

## Implementation Plan for Standard MOD-029-1 (Project 2006-07)

### Summary

As part of compliance with FERC Order 890, the NERC ATC, TTC, CBM, & TRM Standards Drafting Team has prepared the following standard:

- MOD-029-1 – Rated System Path Methodology, which describes the Rated System Path methodology for determining ATC.

### Prerequisite Approvals

There are no other reliability standards or Standard Authorization Requests (SARs), approved, that must be implemented before this standard can be implemented.

### Retired Standards

FAC-012-1 – Transfer Capability Methodology includes four requirements. MOD-029-1 incorporates the following requirements from FAC-012-1:

- R1 (Documentation of the Transfer Capability Methodology)
- R2, R3 (Communication of the Transfer Capability Methodology to appropriate entities).
- R4 (responding to comments by interested parties regarding the Transfer Capability Methodology) is being addressed by the North American Energy Standards Board.

As such, FAC-012-1 is no longer needed and is being retired when MOD-029-1 becomes effective.

FAC-013-1 – Establish and Communicate Transfer Capabilities, includes two requirements. MOD-029-1 incorporates the following requirements from FAC-013-1:

- R1 (Calculation of the Transfer Capabilities)
- R2 (Communication of the Transfer Capabilities to appropriate entities).

As such, FAC-013-1 is no longer needed and is being retired when MOD-029-1 becomes effective.

### Compliance with Standards

Once this standard becomes effective, the responsible entities identified in the applicability section of the standard must comply with the requirements. These include:

Proposed Standard	Transmission Operator	Transmission Planner	Transmission Service Provider	Balancing Authorities	Purchasing Selling Entities	Load-Serving Entities
MOD-029-1	■		■			

### **Proposed Effective Date**

All requirements in the standard should become effective on the first day of the first calendar quarter that is twelve months beyond the date all four standards (MOD-001-1, MOD-028-1, MOD-029-1, and MOD-030-1) are approved by all applicable regulatory authorities. This 12-month time period is to allow entities to implement the standard (including the procurement of any new hardware or software required) and to test those implementations thoroughly.