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To Whom It May Concern:

1. On July 6, 2010, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) filed a Notice of Penalty in Docket No. NP10-140-000 (Notice) pursuant to section 39.7(c) of the Commission's regulations.¹ On August 5, 2010, pursuant to delegated authority,² I extended the time period for the Commission's consideration of this Notice for the purpose of directing NERC and RFC to provide information bearing on this

¹ 18 C.F.R. § 39.7(c) (2010). NERC filed this notice together with twenty-three other Notices of Penalty in Docket Nos. NP10-119-000 through NP10-142-000.

² 18 C.F.R. §§ 375.311(u) and (v).

consideration.³ NERC and RFC provided the requested information on September 8, 2010. On October 8, 2010, I further extended the time to request additional information.⁴ Specifically, I extended the time for the Commission's consideration of the Notice until November 22, 2010, and directed NERC and RFC to provide additional information by October 22, 2010.

2. On October 21, 2010, NERC filed a Motion for an Additional Extension of Time from October 22, 2010, up to and including December 1, 2010, to allow further meaningful consideration regarding this matter and to finalize and file the data response.

3. Pursuant to authority delegated to me in section 375.311(g) of the Commission's regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 375.311(g) (2010), NERC's request to extend the time period to respond to the request for data and documents up to and including December 1, 2010, is granted.

4. Furthermore, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 375.311(v) (2010), I am further extending the time period for the Commission's consideration of the Notice until January 7, 2011. If no further action is taken by the Commission by that date, the penalty in the Notice will be deemed affirmed by operation of law.

5. If you have any questions, please contact Jeremy Medovoy at (202) 502-6768.

Sincerely,

Norman C. Bay
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³ Letter Order from Norman C. Bay to NERC and RFC, August 5, 2010, 132 FERC ¶ 62,097 (2010).

⁴ Letter Order from Norman C. Bay to NERC and RFC, October 8, 2010, 133 FERC ¶ 62,037 (2010).

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