Standards Announcement
Project 2019-02 BES Cyber System Information Access Management

Formal Comment Period Open through February 3, 2020
Ballot Pools Forming through January 20, 2020

Now Available

A 45-day formal comment period for **Project 2019-02 BES Cyber System Information Access Management** is open through **8 p.m. Eastern, Monday, February 3, 2020.**

Commenting
Use the Standards Balloting and Commenting System (SBS) to submit comments. If you experience issues navigating the SBS, contact Linda Jenkins. An unofficial Word version of the comment form is posted on the project page.

- *If you are having difficulty accessing the SBS due to a forgotten password, incorrect credential error messages, or system lock-out, contact NERC IT support directly at https://support.nerc.net/ (Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Eastern).*

- *Passwords expire every **6 months** and must be reset.*

- *The SBS **is not** supported for use on mobile devices.*

- *Please be mindful of ballot and comment period closing dates. We ask to **allow at least 48 hours** for NERC support staff to assist with inquiries. Therefore, it is recommended that users try logging into their SBS accounts **prior to the last day** of a comment/ballot period.*

Next Steps
Initial ballots for the Standards and Implementation Plan, along with non-binding polls for each associated Violation Risk Factors and Violation Severity Levels, will be conducted **January 24 – February 3, 2020.**

For more information on the Standards Development Process, refer to the Standard Processes Manual.

For more information or assistance, contact Senior Standards Developer, Latrice Harkness (via email) or at 404-446-9728.

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