

NERC ID Exceptions for TADS (Updated February 13, 2008)

NERC's Transmission Availability Data System (TADS) requires that each Transmission Owner (TO) put their NERC ID on forms they submit. Some forms (2.1 and 2.2) also require the NERC ID of joint owners of facilities.

The NERC ID is the identification assigned to entities that are registered on the NERC Compliance Registry. An entity has one NERC ID for all functions for which it is registered (e.g., Transmission Owner, Generation Owner, etc.). These IDs are posted on NERC's Web site at <http://www.nerc.com/page.php?cid=3|25>. For TADS reporting, TOs are to use these IDs *except* as described below.

NERC Compliance Registry ID Exceptions for TADS Reporting

Pseudo NERC IDs have been assigned for various purposes, including allowing for one reporting "pseudo TO" to submit one report for multiple NERC-registered TOs that are owned by a single entity. For TADS reporting purposes, we have allowed exceptions to using the NERC ID on the NERC Compliance Registry. In each case, we have assigned a pseudo ID with a prefix of "PSD" for "pseudo."

1. Southern Company Transmission. Southern Company has five Transmission Owners registered on the NERC Compliancy Registry. All are located in SERC. Rather than have each Transmission Owners make separate TADS submissions, we have allowed one submission under the name "Southern Company Transmission" for all of Southern's Transmission Owners, and this company has been assigned a NERC ID (for TADS reporting) of PSD00001. This NERC ID should be used *instead* of the individual NERC IDs for the five Southern Company Transmission Owners.

Therefore, for TADS reporting purposes only, use "Southern Company Transmission" and NERC ID PSD00001 for each of the following NERC IDs on the NERC Compliance Registry:

<u>NERC ID</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
NCR01166	Alabama Power Company
NCR01247	Georgia Power Company
NCR01252	Gulf Power Company
NCR01273	Mississippi Power Company
NCR01322	Southern Power Company

2. AltaLink Management Ltd. AltaLink is a Transmission Owner located in Canada in Calgary, Alberta. They are located in WECC but are not a registered

Transmission Owner on the NERC Compliance Registry. They have agreed to voluntarily report TADS data to WECC, and they have been assigned a NERC ID (for TADS reporting) of PSD00002.

3. ATCO Electric. ATCO Electric is a Transmission Owner located in Canada in Edmonton, Alberta. They are located in WECC but are presently on the NERC Compliance Registry in error. That error will be corrected this week. However, ATCO Electric has agreed to voluntarily report TADS data to WECC, and they have been assigned a NERC ID (for TADS reporting) of PSD00003.
4. National Grid. National Grid has six Transmission Owners registered on the NERC Compliance Registry which need to report on TADS elements. All are located in NPCC. Rather than have each Transmission Owner make a separate TADS submission, we have allowed one submission under the name “National Grid”, and this company has been assigned a NERC ID (for TADS reporting) of PSD00004. This NERC ID should be used *instead* of the individual NERC IDs for the six Transmission Owners.

Therefore, for TADS reporting purposes only, use “National Grid” and NERC ID PSD00004 for each of the following NERC IDs on the NERC Compliance Registry:

<u>NERC ID</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
NCR07157	New England Hydro Transmission Corporation
NCR07159	New England Power
NCR07163	Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation
NCR07218	Narragansett Electric
NCR07158	New England Hydro Transmission Electric
NCR07156	New England Electric Transmission