

Standards Announcement

Project 2010-14.2.1 Phase 2 of Balancing Authority Reliability-based Controls: Inadvertent Interchange BAL-006

Survey Being Conducted through September 25, 2015

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The Project 2010-14.2.1 Phase 2.1 Balancing Authority Reliability-based Controls standard drafting team is soliciting comments from the industry concerning the disposition of BAL-006-2. The Independent Expert Review Report, Periodic Review Team, and industry (during the SAR comment period) indicated that majority of BAL-006-2 as written is an energy accounting standard and not a reliability standard. However, it was unclear what exactly the industry desires to accommodate the need for energy accounting. With the evolution of industry, technical advancements in measurements, and more visibility of the real-time operations, Inadvertent Interchange has little or no reliability impact. However, large and long-held Inadvertent Interchange accumulations do impact commercial relationships and their paybacks can create impacts to reliability if not conducted in an appropriate manner. Responses must be submitted by **8 p.m. Eastern, Friday, September 25, 2015**.

Use the [electronic form](#) to submit survey responses. If you experience any difficulties in using the electronic form, contact [Wendy Muller](#).

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