



# WEBINAR GUIDE ON THE FIFTH SELECTION CYCLE

January 2017

1. What is the IRENA/ADFD Project Facility
2. Funding offer
3. Evaluation process and application



# WHAT IS THE FACILITY?

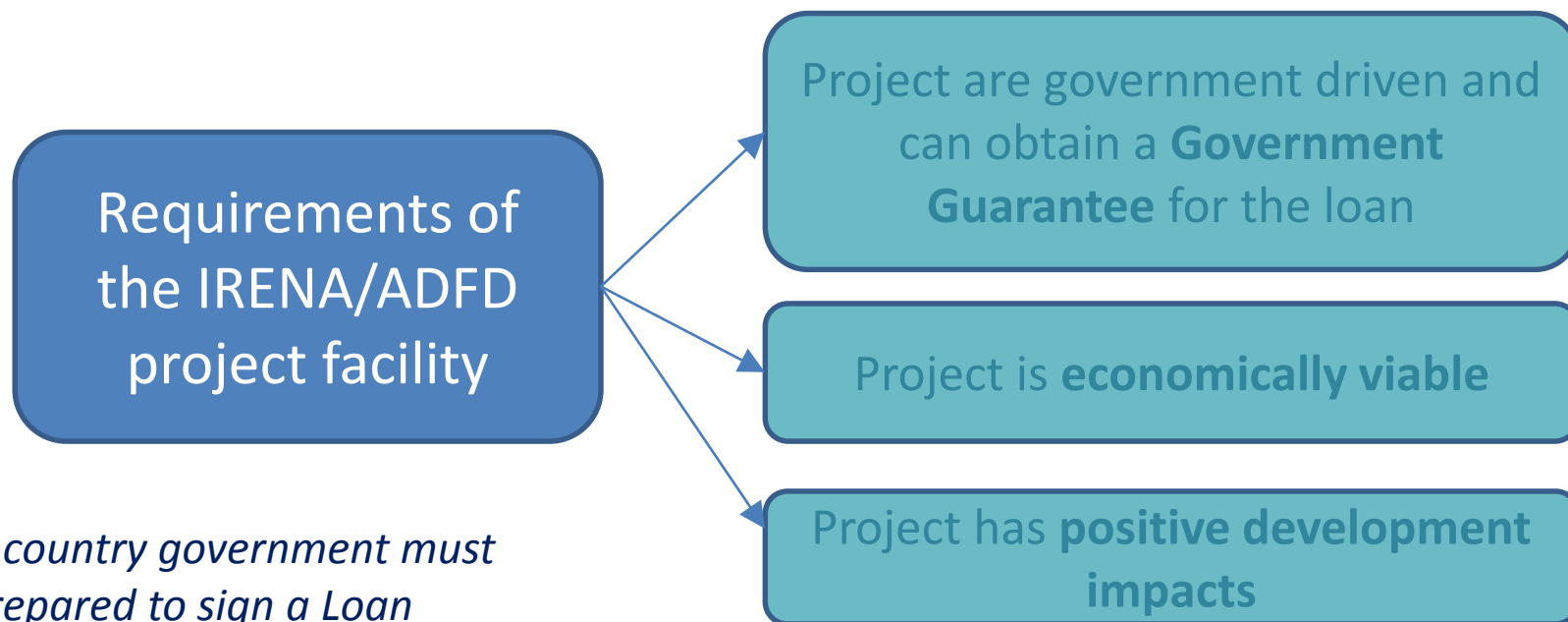
The **IRENA/ADFD Project Facility** is a joint collaborative facility between IRENA and the Abu Dhabi Fund for Development (ADFD).



USD **350 million** in concessional loans are available from ADFD over **seven annual funding cycles** for renewable energy projects in developing countries.

Projects must be submitted from countries that are:

- Members of IRENA, Signatories of the IRENA Statute or States in Accession
- Developing countries in the “DAC List of ODA Recipients” from the OECD



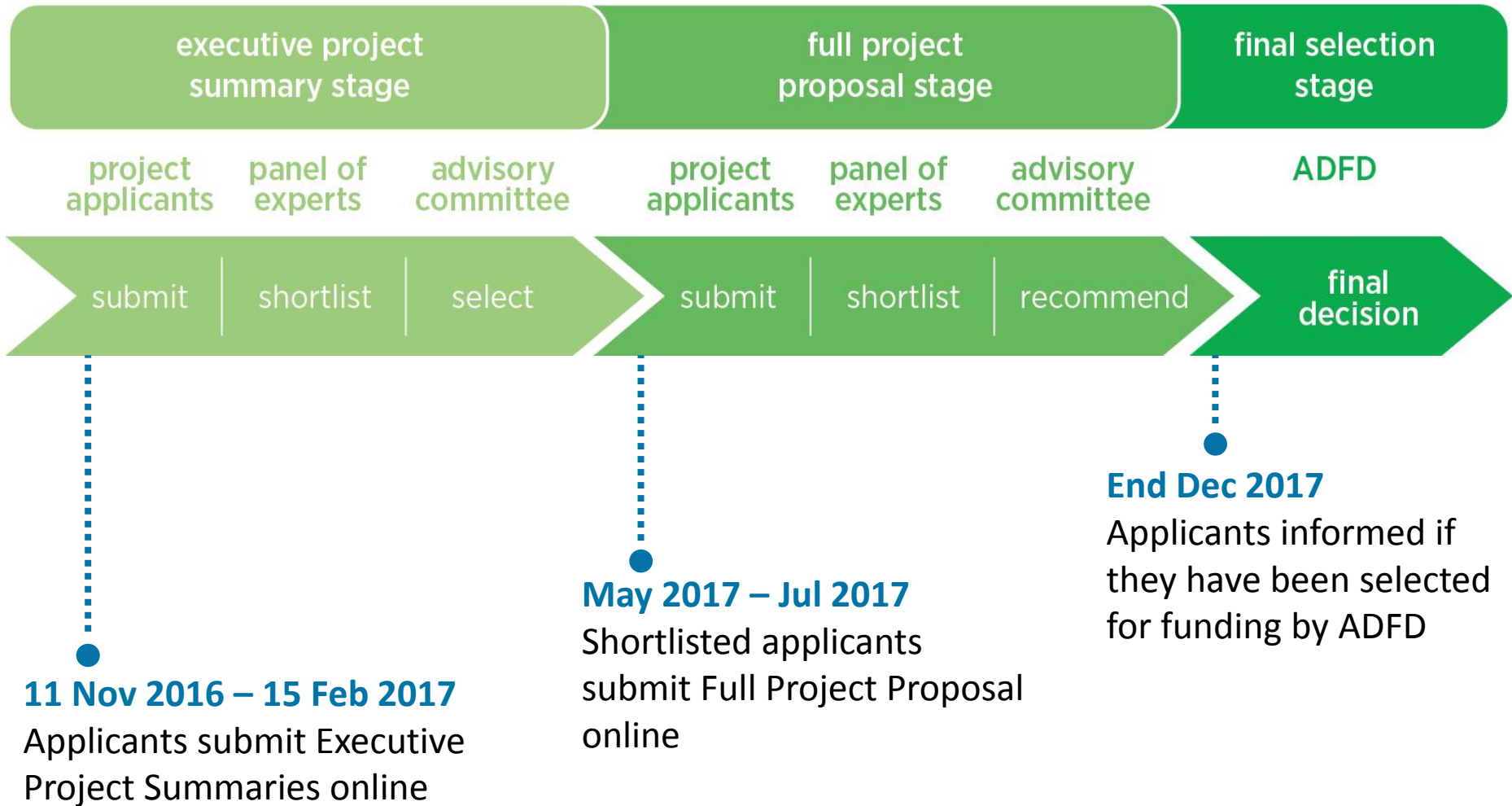
*Host country government must be prepared to sign a Loan Guarantee Agreement following successful selection by ADFD.*

# FUNDING OFFER

- **USD 50 million in each annual cycle**
- **USD 5-15 million ADFD loans for each project, covering up to 50% of the project costs. Remainder must be co-financed**
- **1-2% interest rate on loans.**
- **20 years loan period including 5 years of a grace period**



# PROCESS



Applications	Evaluation by experts (Weights)				Advisory Committee selection and recommendation
	Technical feasibility (40%)	Economic/ commercial sustainability (30%)	Socio-economic & environmental benefits (30%)	Overall project characteristics	
<b>Executive Project Summary</b>  <i>Applicants submit 11 Nov 2016 to 15 Feb 2017</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Objectives</li> <li>- Design</li> <li>- Management</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Project cost</li> <li>- Revenue sources</li> <li>- Business plan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Social, economic &amp; environmental benefits</li> <li>- Stakeholder engagement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Transformative</li> <li>- Replicable/ scalable</li> <li>- Innovative</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Geographic spread</li> <li>- Diversity of technologies</li> <li>- Alignment with government priorities</li> </ul>
<b>Full Project Proposal</b> (including a full feasibility study)  <i>Shortlisted applicants submit early May to end June 2017</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Detailed project design and output</li> <li>- Resource assessment</li> <li>- Implementation plan and operational arrangements</li> <li>- Technical risk mitigation measures</li> <li>- Organisational and management capabilities</li> <li>- Monitoring and evaluation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Full economic/ financial model</li> <li>- Co-finance agreements</li> <li>- Economic/ financial risks and mitigation options</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Stakeholder engagement</li> <li>- Accessibility</li> <li>- Affordability</li> <li>- Job creation</li> <li>- Energy security</li> <li>- Environmental/ health/ gender</li> <li>- Innovation</li> <li>- Risk mitigation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Improve energy access</li> <li>- Address energy security</li> </ul>	

# HOW TO APPLY

## 1. ELIGIBILITY CHECK



## 2. REGISTRATION

**Mandatory Eligibility Self-check**

IRENA-ADFD Project Facility - Fifth Funding Cycle

Select

IRENA-ADFD Project Facility    IRENA Sustainable Energy Marketplace    Both

Select Project Country

Afghanistan

Enter Requested Loan (USD Million)

USD 5 to USD 15 million up to 50% of the projec

Only numbers allowed

Renewable Energy Project

Yes    No

Calculate Eligibility

### Registration of Project Coordinator

Please complete all mandatory fields, which are marked with (\*).  
Once you have completed your registration, you will get a registration confirmation email.

The project coordinator is responsible for ensuring that the email address provided is correct as well as for all risks of error, misuse, illegality and loss of confidentiality or security.

A project coordinator is the contact person that would be making the submission and answering any questions posed on the application and could be from a governmental and/or non-governmental entity.



## 3. LOGIN & APPLY ONLINE

IRENA **ADFD**  
PROJECT FACILITY

Home > Projects

### Projects

Using this interface, you can create a new project or you can view your saved/submitted projects. There is no limit to the number of projects that can be submitted by each applicant.

Projects

Create Online Project

No Project Found.

*Deadline for applications  
is 15<sup>th</sup> February 2017*





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