Annex 5.4 Catalogue of award criteria for evaluation of offers

Category	Criteria	Description	Weighting
Price	The total price for the	The the total price	40
	capacity booking	for the capacity	
	services	booking services	
		shall cover all the	
		costs that the	
		involved TSO(s)	
		shall pay to the	
		Capacity Booking	
		Platform Operator	
		for using the	
		services required	
		by the EU legal	
		requirements, the	
		national	
		requirements and	
		any other services available on the	
		platform, in a	
		three-year period.	
	User input	Presence of a body	[confidential]
Governance	&	for collecting and	[comachear]
	Continuing	assessing (non-	
	development	binding) input of	
	1	platform users	
		(e.g. advisory	
		board or similar	
		governance	
		instrument)	
		&	
		Level of planned	
		future	
		development of	
		platform	

Reliability and security (IT)	Peak service load & Data backup and security & Measures for data security and confidentialty & Secure platform access for network users	IT Infrastructure capacity available and used, and scalability of IT infrastructure to deal with a high amount of transactions, users, etc. Data backup, data retention and data security processes, standards and policies. & Adequacy of data management practices & Data security protocols in place for network user access.	[confidential]
User friendliness	Graphical User Interface (GUI) of the platform & Helpdesk in English & Helpdesk availability	Effective GUI in English and/or other languages & Support available in English and other languages & Helpdesk availability within or outside business hours	[confidential]