





## I. Introduction

This proposal is being submitted by Mid-Atlantic Offshore Development, LLC (Mid-Atlantic or MAOD), a 50/50 joint venture of EDF Renewables North America (EDFR) and Shell New Energies US, LLC (Shell New Energies). EDFR's parent is Électricité de France S.A., one of the world's largest electricity generators. Shell New Energies is an affiliate of Shell Oil Company US, which is a subsidiary of Royal Dutch Shell plc (Shell), the fifth largest company in the world when measured by revenues, which operates technically complex energy facilities in harsh environments where reliability is critical. Both companies have extensive experience in transmission development, construction and operation as well as offshore wind generation.

EDFR and Shell New Energies have a separate 50/50 joint venture, Atlantic Shores Offshore Wind, LLC (ASOW), which is developing a BOEM lease area with the potential for upwards of 3,000 MW of offshore wind and was awarded an OREC contract by the Board of Public Utilities (BPU) on June 30, 2021. Mid-Atlantic has a separate and distinct management team from ASOW and operates independently. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Mid-Atlantic will be providing transmission service on an open access basis and is offering flexibility with respect to the location of the offshore HVDC platforms to meet market needs. Mid-Atlantic is proposing a state-of-the-art offshore transmission system providing a high level of reliability and a strong constructability.

## II. Project Proposal Identification

*Proposing Entity Name:* Mid-Atlantic Offshore Development, LLC (Mid-Atlantic or MAOD)  
*Company ID:* MAOD  
*Project Title:* Option 2 MAOD Proposal 3  
*PJM Proposal ID:* 2021-NJOSW-321







































































































environment and residents, Mid-Atlantic has identified key stakeholders (Table VII-) and will invite them to join us in a conversation about our projects and to voice their concerns. We keep an open door for other stakeholders to join the conversation. Regardless of the challenges of meeting stakeholders in person due to the global pandemic, Mid-Atlantic is dedicated to maintaining transparent communication channels and providing a range of alternatives to reach stakeholders and listen to their input.

*Please provide an analysis showing that project infrastructure will not impact overburdened communities in a disproportionate fashion.*

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*Please provide a description of the applicant's permitting plan that includes the following:*

- Identify all local, State and/or Federal permits and/or approvals required to build and operate the Project and the strategy and expected time to obtain such permits and/or approvals;*
  - Provide documentation of consultation with USACE beach replenishment projects and sand borrow areas, if applicable;*
  - Identify all applicable Federal and State statutes and regulations and municipal code requirements, with the names of the Federal, State, and local agencies to contact for compliance;*
  - Submit a land use compatibility / consistency matrix to identify local zoning laws and the consistency of applicant's activities in each local jurisdiction;*
  - Identify each appropriate State or Federal agency the Applicant has contacted for land acquisition issues and provide a summary of the required arrangements;*
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- [REDACTED]
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- *Include copies of all submitted permit applications and any issued approvals and permits; and*
- *Include copies of all filings made to any other regulatory or governmental administrative agency including, but not limited to, any compliance filings or any inquiries by these agencies.*

Mid-Atlantic’s Environmental Permitting Plan is attached as Appendix 5.