

## Notice of Proposed Revisions to NERC Rules of Procedure and Request for Comments

45-Day Comment Period: 04-06-2015 through 05-21-2015

### Proposed Revisions to Rules of Procedure

The North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) is proposing changes to its Rules of Procedure Section 400, Appendix 2, and Appendix 4C, as part of the Reliability Assurance Initiative.

NERC requests comments on the proposed revisions to the NERC Rules of Procedure. The 45-day comment period begins Monday, April 6, 2015 and ends Thursday, May 21, 2015.

### Materials Included in this Request for Comments

- Summary of Proposed Revisions
- Redlined Text of Proposed Revisions to Rules of Procedure Sections 401.6, 403.8, and 403.16
- Redlined Text of Proposed Revisions to Rules of Procedure Appendix 2
- Redlined Text of Proposed Revisions to Rules of Procedure Appendix 4C

### Process

NERC's bylaws specify the procedure to be followed in making changes to NERC's Rules of Procedure. Such changes must be publicly posted for a 45-day comment period before being considered by the NERC Board of Trustees. (Bylaws, Article XI, Section 2.) Such changes must also be approved by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission before they may take effect in the U.S. No equivalent approval is required from any ERO governmental authority in Canada. The changes, if approved, will take effect on the same date throughout the jurisdictions in which NERC operates.

### Submission of Comments

Comments are due Thursday, May 21, 2015, and must be submitted electronically to [ROPcomments@nerc.net](mailto:ROPcomments@nerc.net). NERC intends to submit these changes to the NERC Board of Trustees for approval at a special session. Although the comment period does not close until May 21, 2015, commenters are respectfully requested to submit their comments sooner than May 21, 2015, if possible, in order to provide additional time for NERC staff and the Regional Entities to consider them. For further information, please contact Sonia Mendonca at [sonia.mendonca@nerc.net](mailto:sonia.mendonca@nerc.net).