I-SEM Capacity Remuneration Mechanism (CRM)
Opt-out Notification Template

Principles and Guidance for completing Opt-out notification where RA approval is required
Capacity Year (CY): 1 October 2027 - 30 September 2028

Participant Name:	
Candidate Unit/Capacity Market Unit Reference:	
Contact Name:	
Contact Direct Number:	
Contact Email Address:	

All applicants are to submit applications to both Regulatory Authorities via email to both email addresses listed below

CRMsubmissions@uregni.gov.uk

CRMsubmissions@cru.ie

Opt-out Notification to RAs for Planned Outage or Mothballing
Deadline: **21 December 2026**

*General Opt-out Notification Date is **21 January 2027**, notifications to RAs are due not later than 4 weeks prior to this date (E.3.2.1).

Introduction

All Existing Capacity, which is a Dispatchable Generator (including interconnectors) are required to Qualify for an auction unless they submit an Opt-Out notification prior to the Opt-Out notification deadline. The RA Opt-Out notification deadline for the 2027/28 T-1 Capacity Auction is **21 December 2026.** The purpose of this template is to set out the information that Existing Capacity should provide if it wishes to Opt-Out from the auction under the terms of paragraph E.3.1.1(b) of the CMC in respect of the Capacity Year detailed above.

Applications must be made in this format, to ensure the submission is considered.

Note that under E.3.1.6 of the CMC, the Participant shall keep a copy of any information included in, or supporting, or relevant to the preparation of, an Opt-out Notification for a period of six years from the Qualification Application Date.

Forecast Information

All dates and MW volumes submitted in this Opt-out notification should be the most recent estimates at the time of submission, and in the reasonable opinion of the Participant Director, be best estimates of closure dates and MW.

Potential requests for further information

Following receipt of this application, the RAs may seek such further information or clarification as they deem appropriate to assess the validity of the application.

RAs Confirmation regarding Opt-Out application

The RAs will notify the applicant of the RAs' decision prior to the Opt-Out Notification Date specified in the corresponding Capacity Auction Timetable.

Opt-Out Information Required

Initial Capacity of Candidate Unit/Capacity Market Unit(before Opt-out), MW

Node where connected (to enable determination of any applicable Locational Capacity Constraint)

Please set out the reason why you are applying for an Opt-out.

If Opt-out is sought for a Planned Outage (CMC E.3.1.1(b)(i)) please complete the Prolonged Planned Outage sheet.

If Opt-out is sought for a unit being Mothballed (CMC E.3.1.1(b)(ii)) please complete the Mothballing sheet.

Other Documents to be Provided Separately

Director's Certificate: A certificate signed on behalf of the Participant by a Participant Director that, having made due and careful enquiry and to the best of their knowledge, information and belief:
(i) all information in the application and any other information provided to the Regulatory Authorities and the System Operators in relation to it is true and correct; and
(ii) the application is not for the purposes of, or connected with, Market Manipulation by the Participant or any of its Associates (CMC E3.2.2(b)).

I-SEM Capacity Remuneration Mechanism (CRM)
Prolonged Planned Outage Opt-out Notification Template

Capacity Year (CY): 1 October 2027 - 30 September 2028

Participant Name:	0
Candidate Unit/Capacity Market Unit Reference:	0
Contact Name:	0
Contact Direct Number:	0
Contact Email Address:	0

Introduction

This provision should only be used in relation to a unit which is undergoing a prolonged planned outage as defined under CMC E3.1.1(b)(i), which sets out the scope to apply for an exception to permit Opt-Out which applies to a planned outage of more than three months

Opt-Out Information Required

Start of Planned Outage: Please outline the date on which the Capacity Market Unit/Candidate Unit will start its Planned Outage.

End of Planned Outage: Please outline the date on which the Capacity Market Unit/Candidate Unit will complete its Planned Outage.

Please provide evidence supporting the Planned Outage, e.g. data submitted as System Planning Data under the Planning Code of the Grid Code.

I-SEM Capacity Remuneration Mechanism (CRM)
Mothballing of Unit Opt-out Notification Template

Capacity Year: 1 October 2027 - 30 September 2028

Participant Name:	0
Candidate Unit/Capacity Market Unit Reference:	0
Contact Name:	0
Contact Direct Number:	0
Contact Email Address:	0

Opt-Out Information Required

Date from which the unit will be mothballed?

Please provide evidence that the unit has been, or will be, placed into a mothballed state, e.g. relating to drying out, acid neutralisation.

Please provide evidence that the appropriate changes to the Registered Operating Characteristics for the unit have been updated under the relevant Grid Code.