

PROCESS AND SYSTEMS UPGRADE (PSU) PROGRAM APPLICATION WORKBOOK OVERVIEW

Tab #1
"Overview"

INTRODUCTION

This PSU Program Application Workbook contains the all of the required forms and terms and conditions to govern your participation in the PSU Program, including:

- 1. Overview
- 2. Engineering Feasibility Study (EFS) Application Form, with Release, Waiver and Consent, and EFS Terms and Conditions
- 3. EFS Letter of Approval
- 4. PSU Project Application Form, with Release, Waiver and Consent, and Project Terms and Conditions
- 5. Project Letter of Approval
- 6. Performance Security Form
- 7. Invoice Reconciliation Form

ENGINEERING FEASIBILITY STUDY PROCESS OVERVIEW

	Application	Application Review and Approval	Complete Study	Study Report Review
Activity	Applicant and LDC assess opportunity, eligibility and readiness for EFS Application; Applicant selects a consultant, develops a scope of work and the consultant's proposal (the Technical Reviewer should be consulted on the metering plan); the LDC, Applicant and consultant prepare the Application; Applicant reviews the EFS Terms and Conditions in the EFS Application form	The Technical Reviewer reviews the Application; Participant responds to Information Requests from the Technical Reviewer; the Technical Reviewer provides a recommendation to the LDC (the "Application Review")	Participant's consultant completes the EFS; the EFS report is sent to the LDC and Technical Reviewer; an EFS results meeting should be coordinated with all parties	Participant and the consultant respond to Information Requests from the Technical Reviewer; the Technical Reviewer completes the "Study Report Review", approving the EFS report
Milestone	Applicant submits the signed EFS Application (tab 2) with the consultant's proposal	LDC provides the <u>EFS Letter of</u> <u>Approval (tab 3)</u> to the Participant	EFS report submitted	The EFS is approved (complete); LDC processes the Initial Funding Amount (50%) ¹

¹ Participant must submit a Project Application within 12 months to be eligible for the Balance Payment.

PSU PROJECT PROCESS OVERVIEW

	Application	Application Review and Approval	Construction	M&V
Activity	Applicant, LDC and the Technical Reviewer collaborate to assess opportunity, eligibility and readiness for a PSU Project Application, and form consensus on Application values; Applicant reviews the Project Terms and Conditions in the Project Application form	The Technical Reviewer reviews the Application; Participant responds to Information Requests from the Technical Reviewer; the Technical Reviewer provides a recommendation to the LDC and prepares the M&V Plan	Participant installs Project and notifies the LDC when complete, along with actual cost details in the Invoice Reconciliation Form (tab Z)	Participant provides Project data per the M&V Plan, after three months and one-year from the In-Service Date; Technical Reviewer prepares the M&V Reports to determine the actual Electricity Savings
Milestones	Applicant submits the signed <u>Project</u> <u>Application (tab 4)</u>	LDC provides the <u>Project Letter of</u> <u>Approval (tab 5)</u> and M&V Plan; Participant agrees to the M&V Plan	Technical Reviewer confirms the In-Service Date of the Project	Technical Reviewer issues the initial (Q1) and final (Y1) M&V Reports
Payment		Advanced Payment Option: Once approved, 1) Participant provides the Performance Security (tab 6) (letter of credit), 2) the Technical Reviewer issues a payment recommendation to the LDC, and 3) the LDC processes 1st payment		After each M&V Report, 1) the Technical Reviewer issues a payment recommendation to the LDC and 2) the LDC processes payment (See Payment Options in the Project Letter of Approval for details - tab 5)