
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 1555

**The Electricity (Competitive Tenders for Offshore
Transmission Licences) Regulations 2015**

PART 3

**CALCULATION AND PAYMENT OF COSTS INCURRED
IN RELATION TO AN OFTO BUILD TENDER EXERCISE**

Payment of costs incurred by the Authority in connection with calculations relating to preliminary works and construction phase contracts

7.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), where the Authority has undertaken an estimate of costs in accordance with regulation 6 in relation to a particular qualifying project, it must, before the grant of an offshore transmission licence to the successful bidder in relation to that qualifying project, give notice to the developer to make a payment to the Authority of an amount equal to the Authority's costs in undertaking the estimate.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any costs recovered by the Authority under regulation 9(5).

(3) Where the Authority has undertaken an assessment of costs in accordance with regulation 6 in relation to a particular qualifying project, it must, before the grant of an offshore transmission licence to the successful bidder in relation to that qualifying project, give notice to that successful bidder to make a payment to the Authority of an amount equal to the Authority's costs in undertaking the assessment.