

Standards Announcement

Project 2010-INT-01 Rapid Revision of TOP-006

Recirculation Ballot Results

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A recirculation ballot of **TOP-006-3 – Monitoring System Conditions** concluded on Friday, September 21, 2012.

Voting statistics for each ballot are listed below, and the [Ballots Results](#) page provides a link to the detailed results.

Approval
Quorum: 85.36%
Approval: 87.34%

Next Steps

The standard will be presented to the Board of Trustees in November 2012.

Background

Florida Municipal Power Pool (FMPP) submitted a request for interpretation of TOP-006-2 asking for clarification for Requirements R1.2 and Requirement R3. For Requirement R1.2, since the Balancing Authority is not responsible for transmission, FMPP asked if the Balancing Authority is responsible for reporting generation resources available for use and the Transmission Operator responsible for reporting transmission resources that are available for use. For Requirement R3, FMPP asked if the “appropriate technical information concerning protective relays” only refers to protective relays for which the entity has responsibility.

At the January 2012 meeting, the Standards Committee approved addressing the interpretation through a revision of TOP-006 and appointed the Real-time Operations SDT as the drafting team. The Standards Committee action is entirely consistent with guidance on interpretations provided by the NERC Board of Trustees in November 2009, and consistent with the processes in the NERC Standard Processes Manual.

Standards Development Process

The [Standards Processes Manual](#) 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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