

## Standards Announcement Initial Ballot Window Open August 27–September 8, 2009

Now available at: <https://standards.nerc.net/CurrentBallots.aspx>

### **Project 2009-18: Withdraw Three Midwest ISO Waivers**

An initial ballot window for the following proposed standards is now open **until 8 p.m. EDT on September 8, 2009**:

- BAL-006-2 — Inadvertent Interchange
- INT-003-3 — Interchange Transaction Implementation

The revisions are specifically for the removal of three Midwest ISO waivers from BAL-006-1 and INT-003-2. An implementation plan has been posted with the standards.

### **Instructions**

Members of the ballot pool associated with this project may log in and submit their votes from the following page: <https://standards.nerc.net/CurrentBallots.aspx>

### **Next Steps**

Voting results will be posted and announced after the ballot window closes.

### **Project Background**

The proposed standards have been revised to remove three Midwest ISO waivers. The three waivers identified below were drafted to accommodate the operation of the Midwest ISO market in a multi-Balancing Authority environment. Now that the Midwest ISO is a Balancing Authority, these waivers are no longer needed by the Midwest ISO. Removing these waivers (or references to the Midwest ISO) will make the standards clearer.

- Inadvertent Accounting Waiver from BAL-006 — Inadvertent Accounting
- Scheduling Agent Waiver from INT-003 — Interchange Transaction Implementation
- Enhanced Scheduling Agent Waiver from INT-003 — Interchange Transaction Implementation

The scope of this project is limited to the removal of the three identified waivers — there are no conforming changes to the applicability, requirements, measures, or compliance elements of the standard.

### **Applicability of Standards in Project**

Balancing Authorities

### **Standards Development Process**

The [Reliability Standards Development Procedure](#) 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.

*For more information or assistance,  
please contact Shaun Streeter at [shaun.streeter@nerc.net](mailto:shaun.streeter@nerc.net) or at 609.452.8060.*