

# Standards Announcement

## Project 2007-11 Disturbance Monitoring

**Ballot Pools Forming: November 1 – December 2, 2013**

**Formal Comment Period: November 1 – December 16, 2013**

**Additional Document Posted for Comment:**

Cost Effectiveness Comment Period: November 1 – December 2, 2013

**Upcoming:**

Ballot and Non-Binding Poll: December 6-16, 2013

**Now Available**

A formal comment period for **PRC-002-2 - Disturbance Monitoring and Reporting Requirements** is open through **8 p.m. Eastern on Monday, December 16, 2013** and ballot pools are forming through **8 a.m. Monday, December 2, 2013** (*please note that ballot pools close at 8 a.m. Eastern and mark your calendar accordingly*).

NERC has developed a Cost Effective Analysis Process (CEAP) to introduce the concept of cost consideration and effectiveness into the development of new and revised standards. As part of the pilot of the CEAP, NERC is proposing to conduct a CEA to provide information about cost impacts of draft Reliability Standards and their relative effectiveness, which will allow the industry to evaluate and propose alternative approaches for achieving the reliability objectives of the standard.

A pilot of "Phase II" of the CEAP, the CEA, is posted for industry comment for the Disturbance Monitoring Project through **8 p.m. Eastern on Monday, December 2, 2013**. More information about the CEAP is available [here](#).

**Transmission Owners – Please note the following:**

An Excel Workbook has been designed to assist Transmission Owners in using the methodology (referred to as the Median Method) discussed in Attachment 1. This workbook has been posted along with the other PRC-002-2 materials during this comment period to give Transmission Owners the opportunity to try out Requirement R1's bus location method by either using their entire system data, or a selected portion of their systems to obtain a full or partial listing of the bus locations that would have to be included in for SOER and FR.

### Instructions for Joining Ballot Pool(s)

Ballot pools are being formed for the standard and non-binding poll for PRC-002-2. Registered Ballot Body members must join both ballot pools to be eligible to vote in the balloting of PRC-002-2 and to submit an opinion for the non-binding poll of the associated VRFs and VSLs. Registered Ballot Body members may join the ballot pools at the following page: [Join Ballot Pool](#).

During the pre-ballot window, members of the ballot pool may communicate with one another by using the “ballot pool list server.” (Once the balloting begins, ballot pool members are prohibited from using the ballot pool list server.) The ballot pool email list servers for the ballot pools are:

**Ballot:** [bp-2007-11 DM Ballot in](#)

**Non-Binding Poll:** [bp-2007-11 DM NBP in](#)

### Instructions for Commenting

A formal comment period is open for PRC-002-2 through **8 p.m. Eastern on Monday, December 16, 2013**. A CEA has also been posted for industry comment and is open through **8 p.m. Eastern on Monday, December 2, 2013**. Please use the links below to the electronic comment forms to submit comments:

[PRC-002-2  
Cost Effective Analysis](#)

If you experience any difficulties in using the electronic forms, please contact [Wendy Muller](#). An off-line, unofficial copy of the comment forms are posted on the [project page](#).

### Next Steps

A ballot and non-binding poll of the associated VRFs and VSLs will be conducted **December 6, 2013** through **8 p.m. Eastern Monday, December 16, 2013**.

### Standards Development Process

The [Standard Processes 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.

*For more information or assistance, please contact [Wendy Muller](#) (via email),  
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