

# CRITICAL PROJECTS PROCESS

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PROMESA created a Critical Projects Process (CPP) in order to identify and expedite the consideration, approval, permitting, and implementation of key infrastructure proposals that are deemed to be Critical Projects.

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### Applicant information

**Name \***

**First**

**Last**

**Title**

**Company**

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**Federal Tax ID number \*****Email \*****Daytime phone number \*****Business Mailing Address \*****Street Address****Address Line 2****City****State / Province / Region****ZIP / Postal Code****Country****Organization Type \*****Project Overview**

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**Project name \***

Identify the name for the proposed project - while it is under assessment; you can check the status of the submission under this name

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**Project Description \***

Summarize project details to include design aspects. Additional details may be provided in attachments.

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**What is the infrastructure sector or addressed need? \***

(e.g., Power, Transportation, Water / Sewer, Public Housing, Informational, etc.)

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**What sub-sectors are involved? (if any) \***

(e.g. Generation / Transmission / Distribution; Ports, Highways; Distribution, Treatment, etc.) N/A if it doesn't apply.

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**Project Location(s)**

Identify the location of the proposed project; include exact physical address(es) (if applicable), zip code(s) and geographic coordinates.

**General Location Description**

Please provide general location description (if needed)

**Physical Address:**

Identify the location of the proposed project; include exact address(es) and zip code

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**Geographic Coordinates:**

If the project is tied to a specific site, please provide coordinates. [Click here to find coordinates.](#)

## Property Information

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**Provide the proposed project property tax identification number (cadastre number).**

For multiple tax identifications, please click on the + button.

 

**Provide evidence of authorization for the proposed project location and/or to file a submission for critical project designation pursuant to Title V of PROMESA. (A letter of authorization, or a lease, option, purchase or other similar agreement with the property owner may fulfill this requirement. In case of a public property, a non-binding letter of authorization, including conditions and/or qualifications may also satisfy this requirement). Alternatively, provide a reasonable explanation of how and when the Sponsor expects to secure authorization from the owner of the property to develop the proposed project. (Provide any available documentation supporting any actions taken to date to secure such authorization.)**

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## Required Permits

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**If known, state what local and/or federal permits, authorizations or endorsements are required for the development of the project. \***

(e.g. construction, occupancy)

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**If known, identify all Puerto Rico Agencies that will have a role in the permitting, approval, authorizing, or other activity related to the development of the project.**

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**Provide a list of the project's current permits, endorsements and/or authorization (if any) and the status of each. \***

**Example:** Permit requested / Status

If no permits have been requested, write: **NONE**

None



**Does the project comply with the Land-Use Plans' guidelines? \***

For more information on Land-Use Plan's guidelines click [here](#).

Yes



**State how the project is consistent with the Planning Board's Land Use Plans. \***

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## Attach any relevant documentation regarding compliance with Land-Use Plans

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## Energy Projects

The current PREC approved IRP may be accessed through this link: [Integrated Resource Plan \(IRP\)](#)

### Is this project energy related? \*

An *energy related* project is defined as a project that generates, transmits, distributes, dispatches, or manages electricity / electrical power.

(Examples: renewables generation, load management, peaking units, microgrids, etc.)

Yes



### Explain how this project reduces reliance on oil for electric generation in Puerto Rico. \*

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### Explain how this project improves performance of energy infrastructure and overall energy efficiency. \*

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**Explain how this project expedites the diversification and conversion of fuel sources for electric generation from oil to natural gas and renewables in Puerto Rico as defined under applicable Puerto Rico Laws. \***

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**Explain how this project promotes the development and utilization of energy sources found in Puerto Rico. \***

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**Explain how this project contributes to transitioning to privatized generation capacities in Puerto Rico. \***

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**Explain how this project supports the Government of Puerto Rico in achieving its goal of reducing energy costs and ensuring affordable energy rates for consumers and business. \***

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Please provide the following information to assist the Puerto Rico Energy Commission (PREC) in determining whether your project does not adversely affect an approved Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) . [Section 503(b)(1)(D) of Title V of PROMESA].

**1. Overall Project Information:**

**a. Type and location of interconnection facility required (if any):**

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**b. Type(s) of fuel used or saved: \***

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**c. General description of the physical infrastructure to be built and/or deployed: \***

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**d. Upload any documentation on any impact the project will have on reliability of the electric service.**

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**e. Upload documentation on revenue capture method (rate based or other).**

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**f. Upload documentation on useful life of the project / technology.**

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**2. If the proposed project will generate electricity, provide the following information:**

**Will the proposed project generate electricity? \***

Yes ▼

**a. Describe the technology and/or fuel source (if applicable).**

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**b. If the proposed project replaces and/or displaces some or all the capacity of existing and/or planned Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority (PREPA) generation units, identify which ones.**

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**c. Describe how the project would connect to the existing or a planned future grid. Provide additional details on any required interconnections (if required).**

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**d. Total / annual amount of electricity generated by the project. Identify any sources of uncertainty regarding the amount of electricity to be generated. \***

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**e. Total / annual amount of fuel or other resources consumed by the project, if any, corresponding to the estimated amount of electricity generated. \***

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**f. Projection of the demand for the project's output. Provide a basis for that projection, including details on demand model and key assumptions. \***

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**g. Total cost to ratepayers for electricity generated by the project, expressed in cents per kWh (or \$ per MWh). \***

Please enter a value between 0 and 999999999.

**If the proposed project proposes energy efficiency or demand-side management, then, provide the following information:**

**Does the project propose energy efficiency or demand-side management? \***

Yes ▼

**a. Total / annual amount of energy saved by the project. \***

**b. Expected demand savings from the project at the time of peak demand. \***

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**c. Estimated total/ annual amount of other fuels or resources saved by the project. \***

**d. Total cost to ratepayers for energy savings from this project, expressed in cents per kWh (or \$ per MWh). \***

Please enter a value between 0 and 999999999999.

**e. An analysis on the cost-effectiveness of the energy efficiency /demand-side portion(s) of the proposed project. \***

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**State whether the Sponsor plans for ratepayers to pay for capital costs before the project begins operation. \***

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**State how the proposed project is consistent with the existing approved IRP and associated Action Plan. \***

Also: (a) What need identified in the existing approved IRP would be satisfied, in whole or in part, by the proposed project?

(b) Is the proposed project a substitute for, or a supplement to, a project that is in the existing approved IRP?

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**Energy Related Documentation: Attach any additional documentation you may consider will supplement this section and would like the Federal Oversight and Management Board to review.**

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**Energy Related - Other Documents: Attach any relevant documentation / summary of guidance, recommendations, and outstanding items**

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## Problem/opportunity identification

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**Describe how the proposed project will solve a critical infrastructure need or what opportunity the proposed project presents \***

Examples may include but are not limited to a deterioration in the physical infrastructure for the rendering of essential services to people, or endangers the life, public health, or safety of the population or of a sensitive ecosystem.

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**Describe the impact the proposed project will have on a current emergency or define the opportunity the proposed project represents: \***

Please provide a descriptive overview on impact.

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**Describe the social benefit. \***

*Social benefit* is defined as qualitative social impact the project may have on the people of Puerto Rico.

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**Describe the environmental benefit. \***

*Environmental benefit* may be defined, among others, as any positive impact measured quantitatively or qualitatively, that the project will have on the local, regional, and/or global environment.

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**Where possible, please include the number of jobs that would be created**

**Construction period jobs \***

Direct and indirect jobs induced over 10-year period, based on Puerto Rico's Planning Board methodology (construction period only). Provide any justification if required or necessary. Specify the number of jobs to be help by the residents of Puerto Rico if different from total construction period jobs created.

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**Operating period jobs \***

Direct during operating period; please include methodology and sources

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**Please outline (in text or attachment if required) any reports, data, models, and key assumptions underpinning these impacts.**

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**Relevant Impact / Benefit attachments:**

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**Costs and funding**

Describe the project cost.

**Total project investment: \***

\$1.00

Please enter a value greater than or equal to 1.

**Total project cost, if different:****Describe the financing structure of this project. \***

(Example: % of private funds, loans, grant, loan guarantee, public funds)

None

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**Please upload Sources and Uses of Funds breakdown regarding the initial investment \***

Click here for example. You may use your own. Upload in PDF form.

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**Amount of committed federal funds, if any. \***

If none, please type 0.

\$0.00

**Amount of Puerto Rico government funds, if any: \***

\$0.00

**Is the sponsor planning to request or has already requested any kind of tax benefits from the Puerto Rico government? \***

Yes

No

**Total private capital and other funds, if any: \***

\$0.00

**For which components of the initiative is government funding potentially required? \***

Please note that projects may rely on Federal funds / loans for execution, but should avoid using any Puerto Rico funds.

None

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**For which components of the initiative is private sector funding potentially required? \***

None

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**Total life-cycle cost necessary to complete and maintain the project: \***

\$1.00



**Please attach information related to private funding / financing. \***

If the project will include private financing, please provide the following required evidence or relevant documentation:

- 1. Availability of **immediate private capital**. This includes, but it is not limited to financial statements and bank statements, including copies of financing agreements, letters of intent, credit or support; or other confirmation as necessary.
- 2. Availability of **immediate funds through loans, loan guarantees, or grants**. This includes, but it is not limited to loan documents and LOIs (letter of intent) from bank.
- 3. If available, provide statements of private sponsor’s financial performance (last 3 years and projected), corporate board or executive resolutions to pursue project, internal business plans, commercial agreements with partners, etc.

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**Development stage**

Project overview Timeline and status

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**What is the total planned construction time in months? \***

1

**How many months will it take to begin construction once Revitalization Coordinator supported permits are secured? \***

1

**Please attach any relevant documentation (e.g., Gantt chart of implementation timeline with dependencies)**

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## Benefit

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### Describe the economic benefit of the project. \*

Descriptive overview on benefit cost analysis: provide a qualitative or quantitative estimate of benefit to the Puerto Rico public based on the overall project investment.

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### Cost-Benefits attachments

You may choose to upload analysis documents here. Consider uploading documents in PDF format for storage and information security/integrity.

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### Does it address the infrastructure gap? Describe the infrastructure need addressed. \*

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### What are other expected economic benefits? \*

Please include estimates or projections on GDP impact, governmental cost savings, energy savings, public safety benefits, or any other areas not specifically covered in the application.

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**Does it comply with larger national goals, plans, and laws (US & PR)? \***

(e.g. decrease oil dependency, improve resiliency, reduce government cost/size, etc.)

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## Timeline

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**What is the current status of the project? \***

(e.g., existing or ongoing)

existing

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**What is the timeline of the project? \***

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**Upload any timeline relevant documents.**

Example: Gantt chart or equivalent

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**How long will it take to realize benefits? \***

(e.g., job growth, GDP, etc)

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## Other Relevant Documents

Please upload any relevant documents you may want to submit for consideration. (Optional)

### Other Documents

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## Preview Submission

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## Acknowledgement

Verification and acknowledgement

### I certify that: \*

- (a) All the information included in this submission is accurate and correct, and the statements made herein are true to the best of my knowledge.
- (b) The Sponsor(s) is a valid entity, in good standing and, without known legal impediments to do business with the Government of Puerto Rico or the Federal Government.
- (c) The Sponsor has authorization from the legal owner of the property where the project is proposed to file this submission.

#### I understand and acknowledge that:

- (a) This submission will be reviewed to determine its completeness. Upon determining completeness, the Critical Project Process evaluation shall commence, pursuant to the Title V of PROMESA.
- (b) All documents and materials submitted herein are subject to public review and disclosure.
- (c) This submission only entitles the Sponsor to the evaluation of his project pursuant to the Title V of PROMESA.
- (d) The Federal Oversight Management Board has discretion to designate the project as a critical project.
- (e) The designation of a critical project by the FOMB does not create any right or entitlement on the part of the Sponsor to obtain the approval of endorsements, authorizations and/or permits, nor the issuance of favorable comments and/or recommendations from the relevant Puerto Rico Government Agencies and/or Federal Agencies.
- (f) The designation of a critical project by the FOMB does not create any right or entitlement on the part of the Sponsor to obtain funds, grants, loans, contracts, partnerships or any other assistance from the Government of Puerto Rico or the Federal Government, that may be required for the development and/or implementation of the critical project.

Yes

**Signature \***

type full name of applicant

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