

Addendum to the Australian Renewable Energy Agency's Commercialisation of R&D Funding Initiative Pilot

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In accordance with paragraph 6.2 of the *Commercialisation of R&D Funding Initiative Pilot in collaboration with the CSIRO's ON Prime6 Program Guidelines* (the **Guidelines**), ARENA has amended section 1.10 of the Guidelines in relation to attendance at ARENA's Renewable Energy Commercialisation Workshop.

Section 1.10 of the Guidelines

Section 1.10 of the Guidelines stated as follows:

As part of the CSIRO's ON Prime6 Program, ARENA will be conducting a Renewable Energy Commercialisation Workshop. All ON Prime6 Program Teams who are developing a Renewable Energy Technology will be invited to attend the workshop, participation will be supported with an ARENA Travel Grant. Attendance at the ARENA Renewable Energy Workshop is an eligibility requirement of this Funding Initiative.

Variation to section 1.10 of the Guidelines

Due to a high level of interest and a large number of renewable energy projects participating in CSIRO's ON Prime6 Program, section 1.10 of the Guidelines are amended as follows:

As part of the CSIRO's ON Prime6 Program, ARENA will be conducting a Renewable Energy Commercialisation Workshop. Attendance at the Renewable Energy Commercialisation Workshop will be at ARENA's discretion. For those ON Prime6 Program Teams invited to attend the workshop, participation will be supported with an ARENA Travel Grant. Attendance at the ARENA Renewable Energy Workshop is an eligibility requirement of this Funding Initiative.

ARENA will have regard to the following criteria when determining which ON Prime6 Program Teams are invited to attend the Renewable Energy Commercialisation Workshop:

- a) Projects need to be at least at TRL 4 at the time of the Renewable Energy Workshop and subsequently at the time of applying for ARENA for funding under the Initiative (see Eligibility Criteria Part 3 paragraph 3.5b);*
- b) The degree to which your ON Prime6 Program Team has participated in ON Prime 6 (see Merit Criteria Part 4 paragraph 4.3);*
- c) Progress made during your attendance at ON Prime6 to date, as supported by feedback from the ON Prime6 team (see Merit Criteria Part 4 paragraph 4.2(a) and 4.5(b)); and*
- d) Whether you already have ARENA funding for all or part of the Project you are developing as part of ON Prime6 (see Merit Criteria Part 4 paragraph 4.16 and paragraph 2.11).*

ARENA reserves the right, at its absolute discretion, to invite additional teams to the Renewable Energy Commercialisation Workshop outside these criteria should space be available for additional participants.