

## Standards Announcement

### Comment Period Opens July 28, 2008

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[http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Facility Ratings Project 2006-09.html](http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Facility_Ratings_Project_2006-09.html)

#### **Comment Period for Project 2006-09 — Facility Ratings Opens July 28, 2008**

The [Facility Ratings](#) Standard Drafting Team has posted its third draft of FAC-008-2 — Facility Ratings, along with an implementation plan for a 30-day comment period from July 28 through August 26, 2008.

The Facility Ratings standard is undergoing modifications to address the directives in FERC Order 693. The purpose of the standard is to ensure that Facility Ratings used in the reliable planning and operation of the Bulk Electric System are determined based on technically sound principles.

Please use this [electronic comment form](#) to submit comments on the third draft of the Facility Ratings standard and associated implementation plan by **August 26, 2008**.

If you need an off-line, unofficial copy of the questions in the comment form, there is a copy of the comment form posted at the following site:

[http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Facility Ratings Project 2006-09.html](http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Facility_Ratings_Project_2006-09.html)

Please use only the electronic form to submit comments. If you experience any difficulties in using the electronic form, please contact Barbara Bogenrief at 609-452-8060.

#### **Standards Development Process**

The [Reliability Standards Development Procedure](#) 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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