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Ladies and Gentlemen:

1. On July 6, 2010, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) filed Notices of Penalty in Docket Nos. NP10-140-000, regarding a penalty assessed by ReliabilityFirst Corporation (RFC), and NP10-141-000, regarding a penalty assessed by Western Electricity Coordinating Council (WECC).

2. On August 5, 2010, I issued data and document requests, which directed NERC, WECC and RFC to submit additional information no later than August 19, 2010, regarding the July 6, 2010 Notices of Penalty.<sup>1</sup> NERC's August 18, 2010 Motion for an Extension of Time requests an extension up to and including September 8, 2010 to allow additional time to finalize and file the requested information.
3. Pursuant to authority delegated to me in 18 C.F.R. § 375.311(g) (2010), NERC's request to extend the time period to respond to the requests for data and documents up to and including September 8, 2010 is granted.
4. Furthermore, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 375.311(v) (2010), I am further extending the time period for Commission consideration of these Notices of Penalty until October 8, 2010. If no further action is taken by the Commission by that date, the penalty in each Notice of Penalty will be deemed affirmed by operation of law.
5. If you have any questions, please contact Roger Morie at (202) 502-8446.

Sincerely,

Norman C. Bay  
Director  
Office of Enforcement

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<sup>1</sup> *North American Electric Reliability Corporation*, 132 FERC ¶ 62,097, and *North American Electric Reliability Corporation*, 132 FERC ¶ 62,093 (2010).

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