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Standards Announcement

Initial Ballot Results

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Initial Ballot Results for Three IROL-related Standards and Associated Implementation Plans

The initial ballots for the following Interconnection Reliability Operating Limit ([IROL](#)) related standards (and the associated retirements and revisions identified in their implementation plans) were conducted from July 21 through July 30, 2008 and the results are shown in the table below.

Three Ballots for IROL-related Standards		
Ballot for New Standard	Includes Modifications to Associated Approved Standards	Initial Ballot Results
IRO-008 — RC Operational Analyses and Real-time Assessments	IRO-004-1 — RC – Operations Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R1 and R2 	Quorum: 92.67 Approval: 91.71
IRO-009 — RC Actions to Operate within IROLs	EOP-001-0 — Emergency Operations Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R2 	Quorum: 92.63 Approval: 89.44
	IRO-004-1 — RC – Operations Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R3 and R6 	
	IRO-005-2 — RC – Current Day Operations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R3, R5, R16, R17; Modify R9, R13 and R14 	
IRO-010 — RC Data Specification and Collection	IRO-002-1 — RC – Facilities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R2 	Quorum: 92.71 Approval: 88.40
	IRO-004-1 — RC – Operations Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R4, R5 	
	IRO-005-2 — RC – Current Day Operations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R2 	
	TOP-003-0 — Planned Outage Coordination <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modify R1.2 	
	TOP-005-1 — Operational Reliability Information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retire R1, R1.1 	
	TOP-006-1 — Monitoring System Conditions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modify R4 	

Approval requires both:

- A quorum, which is established by at least 75% of the members of the ballot pool for submitting either an affirmative vote, a negative vote, or an abstention; and
- A two-thirds majority of the weighted segment votes cast must be affirmative. The number of votes cast is the sum of affirmative and negative votes, excluding abstentions and nonresponses.

The [Ballot Results](#) standards web page provides a link to the detailed results of each of these ballots. Each of the ballots received some negative votes with comments, and the drafting team will review the comments before determining its next step.

Initial Ballot Results for Five ATC-related Standards and Associated Implementation Plans (Project 2006-07)

The initial ballots for five [ATC-related standards](#) (and the associated retirements identified in their implementation plans) were conducted from July 21 through July 30, 2008 and the results are shown in the table below. Approval requires both:

- A quorum, which is established by at least 75% of the members of the ballot pool for submitting either an affirmative vote, a negative vote, or an abstention; and

- A two-thirds majority of the weighted segment votes cast must be affirmative. The number of votes cast is the sum of affirmative and negative votes, excluding abstentions and nonresponses.

The [Ballot Results](#) standards web page provides a link to the detailed results of each of these ballots. Each of the ballots received some negative votes with comments, and the drafting team will review the comments before determining its next step.

Five Ballots for ATC-related Standards		
Ballot for New Standard	Includes Retirement of Associated Approved Standards	Initial Ballot Results
MOD-001-1 Available Transfer Capability	MOD-001-0 — Documentation of TTC and ATC Calculation Methodologies FAC-012-1 — TC Methodology FAC-013-1 — Establish and Communicate TCs	Quorum: 94.02 Approval: 75.97
MOD-008-1 Transmission Reliability Margin	MOD-008-0 — Documentation and Content of Each Regional TRM Methodology MOD-009-0 — Procedure for Verifying TRM Values	Quorum: 94.27 Approval: 80.44
MOD-028-1 Area Interchange Methodology	FAC-012-1 — TC Methodology FAC-013-1 — Establish and Communicate TCs	Quorum: 94.64 Approval: 79.47
MOD-029-1 Rated System Path Methodology	FAC-012-1 — TC Methodology FAC-013-1 — Establish and Communicate TCs	Quorum: 94.67 Approval: 92.62
MOD-030-1 Flowgate Methodology	FAC-012-1 — TC Methodology FAC-013-1 — Establish and Communicate TCs	Quorum: 94.37 Approval: 56.56

Standards Development Procedure

The [Reliability Standards Development Procedure Manual](#) contains all the procedures governing the standards development process. The success of the NERC standards development process depends on stakeholder participation. We extend our thanks to all those who participate.

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