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Minimum Technical Requirement - Capacity / Production

Please clarify whether Minimum Technical Requirements 7A and 7D, and Scoring Criteria 17B and 17 D in the Draft Solicitation Concept are intended to require 1,000 kg/d nameplate capacity, production capacity, produced hydrogen, or otherwise.

- (7A) Renewable production capacity: the proposed project must have a nameplate capacity of at least 1,000 kilograms per day of 100% renewable hydrogen...
- (7D) Hydrogen Purity: At least 1,000 kilograms per day of produced hydrogen must...
- (17B) Project Readiness: ... the applicant has secured feedstocks and off-take agreements for full production capacity...
- (17D) Performance: ... increases the in-state production of renewable hydrogen and exceeds the minimum daily production capacity required by this solicitation.

For your consideration, it may also be useful to address:

- 1.) Whether this Minimum Technical Requirement can/should be met/exceeded on average. For example, if defined as produced hydrogen, a requirement in kilograms per month would allow for variation in daily production while achieving the same aggregate results for social and sustainability benefits.
- 2.) Whether this Minimum Technical Requirement can/should be met/exceeded over a period of time. For example, if defined as produced hydrogen, a requirement in cumulative kilograms over the Term may allow for a "viable and reasonable plan to match supply and demand" in context of growing FCEV on-road and hydrogen refueling stations in service.
- 3.) Whether this Minimum Technical Requirement can/should be met/exceeded in nameplate capacity. For example, if defined as 1,000 kilograms per day nameplate capacity, it may allow for higher benefit-cost (defined as new production capacity per public dollar provided) and expansion of production capacity through increasing utilization over time.

Thank you, Wayne