

# Standards Announcement

## Project 2019-01 Modifications to TPL-007-3

Ballot Pools Forming through August 26, 2019

Formal Comment Period Open through September 9, 2019

### [Now Available](#)

A 45-day formal comment period for **TPL-007-4 – Transmission System Planned Performance for Geomagnetic Disturbance Events** is open through **8 p.m. Eastern, Monday, September 9, 2019**.

### Commenting

Use the [Standards Balloting and Commenting System \(SBS\)](#) to submit comments. If you experience issues using the SBS, contact [Linda Jenkins](#). An unofficial Word version of the comment form is posted on the [project page](#).

### Ballot Pools

Ballot pools are being formed through **8 p.m. Eastern, Monday, August 26, 2019**. Registered Ballot Body members can join the ballot pools [here](#).

- *If you are having difficulty accessing the SBS due to a forgotten password, incorrect credential error messages, or system lock-out, contact NERC IT support directly at <https://support.nerc.net/> (Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Eastern).*
- *Passwords expire every **6 months** and must be reset.*
- *The SBS **is not** supported for use on mobile devices.*
- *Please be mindful of ballot and comment period closing dates. We ask to **allow at least 48 hours** for NERC support staff to assist with inquiries. Therefore, it is recommended that users try logging into their SBS accounts **prior to the last day** of a comment/ballot period.*

### Next Steps

An Initial ballot for the standard, along with non-binding polls for the associated Violation Risk Factors and Violation Severity Levels, will be conducted **August 30 – September 9, 2019**.

For more information on the Standards Development Process, refer to the [Standard Processes Manual](#).

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