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Standards Announcement Recirculation Ballot Window Open September 29–October 9, 2009

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

Project 2009-09: Interpretation of CIP-001-1 for Covanta Energy

A recirculation ballot window for an interpretation of standard CIP-001-1 — Sabotage Reporting Requirement R2 for Covanta Energy is now open **until 8 p.m. EDT on October 9, 2009**.

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>

Recirculation Ballot Process

The Standards Committee encourages all members of the ballot pool to review the consideration of comments submitted with the initial ballots. In the recirculation ballot, votes are counted by exception only — if a ballot pool member does not submit a revision to that member’s original vote, the vote remains the same as in the first ballot. Members of the ballot pool may:

- Reconsider and change their vote from the first ballot.
- Vote in the second ballot even if they did not vote on the first ballot.
- Take no action if they do not want to change their original vote.

Next Steps

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

Project Background

Covanta Energy requested an interpretation of the term “appropriate parties” and asked if there is an entity within the interconnection hierarchy that deems parties to be appropriate.

The request and interpretation are posted on the project page:

http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Project2009-09_Interpretation_CIP-001-1_Covanta.html

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.

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