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Standards Announcement

Ballot Pool and Pre-ballot Window

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Project 2009-24: Interpretation of EOP-005-1 for Florida Municipal Power Agency (Revision 1)

A revised interpretation of standard EOP-005-1 — System Restoration Plans, Requirement R7, for the Florida Municipal Power Agency is posted for a 30-day pre-ballot review **until 8 a.m. Eastern on April 21, 2010.**

Instructions

Registered Ballot Body members may join the ballot pool to be eligible to vote in the upcoming ballot at the following page: <https://standards.nerc.net/BallotPool.aspx>.

During the pre-ballot window, members of the ballot pool may communicate with one another by using their “ballot pool list server.” (Once the balloting begins, ballot pool members are prohibited from using the ballot pool list servers.) The list server for this ballot pool is: bp-2009-24_RFI_FMPA_Rev_in@nerc.com.

Next Steps

Voting will begin shortly after the pre-ballot review closes.

Project Background

The Florida Municipal Power Agency requested clarification on Requirement R7 regarding the terminology of “verify the restoration procedure” and “simulation” and clarification for whether a Transmission Operator without blackstart facilities in its restoration plan could use exercises and tabletop drills to meet the requirement.

This is a revised version of the interpretation. The drafting team revised the interpretation to address some concerns raised by balloters, including a cited reference document, the explanation of the term “simulation” in Requirement R7, clarity of the terms “plan” and “procedure,” and possible expansion of requirements due to the wording of the interpretation.

The changes to the interpretation are shown in a redline version posted on the project page. The team has also posted a response to comments received during the initial ballot (conducted in January 2010) of the original interpretation.

The request and interpretation can be found on the project page:

http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Project2009-24_EOP-005-1_R7%20RFI_FMPA.html

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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