

Allocation Round 4: Potential timeline scenarios

Description	Scenario 1 (shortest timeline): All applicants qualify	Scenario 2: Non-qualifying applicants after application assessment; no review raised	Scenario 3: Non-qualifying applicants after application assessment; but all qualify once review raised	Scenario 4: Non-qualifying applicants after review; no appeal raised	Scenario 5 (longest timeline): Non-qualifying applicants after review; appeal raised
CfD allocation application window	13 December 2021 – 14 January 2022				
Qualification assessment window	17 January 2022 – 25 February 2022				
Applicants notified of outcome of qualification assessment	25 February 2022				
Window for non-qualifying applicants to request a non-qualification review	N/A	28 February – 4 March 2022			
Non-qualifying review assessment: Applicants notified of outcome (a “non-qualification review notice”)	N/A	N/A	7 March 2022 – 25 March 2022		
Window for non-qualifying applicants to request a qualification appeal	N/A	N/A	N/A	28 March – 1 April 2022	
Ofgem review qualification appeals	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	12 April 2022 – 12 May 2022
Confirmation of valuation of qualifying applicants	28 February 2022	7 March 2022	28 March 2022	4 April 2022	13 May 2022
Inform applicants if allocation process is required and invite sealed bids (if auction)	8 March 2022	15 March 2022	5 April 2022	12 April 2022	23 May 2022
Sealed bid window	9 – 29 March 2022	16 March – 5 April 2022	6 April – 28 April 2022	13 April – 6 May 2022	24 May – 15 June 2022
Run allocation and independent audit process	30 March – 14 April 2022	6 April – 25 April 2022	29 April – 17 May 2022	9 May – 24 May 2022	16 June – 1 July 2022
CfD notification	22 – 25 April 2022	29 April – 3 May 2022	23 – 24 May 2022	30 - 31 May 2022	7 - 8 July 2022
Contracts processed and distributed	26 April – 10 May 2022	4 – 17 May 2022	25 May – 9 June 2022	1 – 16 June 2022	11 – 22 July 2022
Sign contracts and return to LCCC	11 – 24 May 2022	18 – 31 May 2022	10 – 23 June 2022	17 - 30 June 2022	25 July – 5 August 2022