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Der Photovoltaikmarkt in Kambodscha

Das Projektentwicklungsprogramm (PEP)


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1. Regional Overview

Thailand


 GDP = 407 bn. US\$

 69 Mio.

GDP per capita: 5,900 US\$

GDP growth rate
(2012-2016): **3.4%**

Cambodia


 GDP = 20 bn. US\$

 16 Mio.

GDP per capita: 1,250 US\$

GDP growth rate
(2012-2016): **7.2 %**

Germany


 GDP = 3,478 bn. US\$

 83 Mio.

GDP per capita: 41,900 US\$

GDP growth rate
(2012-2016): **1.3 %**

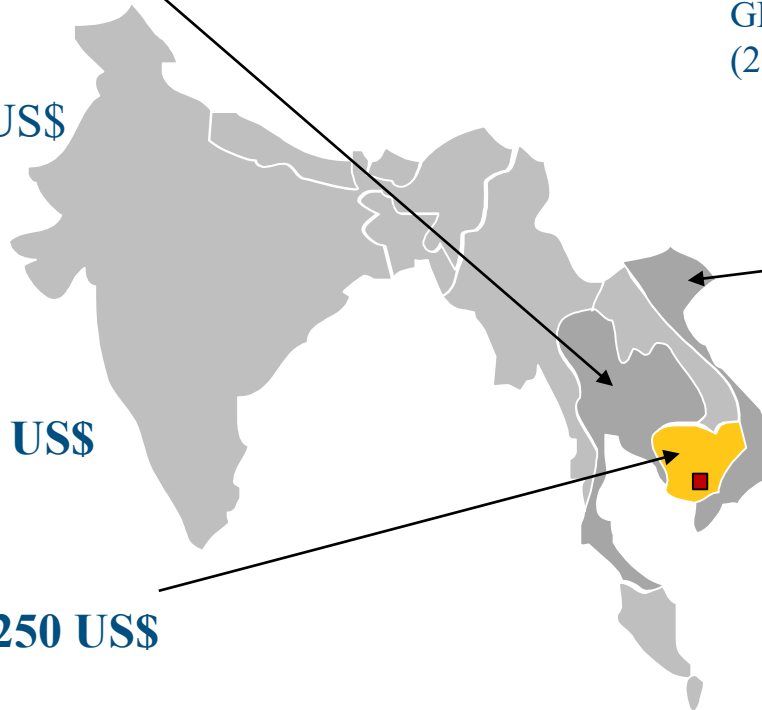
Vietnam

 GDP = 205 bn. US\$

 93 Mio.

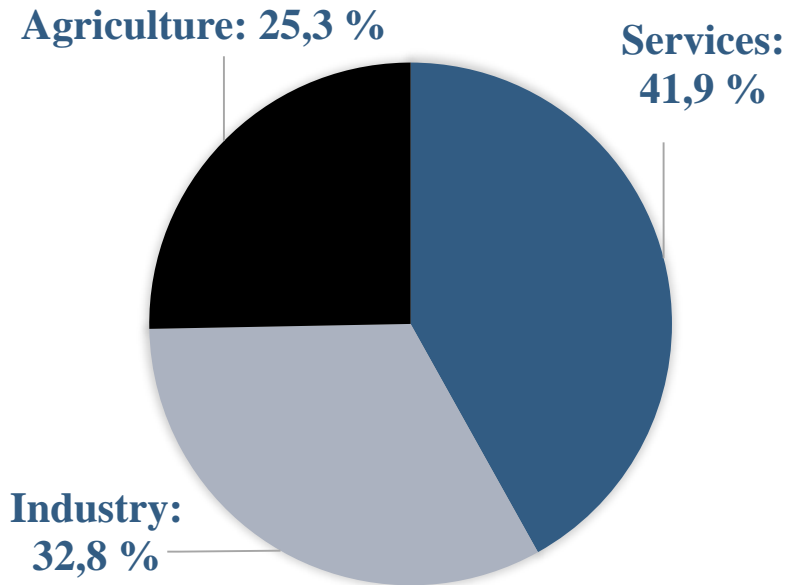
GDP per capita: 2,200 US\$

GDP growth rate
(2012-2016): **5.9 %**



2. Economy of Cambodia

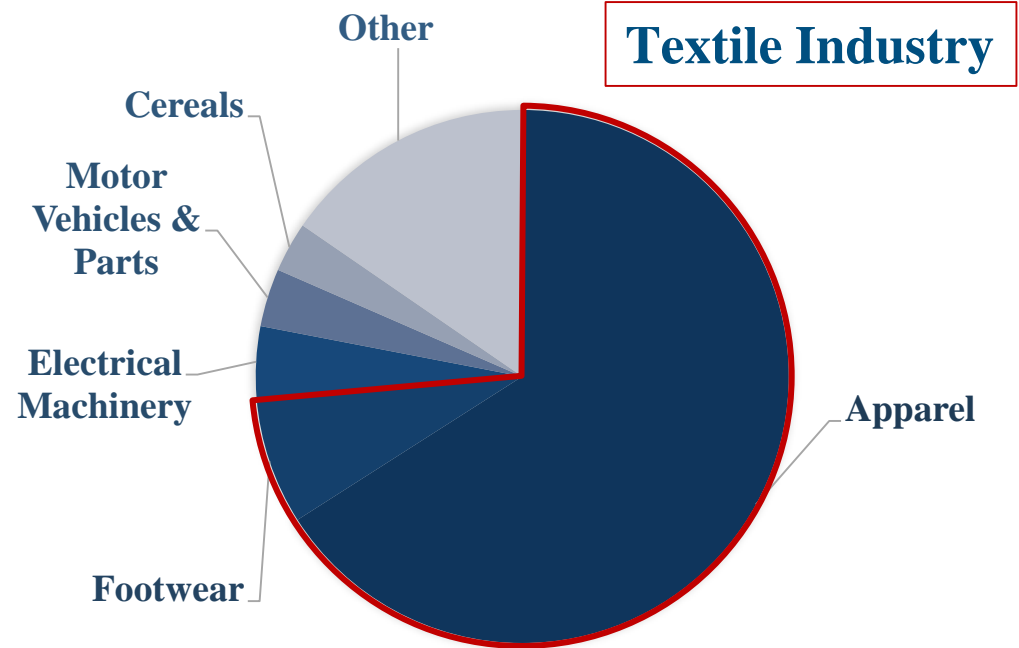
GDP BY SECTOR



Status: 2017

Source: CIA, World Factbook

EXPORT STATISTICS



Status: 2016

Source: UN Comtrade, 2016

2. Energy Market



Average annual growth
of number of electricity
consumers (2006-2016)
→ 20 %



Dependency on
imported energy (2015)
→ 53 %



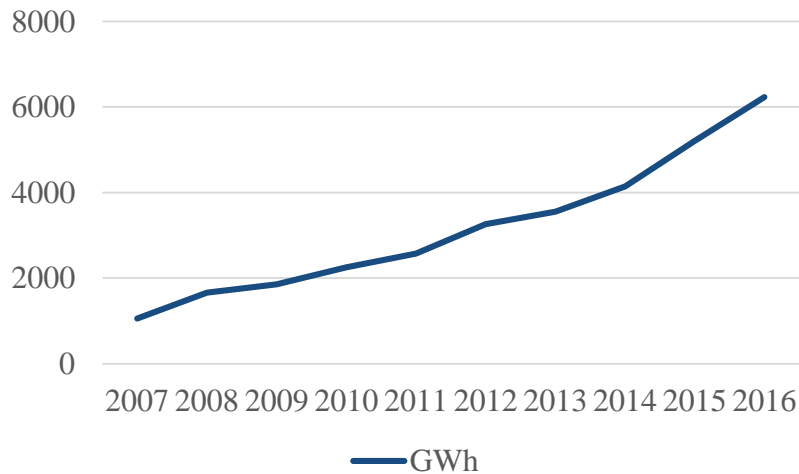
Average annual growth
of electricity demand
(2006 – 2016)
→ 19 %



Annual Growth of
primary energy demand
(2010 – 2015)
→ 7 %

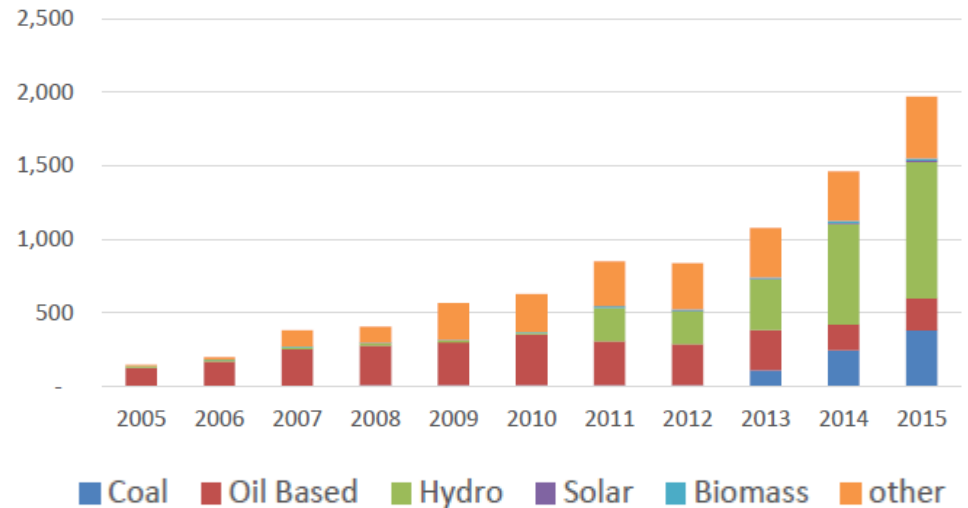
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Sales of Electricity in Cambodia (2007-2016)



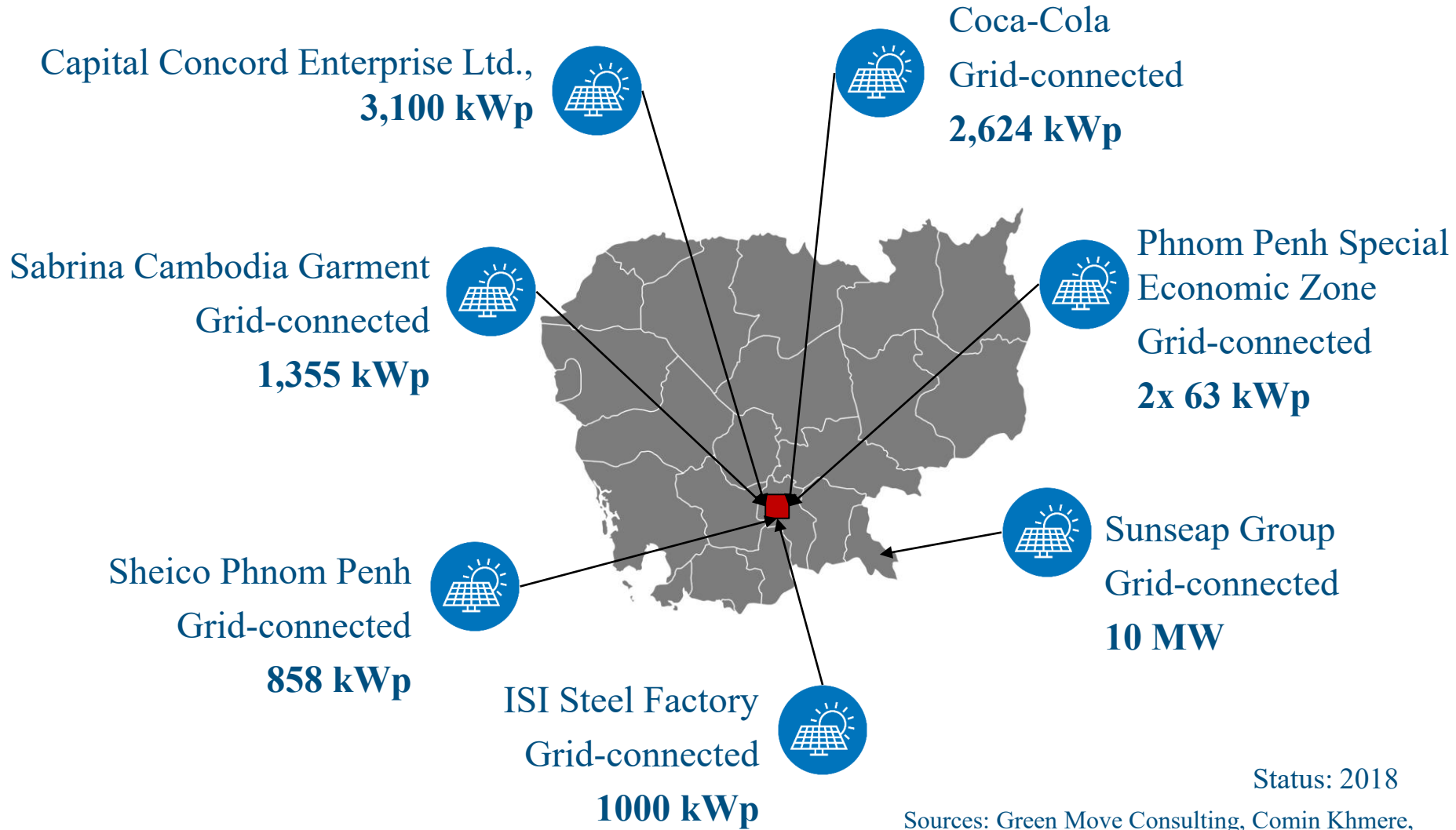
EAC Annual Report, 2016

Electricity Generation Capacity (2005 – 2015)



Ministry of Mines and Energy, 2016

5. Solar PV Projects in Operation



Status: 2018

Sources: Green Move Consulting, Comin Khmere, Cleantechsolar, Budget Energy Corp.

6. Embedded Generation

Indicator	
Percentage of firms experiencing electrical outages [%]	35.3
Number of electrical outages per month	1.4
Duration of a typical electrical outage [h]	1.3
Average losses due to electrical outages [% of annual sales]	3.6
Percentage of firms owning or sharing a generator [%]	40
If generator is used, average proportion of electricity from a generator [%]	9.0

Enterprise Surveys (<http://www.enterprisesurveys.org>), The World Bank.

Status: 2013



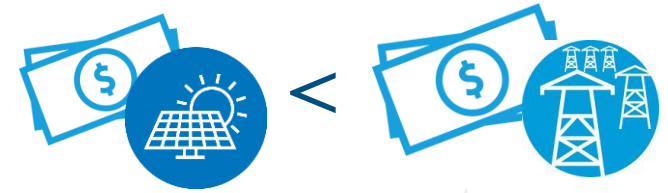
- **Diesel price** = 3,500 KHR/Liter \approx **88 USD C/l** (19/03/2018)
- Litre Diesel / kWh_{el} \approx 0.3
- Exchange Rate 1 USD = 3991 KHR (19/03/2018)
- **LCOE_{Diesel Generator}** \approx 1166 PKR/ kWh_{el}
 \approx **29 USD C/kWh**

6. Embedded Generation

LCOE of Solar PV Rooftop Systems

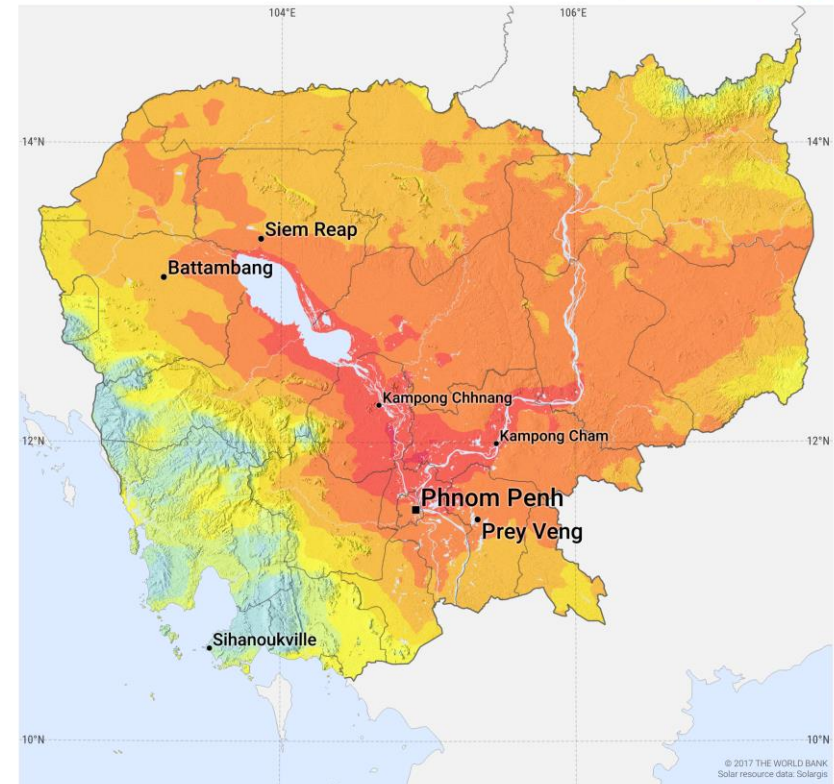
Financial Parameters	
PV Capital Cost [USD/kWp]	1000-1700
Annual Maintenance Cost [USD/kWp]	10-25
Annual Discount Rate [%]	8
System's Lifespan [years]	25
PV System Parameters	
Estimated PV Potential [kWh/kWp]	1500
Degradation of PV Modules [%/year]	0,5
Results	
LCOE [USD Cents / kWh]	7 - 13

Source: own assumptions



SOLAR RESOURCE MAP

**PHOTOVOLTAIC POWER POTENTIAL
CAMBODIA**



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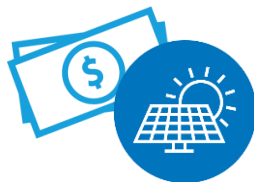
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Off-Grid



frequent Power Cuts



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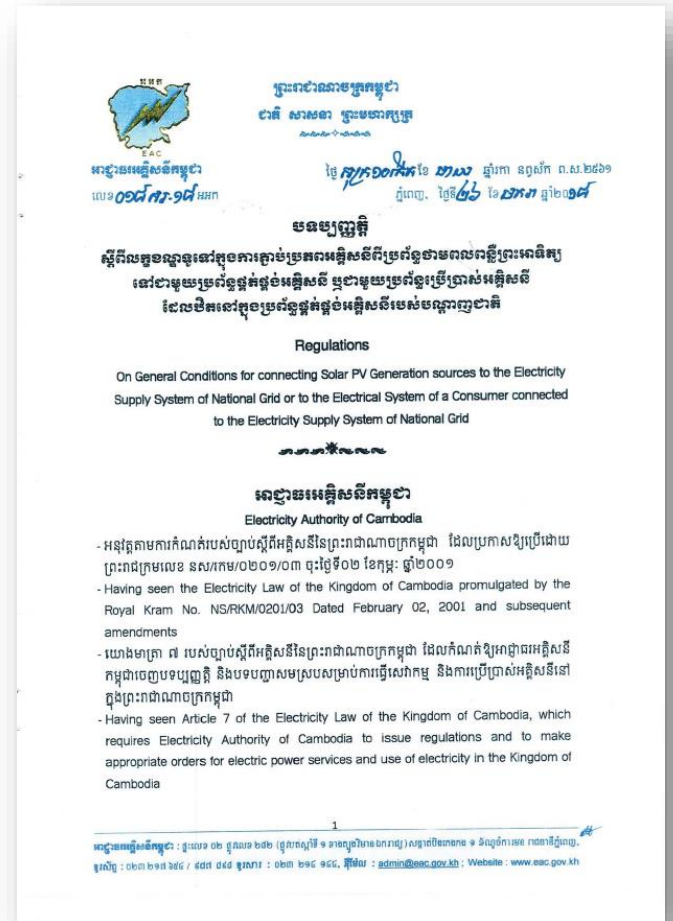
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Regulation on Captive Solar PV in Cambodia

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What's new?

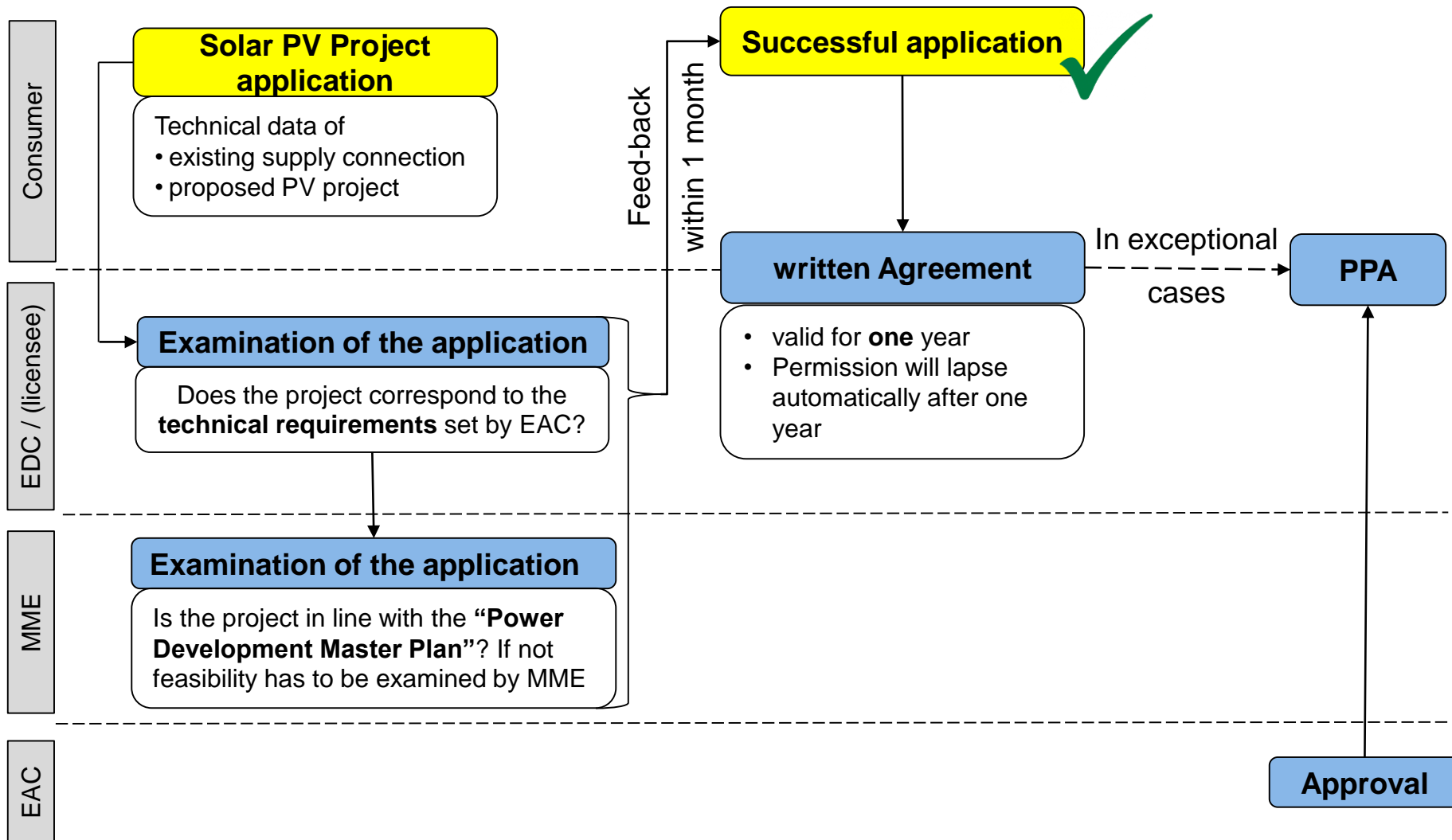
- On-grid and off-grid Solar PV for self consumption officially legalized
- Introduction of:
 - Opportunities for Power Purchase Agreements for Solar PV
 - Technical Standards for Solar PV



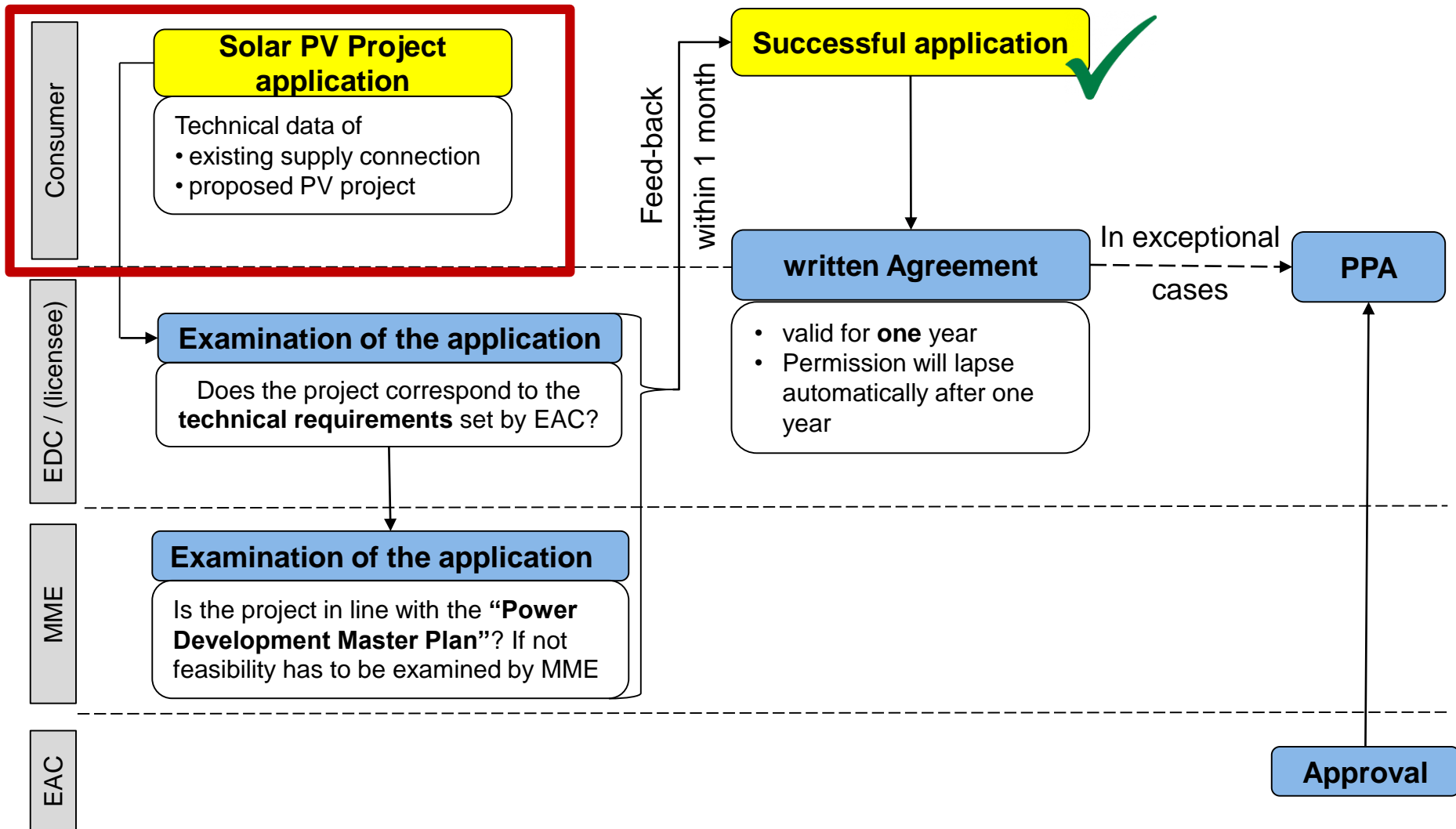
Source: EAC, 2018

 new incentives for the installation of captive Solar PV

Application Process for Captive Solar PV

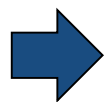


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Solar PV Project Application

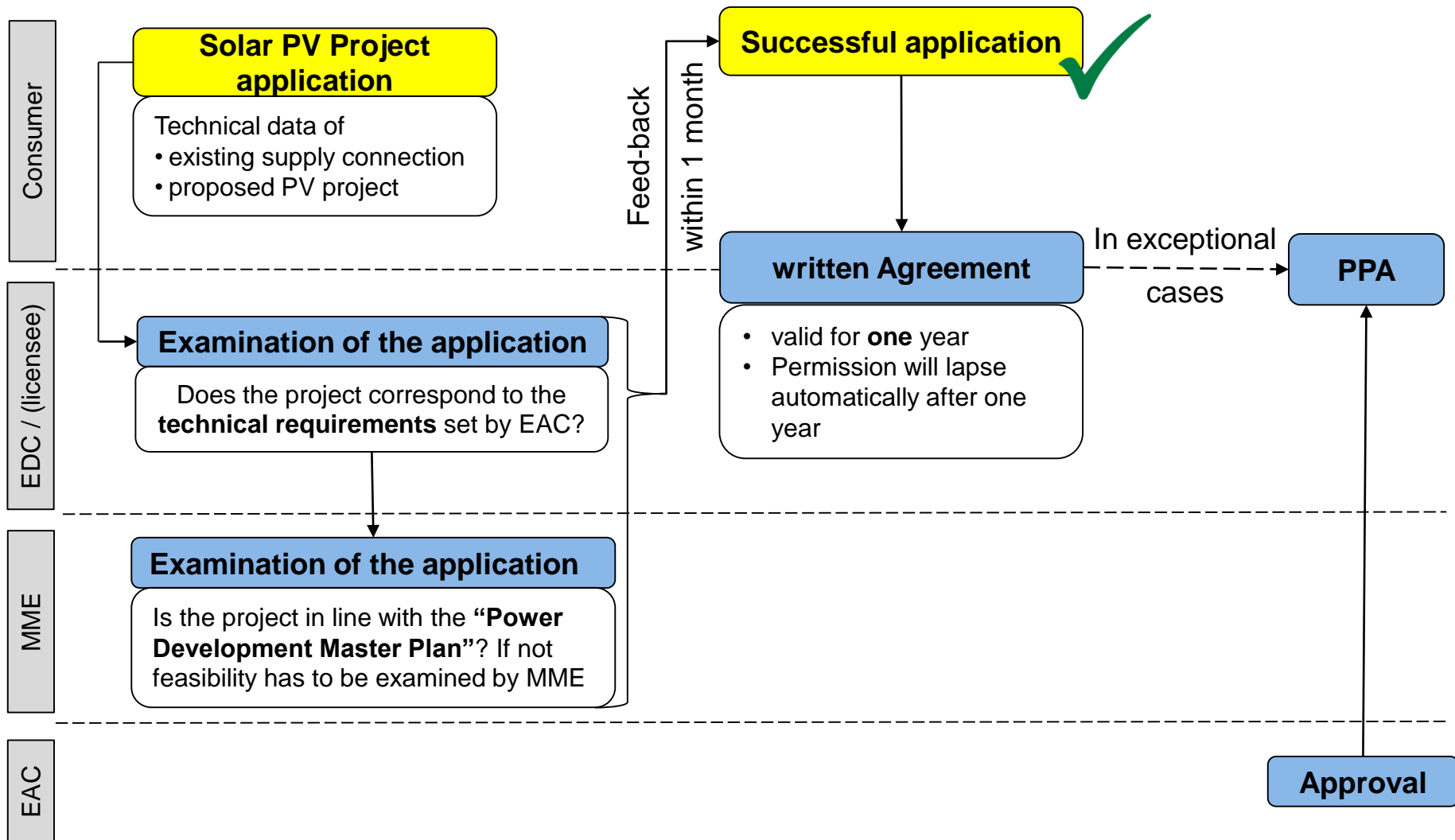
- New regulation applies only to **Big and Bulk Consumers**
 - Big Consumer = Medium Voltage Connection (6.3 kV, 15 kV, 22 kV)¹
 - Bulk Consumer = High Voltage Connection (115 kV)¹



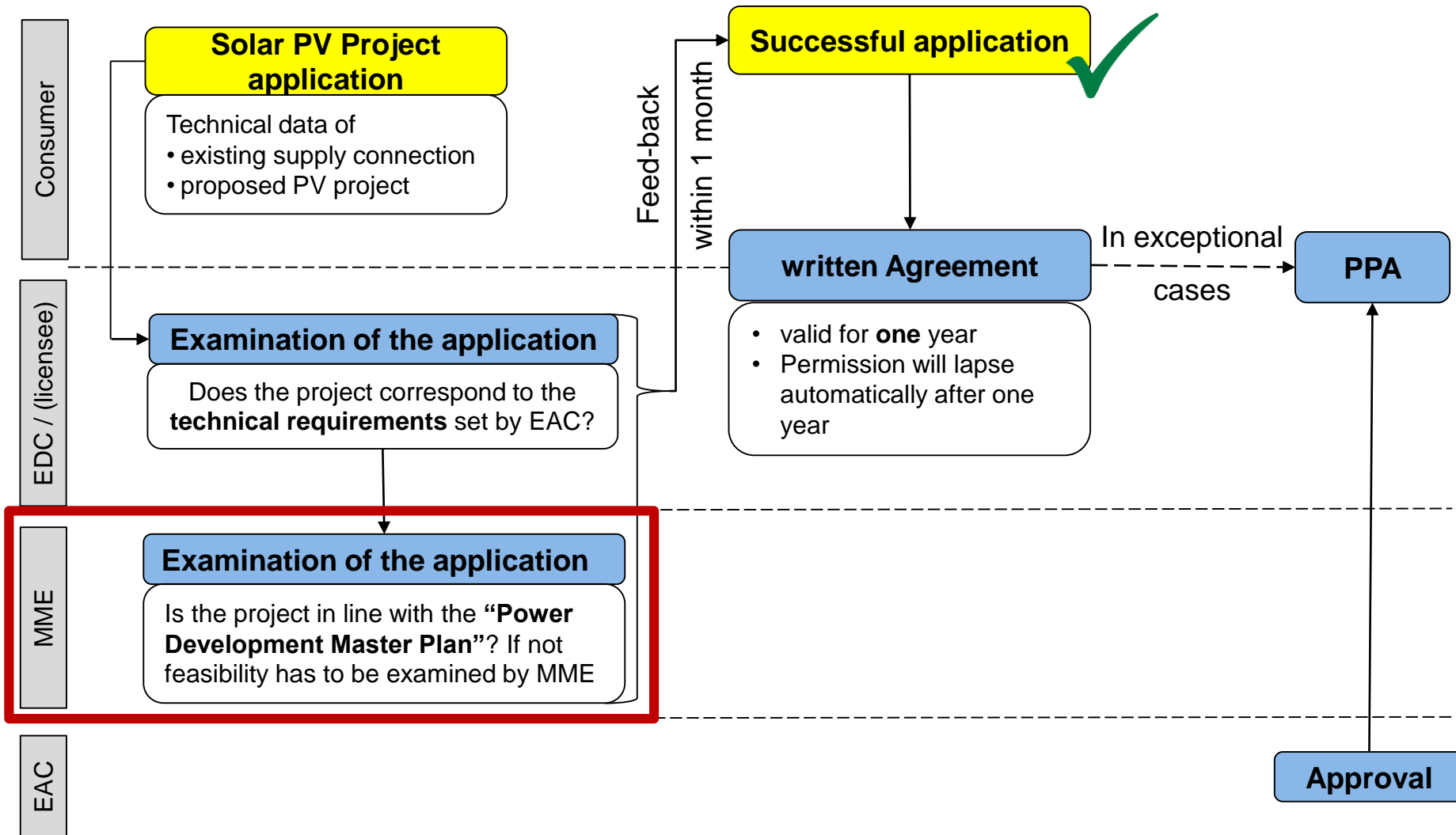
Low Voltage Consumers are not allowed to install on-grid solar PV Systems

- **Application to be sent to EDC** and to the licensee supplying electricity to the consumer
(only if the consumer is supplied with electricity by a licensee other than EDC)
- **Official templates** for application are not yet available
- Application has to include **all information** about the existing **supply connection** & the **proposed solar PV** project
 - No more precise information mentioned

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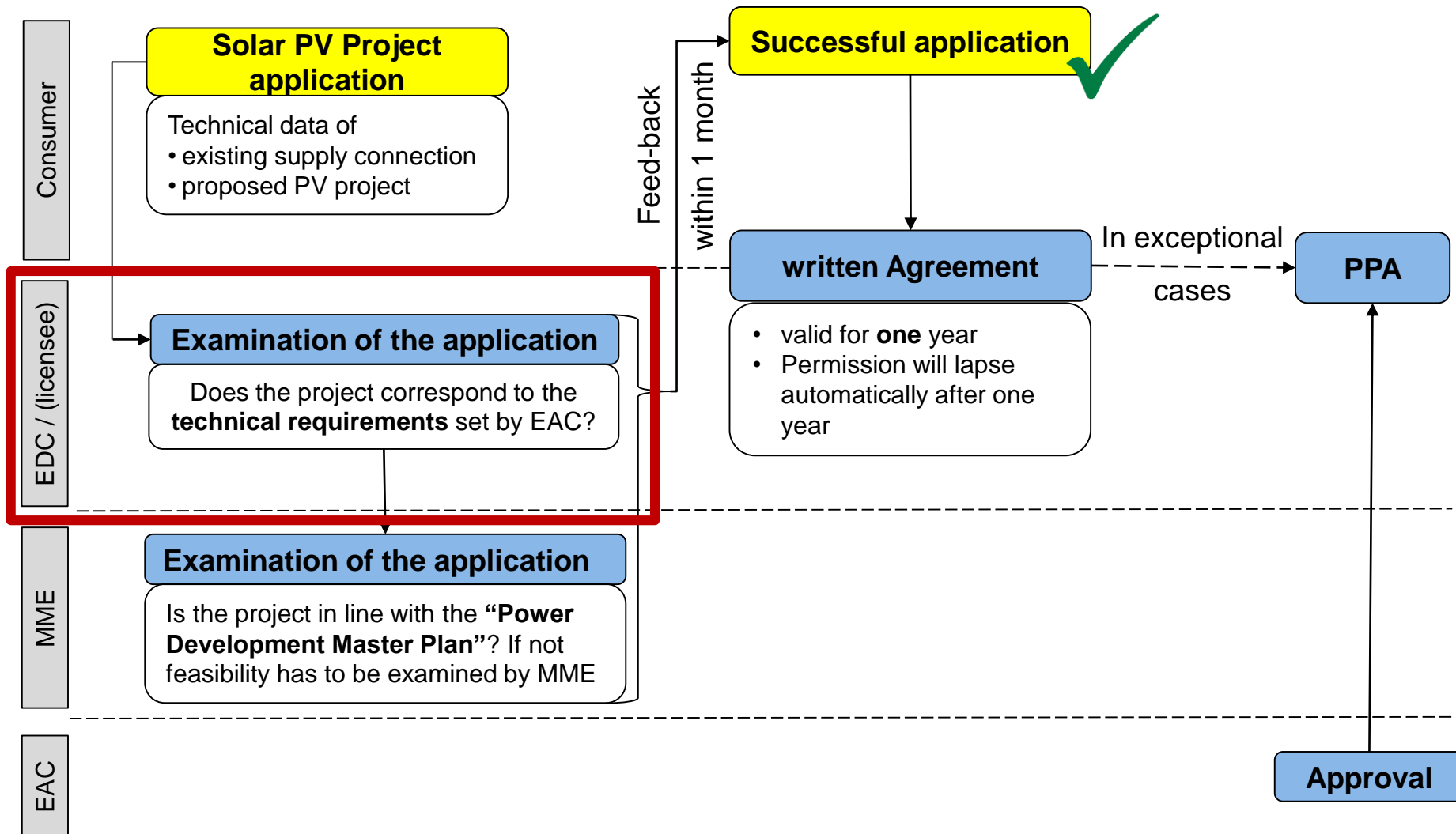
Power Development Master Plan

Table 12: Generation Development Plan 2016 - 2025

No.	Project Name	Type	Capacity (MW)	Operation Year
1	135 MW Coal Fired Power Plant (CIIDG)	Coal	120	2017
2	Lower Sesan II	Hydro	400	2018
3	Coal Fired Power Plant I	Coal	100	2019
4	Coal Fired Power Plant II	Coal	120	
5	Coal Fired Power Plant III	Coal	250	2020
6	Coal Fired Power Plant IV	Coal	250	2021
7	Chay Areng	Hydro	108	2022
8	Pursat I	Hydro	40	2023
9	Battambang II	Hydro	36	
10	Lower Sesan III	Hydro	260	
11	Lower Sre Pok III (3B)	Hydro	68	2024
12	Lower Sre Pok IV	Hydro	48	
13	Lower Sre Pok III (3A)	Hydro	300	
14	Prek Liang I	Hydro	72	2025
15	Prek Liang II	Hydro	50	
16	Prek Chhlong II	Hydro	16	
17	Lower Sesan I	Hydro	96	
18	Prek Por	Hydro	17	
19	Lower Sekong	Hydro	190	
20	Thermal I	Coal / Gas	300	
Total			2,841 MW	

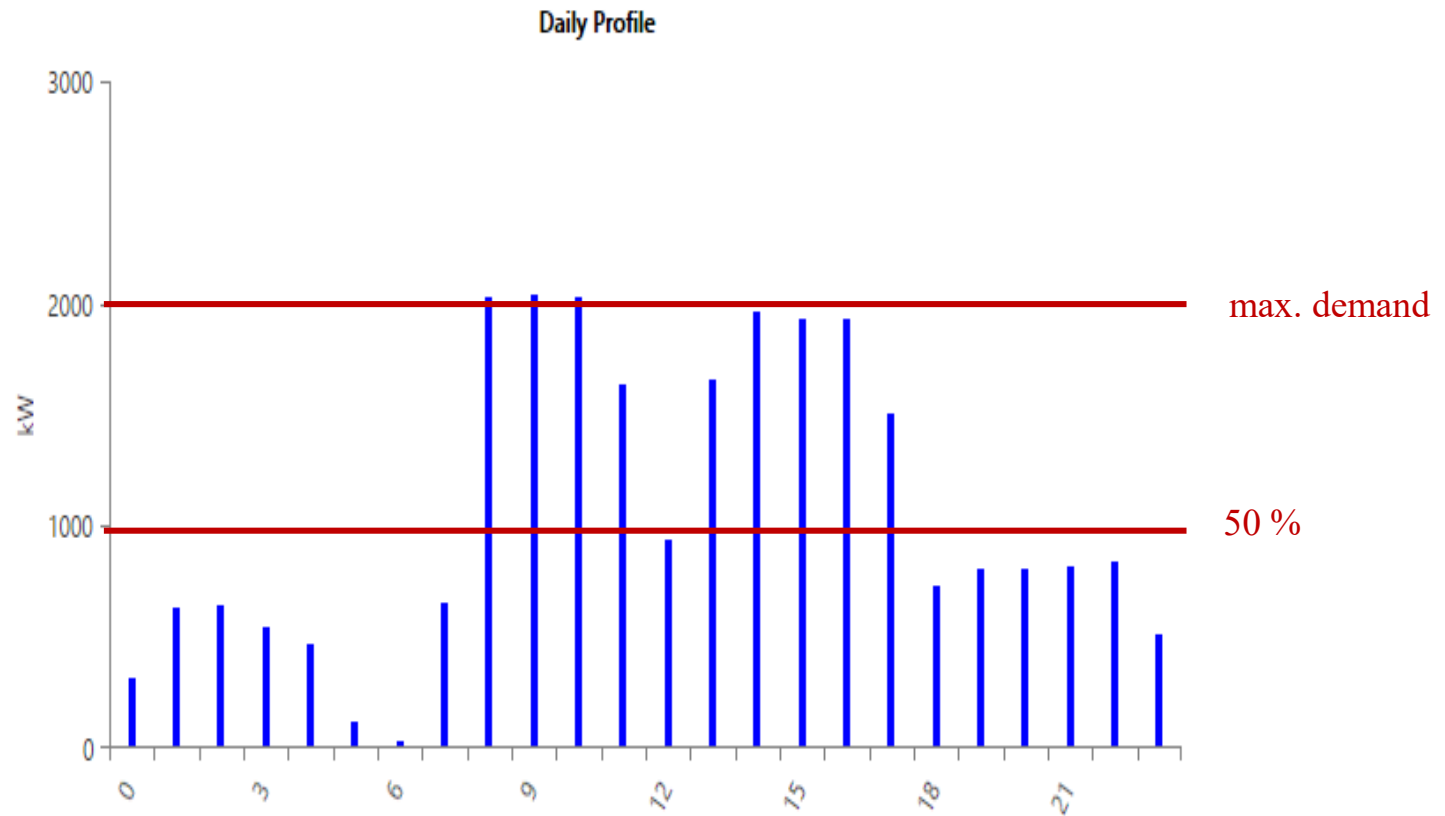
For PV Projects not included in the Master Plan, feasibility has to be examined and the project has to be added to the Master Plan

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Technical Requirements – Key Points

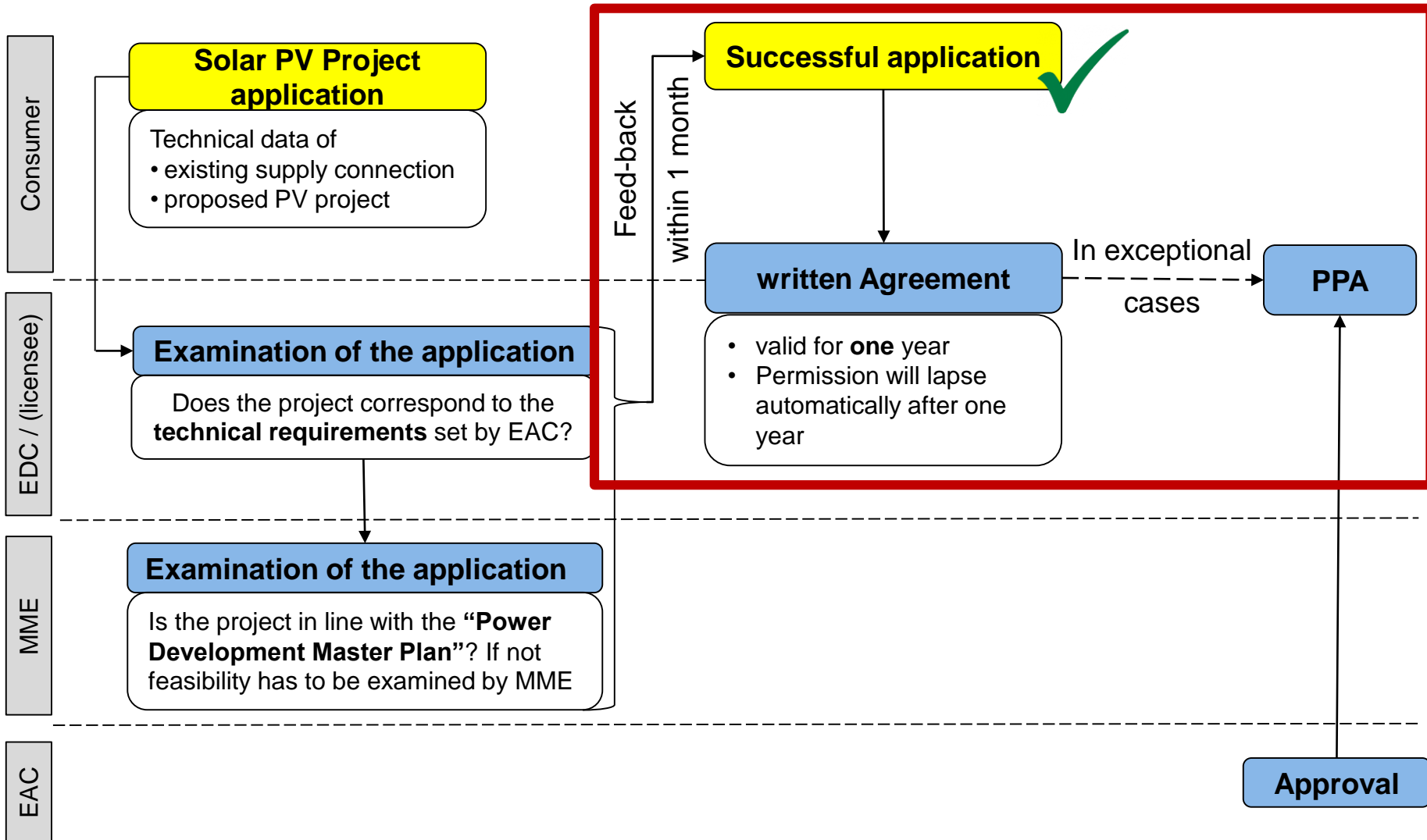
- **Maximum Inverter Capacity: 50 % of contract demand in kW**



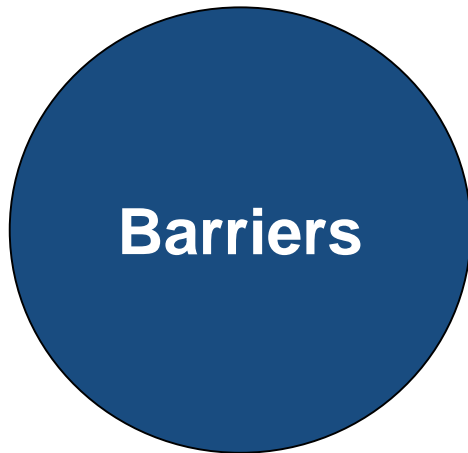
Technical Requirements – Key Points

- **Maximum Inverter Capacity:** 50 % of contract demand in kW
- **Excess energy** is not allowed to be fed into the grid
- **Technical Requirements** (anti islanding, harmonic distortion) are **similar to international standards**
- Technical requirements for Photovoltaic systems roughly mentioned in **National Grid Code** (2004) → but no specific information given

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Challenges for successful project realization



1. Project agreement
2. Economic Assessment
 - a) PPA
 - b) Change of Electricity Tariff
3. Limitation of system size



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Training Week in Cambodia

2nd half 2019: AHK Business Trip to Cambodia

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