

REGULATIONS OF THE “RenOwacja” 2025 – 2ND EDITION

§1 SUBJECT MATTER AND ORGANIZER

1. The Organizer of the “RenOwacja” Competition (hereinafter referred to as the Competition) is Stowarzyszenie Fala Renowacji, based in Warsaw, Polskie Towarzystwo Wspierania Przedsiębiorczości S.A., based in Katowice, and PTWP Online Sp. z o.o., based in Katowice, the publisher of the PropertyDesign.pl, Dobrzemieszkaj.pl and PropertyNews.pl websites (jointly referred to as the Organizer in the Regulations).
2. The subject matter and purpose of the Competition is to recognize and promote investments involving comprehensive energy modernization of buildings.
3. The Competition will evaluate projects that have been implemented in Poland and completed within the last five years, until the end of 2024, and that belong in one of the categories indicated in Section 1(6).
4. Winners of previous editions of the Competition from any of the categories may not participate in the Competition.
5. Participants of previous editions of the Competition may take part in the Competition subject to the time limitations in Section 1(3).
6. The Competition will evaluate and recognize buildings in the following categories:
 1. **Multi-family residential buildings** (e.g., apartment blocks, housing estates)
 2. **Single-family residential buildings**
 3. **Public buildings** (e.g. schools, kindergartens, offices, railway stations)
 4. **Commercial buildings** (e.g., office buildings, hotels, commerce sites)

§2 COURSE OF THE COMPETITION

1. The Competition runs from November 15, 2024 to January 23, 2025.
2. Competition entries may be submitted by any reader/user of PropertyDesign.pl, Dobrzemieszkaj.pl, PropertyNews.pl, as well as by Building Representatives and other entrepreneurs involved in the projects or their collaborators (as defined in §2(3)).
3. The Building Representatives referred to in these Regulations are understood to be the designer/architect, investor/developer, manager or owner of the building in question (depending on the content of the competition entry, the nature of the building in question, and the availability of contact details for these persons).
4. The deadline for submissions begins on November 15, 2024 and ends on December 17, 2024.
5. Entries to the Competition are made via an online entry form (hereinafter the form) available at: <https://forms.gle/pe8yHmpnBrRjJu4N6>

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6. Through the form, the Entrant provides the basic data of the site or the Representative of the site being entered into the Competition and confirms with a statement that he is authorized to make the given Competition entry.
7. The entry should be accompanied by 1 general photo of the building and up to 4 photos of its individual elements related to the renovation activities performed according to Section 3(6); the size of one file cannot exceed 2 MB.
8. The Organizer will not accept competition entries that are inconsistent with the subject matter and purpose of the Competition or other conditions specified in the Regulations.
9. Among the submitted buildings, the Organizer shall verify the fulfillment of the formal criteria specified in Section 1(3) and Section 3(6).
10. From among the submitted buildings, a list of sites meeting the formal criteria is created by December 13, together with the information and photographic documentation provided, broken down into individual categories. The selection and number of buildings nominated in a given category depends on the number of submissions and the substantive evaluation of the submissions by the Organizer's experts, based on the project evaluation criteria specified in these Regulations in Section 3(6). The list of buildings nominated in each category of the Competition and their Representatives shall be published by the Organizer, in particular within the website Falarenowacji.pl, PropertyDesign.pl, Dobrzemieszkaj.pl and PropertyNews.pl. Publication of the list shall take place no later than December 18, 2024.
11. Voting by the Jury and the readers/users of Falarenowacji.pl, PropertyDesign.pl, Dobrzemieszkaj.pl and PropertyNews.pl shall take place from the date of publication of the list of nominated buildings announced according to Section 2(10) until January 6, 2025.
12. Settlement of the Competition, i.e. announcement of results and awarding of titles, shall take place during the Competition Gala, which will be held during 4 Design Days 2025 in Katowice on January 23, 2025. The Organizer reserves the right to announce the results of the Competition at a different time and in a different way, including in the on-line formula.
13. The Organizer shall inform the Representatives of the buildings referred to in §2(3) hereof about the nomination. The Representative of a nominated building, which has been submitted to the Competition by another person, may object to that building's participation in the Competition within 2 weeks of being informed of the nomination.
14. For entries made by entities other than the Representatives of the nominated buildings, the Organizer reserves the right to verify and confirm the Representatives' consent to the building's participation in the Competition, in particular after the announcement of the nomination.

§3 SELECTION OF WINNERS AND AWARDS

1. For each Competition category, the jury will select a winner from among the buildings nominated in the category. The building Representative referred to in § 2(2) of these Regulations may be indicated as the winner.
2. In addition to the winner selected by the jury in accordance with Section 3(1), the audience award will also be announced. In the voting of readers/users of the Organizer's websites, each

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reader/user of the Organizer's websites is entitled to one vote. The site with the highest number of points is the winner. In the event of an equal number of votes, the winner will be decided by the Jury.

3. The winner in a given competition category and the building that received the audience award will be entitled to use the title of the winner in a given category and in a given edition of the Competition in its information and promotional materials. Notwithstanding the above, the Organizer shall provide the Representatives of the awarded buildings with a symbolic object signifying victory in a given category of the Competition.
4. The Organizer may also award other prizes in the Competition, which will be announced separately. The Organizer may also award prizes in additional categories.
5. The Jury of the Competition will consist of external experts in the field of energy efficiency of buildings, architecture, interior design and representatives of the Editorial Board.
6. The jury will evaluate project submissions in terms of the implementation of at least 3 of the following activities that make up a comprehensive modernization:
 - a. A project involving the removal of an inefficient solid fuel heat source and the purchase and installation of an efficient heat source:
 - heat pump for heating or heating and DHW,
 - heat node, together with the construction of a connection from the district heating network to the heat node,
 - construction of a gas connection (including the cost of the connection fee) / purchase and installation of a gas tank.¹
 - b. Dismantling and purchase and installation of a new central heating/DHW system (including solar collectors) or modernization of the existing system, such as through hydraulic balancing and temperature control in each room
 - c. Purchase and installation of a micro photovoltaic system,
 - d. Purchase and installation of mechanical ventilation with heat recovery,
 - e. Purchase and installation of wall insulation,
 - f. Replacement of joinery, including windows/balcony doors, roof windows, front doors, garage doors, including installation of exterior window shades
 - g. Upgrading lighting to an energy-efficient system
 - h. Equipping the site with a monitoring system and BACS or upgrading the existing system.

¹ Purchased and installed gas-fired boilers must meet the requirements of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) NR 811/2013 or Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) NR 812/2013 of February 18, 2013 and Regulation (EU) 2017/1369 of the European Parliament and of the Council of July 4, 2017 establishing an energy labeling framework and repealing Directive 2010/30/EU. These boilers must meet, with respect to space heating, the requirements of minimum energy efficiency class A based on the product card and energy label.

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7. The building representative shall also provide, by way of a statement, information on the effects of the modernization in the form of an improvement in the value of the index of annual demand for non-renewable primary energy EP [kWh/(m² year)] (and additionally EK [kWh/(m²*year) if known) or another adequate index), stating the initial value (before the modernization) and the value after the renovation work².
8. The announcement of the winner in a given category of the Competition and the audience award will take place **on January 23, 2025**.
9. Items symbolizing the winner in a given category of the Competition and the audience award will be presented during the Gala to be held as part of the 8th edition of 4 Design Days on **January 23, 2025** at the International Congress Center in Katowice. In the case of awarded buildings, the prizes will be handed over to their Representatives as defined in these Regulations.
10. The Organizer reserves the right to grant the status of Winner to the next project from the list of buildings best reflecting the criteria of the competition presented by the Jury in a situation where the Representative of the building designated as the winner in the first selection did not participate in the award gala on January 23, 2025.

§4 COPYRIGHTS

1. The Entrant to the Competition grants the Organizer a free license for all activities related to reproduction, copying, distribution and publication of the submitted materials (photos, descriptions) in all publications promoting the Competition and its Winners, as well as paper and electronic media describing it.
2. The Competition Entrant warrants that he has the rights to grant the above license.
3. The Organizer has the unlimited right to publish the submitted materials in catalogs, magazines and websites.

§5 PERSONAL DATA

1. The controllers (co-controllers) of the personal data collected from participants or nominating entities in connection with participation in the Competition is the Organizer. In matters related to personal data, the Organizer can be contacted at Plac Sławika i Antalla 1, 40-163 Katowice; odo@ptwp.pl.
2. The personal data collected in the Competition entry will be processed for:
 - a. identifying the entry and proceeding with the subsequent stages of the Competition, including contacting the entrant, obtaining additional explanatory information regarding the entry and the persons/objects entered in the Competition, informing

² The value of the index of annual demand for non-renewable primary energy EP will be calculated in accordance with the regulations issued pursuant to Article 15 of the Act of August 29, 2014 on the Energy Performance of Buildings (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 497).

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- about the results of the competition and arranging the participant's participation in the award ceremony,
- b. informing about future editions or similar Contests, direct marketing of services and communication of the data controller with the participant, in the form of written, electronic correspondence or with the use of telecommunication devices (telephones, SMS).
 - c. securing claims.
3. Data processing involving the collection, storage and sharing of data from the registration or entry form is necessary for the fulfillment of the aforementioned legitimate purposes pursued by the aforementioned controllers. For certain data or specific types of processing that cannot be considered necessary to fulfill the above-mentioned purposes, or for purposes that cannot be considered sufficiently justified, the controller may request a separate consent. Then the basis for processing shall be the participant's consent.
 4. The data will be processed only for the time necessary to fulfill the purposes of the processing, but no longer than until an appropriate objection to the processing is raised or consent to the processing in question is withdrawn. At any time, you can object to the processing or the type of processing in question, or withdraw the consents granted at odo@ptwp.pl.
 5. The person whose personal data was provided during the entry/registration is entitled to access and correct his data. The person may at any time request the rectification, deletion or restriction of the processing of his data; he also has the right to object to the processing in question and the right to lodge a complaint with the competent supervisory authority, under the terms of the relevant legislation.
 6. In other respects, the provisions of the privacy policy of the Organizer's websites available at <https://www.ptwp.pl/grupa/rodo/polityka-prywatnosci/> shall apply to the rules of processing of personal data of entities making entries or communicating with the Organizer through the Organizer's websites.

§6 FINAL PROVISIONS

1. The Organizer reserves the right to cancel the Competition without giving any reason and informing about its decision, as well as to remove an individual Entrant from the Competition due to his violation of the Regulations. The decision of the Organizer cannot be appealed.
2. The entire responsibility for the content of the submitted entries is borne by those submitting sites to the Competition. The Entrant guarantees that the Organizer's use of the materials sent as part of the Competition entry will not violate any rights of third parties.
3. In the event that any third parties make any claims against the Organizer on this account, the Entrant agrees to assume responsibility for such claims and to repair any damages, as well as to cover any costs incurred by the Organizer in connection with the submission of such claims.
4. These Competition Regulations are published by PropertyDesign.pl and PropertyNews.pl websites and on the 4DD.pl conference website.

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5. The Organizer reserves the right to change the Competition Regulations. The Organizer shall inform of any changes in the Regulations through the PropertyDesign.pl and PropertyNew.pl websites and on the 4DD.pl conference website, or through e-mail communication with the Competition participants.

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