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Purpose For information

New: Working Practice 48 – Volume Reallocation now published

EMRS, on behalf of [Electricity Settlements Company](#) (ESC) has published [Working Practice 48 – Volume Reallocation](#) on the [Working Practices](#) page on the EMRS website.

This working practice explains how **Capacity Providers** can participate in volume reallocation and the timescales associated with the process.

The document will provide answers to:

- What is volume reallocation?
- Who can participate in volume reallocation?
- What incentive is there for Capacity Providers to participate in volume reallocation?
- How do I identify a Capacity Market Unit (CMU) which can participate in volume reallocation?
- How do I initiate volume reallocation?
- How do I know if it is successful?
- What is the timeline for volume reallocation?
- How do I complete and submit Capacity Market Volume Reallocation Notifications?

Who can participate in Volume Reallocation?

- Capacity Providers who own Capacity Committed Capacity Market Units (CMUs) may take part in volume reallocation during the Delivery Years for which those CMUs have a Capacity Agreement.
- Capacity Providers who have successfully completed prequalification and registered themselves to take part in volume reallocation with the [EMR Delivery Body](#) can also participate.

EMRS requires Capacity Providers of all CMU owners intending to take part in volume reallocation, those with agreements and those without, must be registered with EMRS¹ and have a validated aggregation rule⁶ for each CMU.

Where can I find the acronyms or definitions used in these publications?

There is an acronyms and definitions document located on the on the right hand side of the [Working Practices](#) page of the EMRS website, under useful links.

More information

If you have any further questions about this circular, please email contact@emrsettlement.co.uk or call 020 7380 4333.

¹ WP22- Applicant & Capacity Provider Registration and WP25- EMR Aggregation Rules
<https://www.emrsettlement.co.uk/publications/working-practices/>