

**CLARIFICATION
to call for tender
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1) is it possible, to have in the consortium a distributor of electric vehicles?

2) is it allowed to create a consortium with an organisation which can be considered as a lobby?

A presence in the consortium of an actor having an economic or shared interest in the conclusions of the project (eg. distributors/manufacturers of electric vehicles or association representing them) will be considered as a conflict of interest. As specified in the technical description in the call for tender, the aim of this study is to draw conclusions for the development of EU policy and any risk that the results could be biased should be avoided.