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Workshop Announcement

NERC Reliability Standards and Compliance Workshop

October 26-28, 2011 | Atlanta, GA

Draft Agenda: Coming soon...

Workshop Details Available at: <http://www.nerc.net/meetings/details.asp?id=3285>

Registration for NERC Standards 101: [Registration Link for NERC 101 \(Only\)](#)

Registration for Full Workshop: <https://payment.nerc.net/standards/standardsworkshop.aspx>

Focus:

The workshop will focus on the interrelationship between standards and compliance and will include presentations on:

- NERC Standards 101 (a two-hour session outlining NERC's standards process; anyone is welcome to register and attend the session, which will take place from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. ET on October 26, 2011)
- Feedback loops among the standards and compliance departments
- Updates on active standards projects and plans for the future, including the Reliability Standards Development Plan

- Bulk Electric System definition
- Critical infrastructure protection issues
- CANs, interpretations, and their relationship with standard development

Registration: Participants will have the choice to attend the full three-day workshop in person or participate via webinar.

- The \$250 registration for in-person attendees will include refreshments throughout the workshop and lunch on October 26 and 27.
- The \$100 webinar fee will allow remote participants to call into the workshop and view presentations online. **Webinar registrations will be accepted through 5:00 p.m. ET on October 21, 2011.**
- The NERC Standards 101 session from 10 a.m. to noon on October 26 is complimentary for all interested stakeholders, but we encourage attendees to stay on for the rest of the workshop. Anyone who plans to attend the NERC Standards 101 session in person or via webinar must register separately here: [Registration Link for NERC 101 \(Only\)](#). That is, if you plan to participate in both the NERC Standards 101 session and the full three-day workshop, you will need to complete two separate registrations so that NERC can ensure the appropriate capacity for both events.

All fees are payable by Visa, MasterCard, or check. **Cancellations will be accepted up to one week prior to the workshop, and all registration refunds will be charged a \$50 cancellation fee.**

Who should attend?

All parties interested in and affected by NERC Reliability Standards, including:

- Reliability Coordinators
- Transmission Planners, Owners, and Operators
- Balancing and Planning Authorities
- Resource Planners

- Transmission Service Providers
- Generator Owners and Operators
- Load-Serving and Purchasing-Selling Entities

Note: All parties interested in and affected by NERC Reliability Standards. Note that the NERC Standards 101 session will be particularly useful for smaller entities and newcomers to the industry and/or NERC's processes. The session will cover the basics of NERC's standards development process and show attendees how to remain informed on current standards projects, participate in the development process, navigate NERC's website, etc. Separate registration for the NERC Standards 101 session is necessary. Details are above.

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