

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS DIVERSITY AND DIRECTOR  
SELECTION POLICY**

**OF SIEMENS GAMESA RENEWABLE ENERGY, S.A.**

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Pursuant to articles 33 of the By-Laws and 6 and 7.3 of the Regulations of the Board of Directors, the Board of Directors of Siemens Gamesa Renewable Energy, S.A. (hereinafter "**Siemens Gamesa**" or the "**Company**", and the group of companies of which Siemens Gamesa is the controlling company, the "**Siemens Gamesa Group**") hereby approves this Board of Directors Diversity and Director Selection Policy, which is included within its Corporate Governance Rules.

The Board of Directors recognises that transparency in all of its conduct, including diversity on its composition and the director selection process, is essential to its corporate governance strategy. This policy –which is public, specific and verifiable– therefore ensures that proposed appointments or re- elections of directors are based on a prior analysis of the needs of the Board of Directors.

### **1. OBJECTIVES FOR THE SELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The preparation of appointments or re-elections of directors shall be based on an analysis of the needs of the Company and of the Siemens Gamesa Group, which must be performed by the Board of Directors with the advice of and a report from the Appointments and Remuneration Committee. In proposed re-elections of directors, the Appointments and Remuneration Committee shall assess work quality and dedication to the position during the term thereof.

The reports or proposals from the Appointments and Remuneration Committee shall be published upon the call to the General Shareholders' Meeting at which the ratification, nomination or re-election of each director will be voted upon. I

Additionally, persons will be sought who meet the conditions contained in section 4 below and whose appointment favours diversity of gender, knowledge and experience within the Board of Directors.

### **2. SELECTION PROCESS. ASSISTANCE FROM EXTERNAL ADVISORS**

Any director may suggest candidates for the position of director provided that they meet the requirements set forth in this Policy. The Company may also rely on assistance from external advisors to search for and validate the candidates for director.

### **3. CONDITIONS TO BE MET BY CANDIDATES**

Candidates for director of the Company must have renowned reputation, credibility, , solvency, competence and experience.

Furthermore, the selection of candidates should seek a proper balance within the Board of Directors as a whole that enriches decision-making and the contribution of different viewpoints to the debate on the issues within its purview.

Specifically, the following principles must be taken into account in the formulation of proposals or reports in relation to candidates for director:

- a) Principle of reputation and ability: The candidates and directors must have the necessary reputation, solvency, competence and experience, being especially thorough with regard to those called to fill the position of Independent Director.

- b) Principle of required dedication: Without prejudice to the mandatory limits set forth in the internal regulations of the Company, candidates must demonstrate an appropriate degree of commitment to the demands of their position and be able to devote themselves sufficiently to the proper performance of their duties, in view of their personal circumstances.
- c) Principle of diversity: The selection of directors may not suffer from implied bias that might entail discrimination of any kind, and particularly that might hinder the selection of female directors.
- d) Principle of specialisation: The reports on the appointment of directors to be members of the advisory Committees of the Board shall take into account the candidate's training and experience in the field or roles in question, as well as proper balance in the overall composition of the Board.

#### **4. PROMOTION OF DIVERSITY IN THE SELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The Company is aware that diversity within the organisation, including its Board of Directors, is a key element within its strategy and to achieve its objectives.

For this purpose, and as indicated in previous section 2, the director selection process shall promote diversity and to this end candidates, whose appointment shall promote the directors having different genders, cultures, age, geographic origins, experience, skills, etc., shall be evaluated and selection practices that might be considered to be discriminatory in these terms shall be avoided.

In particular the Company sets its ambition that the number of female directors represent at least 40% of the total members of the Board of Directors by 2022 without falling below 30% during such period.

#### **5. DISQUALIFICATIONS OF CANDIDATES FOR DIRECTOR**

The following may not be considered as candidates for director:

- a) any legal person.
- b) any person who is involved in any other case of incompatibility or prohibition regulated in the law or general provisions.
- c) any individual acting in the position of director of more than three companies whose shares are traded in domestic or foreign securities markets. Directorships in listed companies that are part of the group of the parent company of Siemens Gamesa shall not be taken into account for these purposes.
- d) individuals who in the two years prior to their potential appointment and notwithstanding the legally enforceable period, held: (i) senior management positions in the public sector, or (ii) positions of responsibility in regulatory bodies of the sector or sectors in which Siemens Gamesa Group acts or in which the Company undertakes its business.
- e) in general, people who have any kind of interests opposite those of the Company or of the Group.

**6. VERIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THIS POLICY**

The Company shall report the results on verification of compliance with this policy in the Annual Corporate Governance Report and in the annual report of the Appointments and Remuneration Committee.