Large Distributed Generation Connection Process

Large systems (300 kW and above) · Initial + interim + final approval

1 Discovery	2 Complete application	3 Assessment & approval			4 Agree terms	5 Install & complete
		INITIAL APPROVAL	INTERIM	FINAL		
INSTALLER Assess the site; design the system; check technical requirements and the export capacity map; engage Vector early.	**INSTALLER** Submit a complete request via our online form; pay the application fee.	**INSTALLER** Monitor progress; respond promptly; review initial conditions; complete required actions.	**INSTALLER** Submit interim application and evidence; respond to requests; confirm initial conditions; review interim conditions.	**INSTALLER** Submit final evidence that all conditions are met; notify the customer.	**INSTALLER** Confirm requirements with the customer; notify Vector whether negotiated terms are required.	**INSTALLER** Install to milestones; arrange the meter; pay any required fee; submit commissioning documents within 10 working days.
VECTOR Explain constraints; guide the project early.	**VECTOR** Confirm receipt; check completeness; request details.	**VECTOR** Assess application; request information; issue initial approval.	**VECTOR** Assess the interim application; request information; issue interim approval.	**VECTOR** Assess the final application; confirm conditions are met; issue final approval	**VECTOR** Agree a separate contract with the customer.	**VECTOR** Observe testing; review documents; approve export.

APPROVAL CONDITIONS

Review conditions with the customer and complete required actions.

COMMISSIONING DOCUMENTS

▪ Certificate of Compliance (CoC) ▪ Record of Inspection (RoI) **Evidence of:** ▪ inverter nameplate ▪ inverter protection setting ▪ Volt-Var/Volt-Watt control settings (if applicable)

STAY OFF UNTIL CLEARED

Only turn on the distributed generation system once Vector has reviewed the installation documents and confirmed you can proceed.

FULL PROCESS AND TIMEFRAMES

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