an existing Supplier at the agreed date.	Manual Notification to NIE Networks MRS
	NIE Networks MRS	NIE Networks MRS will validate the nomination to ensure that:  • Required notice has been provided  • Supplier Unit is registered with SMO and NIE Networks and is not a trading site Supplier Unit  • Supplier has an active Export Tariff for at least 13 months  If accepted, NIE Networks MRS will contact the Supplier to confirm the nomination and will then confirm the nomination to the Supplier and provide a virtual MPRN to be used in the Data Aggregation process.  Refer to MP NI 16 – Data Aggregation.	Manual Confirmation to Supplier

Step	Role	Action	Interface
	NIE Networks	Following acceptance of a nomination for Export Data Aggregation, NIE Networks will ensure that export from the nominated Supplier's micro generation virtual MPRN will be netted off the registered supplier unit for which the micro generation virtual MPRN is registered to.	
		NIE Networks will calculate an annual generation value based on 45% of the declared net capacity.	
		Refer to MP NI 16 - Data Aggregation.	