

# Project 2008-02.2

Phase 2 Undervoltage Load Shedding: Misoperations  
UVLS Standard Drafting Team

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# Administrative Items

- NERC Antitrust Guidelines
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- Presentation Material
  - Wording in this presentation is used for presentation purposes and may not reflect the official posted draft of the standard or other documents
  - Proposed work includes
    - PRC-004-5 (*Protection System Misoperation Identification and Correction*)
    - PRC-010-2 (*Undervoltage Load Shedding*)
    - Associated Implementation Plans, Mapping document, and draft RSAWs

- Webinar is intended to
  - Provide general information
  - Obtain initial reaction to approach
  - Seek stakeholder feedback on any improvements
- Informal Question and Answer (Q&A) at the end
  - Q&A session is intended to obtain industry's initial reaction
  - Submit questions and comments via the chat feature
  - Some questions may require future team consideration
  - Please reference slide number, standard and section, etc.
  - Presenters will attempt to address each question
  - Webinar and chat comments are not a part of the official project record
  - Webinar slides and audio will be posted within 24-48 hours





# Project

- Initial Work
  - Addressed Undervoltage Load Shedding Programs (“UVLS Program”)
  - Created PRC-010-1
  - Retired PRC-020-1, PRC-021-1, and PRC-022-1
  - Held off addressing UVLS equipment Misoperations due to concurrent work on PRC-004-3 by another team
- Phase 2
  - Completes the work anticipated by the UVLS and Misoperation SDTs
  - Inserts Applicability in PRC-004 for UVLS that trips BES Elements
  - Clarifies that PRC-010 includes UVLS equipment
  - Closes the gap
    - Concerning Misoperation of UVLS equipment
    - due to the retirement of PRC-022-1

- Applicability section proposal
  - “4.2.3 Undervoltage load shedding (UVLS) that is intended to trip one or more BES Elements”
- Standard will cover UVLS that trip BES Elements
- UVLS Program equipment is addressed by PRC-010
- Centrally controlled UVLS is addressed as a “Remedial Action Schemes” (RAS) by definition
  - See Project 2010-05.2 for more information on RAS
  - Meets the intent of Misoperation and UVLS SDTs
  - Aligns with the data request for reporting Misoperations
    - *Request for Data of Information, Protection System Misoperation Data Collection, August 14, 2014*
- Irrelevant historical text (dated) has been removed

- Requirement R4 – split for clarity
  - Original performance was moved to Part 4.1 (did the Program work?)
  - Part 4.2 is being proposed to address UVLS equipment
- Requirement R5 removes “in its UVLS Program” to place focus more appropriately on the “assessment”
- Misoperation of UVLS Program equipment may be identified during the post event assessment
  - Performed by the Planning Coordinator and Transmission Planner
- Correction Action Plan addresses UVLS Program deficiencies
  - Ensures Misoperation identification and correction by UVLS entities
- Made adjustments to the Application Guidelines
- Irrelevant historical text (dated) has been removed

- **Implementation Plan**
  - Set to be timed with the regulatory approval of PRC-010-1
    - Goes into effect at the same time as PRC-010-1, or
    - The first day of the first calendar quarter after approvals
- **Mapping Document**
  - Provides reference between the retired PRC-022-1 and the new PRC-004-5 and PRC-010-2
- **Unofficial Comment Form**
  - Limit comments to proposed revisions (scope of work)
  - Comment on Standards or other documents
- **Reliability Standard Audit Workshop (RSAW)**
  - Comments may be made through the NERC Compliance webpage



# Closing Remarks

- Formal posting
  - 45-day comment period start anticipated on February 19
  - Initial ballot in the last 10 days of the comment period
- Public SDT in-person meeting
  - Anticipated for Thursday, April 9 at Xcel Energy in Denver, CO
  - Book travel after the official announcement
  - Must register either for in-person or remote attendance
  - Details forthcoming at [www.nerc.com](http://www.nerc.com) for registration
    - See Program Areas, Standards, Calendar, View Standards Events
- Potential final ballot April 2015
- Potential Board of Trustees adoption May 2015

- Effective feedback:
  - Specific to question, brevity is best
  - Provide suggestions or equally effective alternative
  - Indicating agreement with others is preferred over copying the comments (e.g., “ABC agrees with XYZ’s comments...” or “ABC agrees with XYZ’s comments except for...”)
  - Provide proposed change and rationale
- Less effective feedback:
  - Repeating same comment multiple times
  - No reference to where suggested change should occur
  - Non-specific concerns (e.g., “This change is not needed.”)
- Balloting will be in legacy system



- Please submit your questions via the chat window
  - This session is intended to help general understanding
  - Please reference slide number, standard section, etc.
  - Presenters will respond to as many questions as possible
  - Some questions may have to be deferred to the team
- For the official record
  - Webinar and chat comments are not a part of the official project record
  - Comments must be submitted via the project page during posting
  - The drafting team will consider any informal feedback
    - Send to a team member, or
    - Send to the NERC Standards Developer ([scott.barfield@nerc.net](mailto:scott.barfield@nerc.net)) for distribution to the team

- Encourage working through forums or trades
  - To become aware of industry direction on topics
  - Develop consolidated comments informally or during postings
- NERC Standards Developer, Scott Barfield-McGinnis
  - Email at [scott.barfield@nerc.net](mailto:scott.barfield@nerc.net)
  - Telephone: 404-446-9689
  - To receive **Project 2008-02.2** announcements and updates
    - Request to be added to **UVLSSDT\_Plus**
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  - In about 24-48 hours following webinar under “Standards” / “Webinars”
  - Link will be provided in the next “Standards Bulletin”
- Thank you for participating