

Standards Announcement

Ballot Results

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Interpretation of TOP-005-1 and IRO-005-1 for Manitoba Hydro (Project 2008-18) Since at least one negative ballot was submitted with a comment, a recirculation ballot will be held. The recirculation ballot will be held after the drafting team responds to voter comments submitted during this ballot.

The initial ballot for an interpretation of TOP-005-1 — Operational Reliability Information and IRO-005-1 — Reliability Coordination — Current Day Operations for Manitoba Hydro ended March 30, 2009. The ballot results are shown below. The <u>Ballot Results</u> Web page provides a link to the detailed results.

Quorum: 89.78% Approval: 92.62%

Project page: http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Project2008-18_Interpretation_TOP-005-1 IRO-005-1 ManitobaHydro.html

Ballot Criteria

Approval requires both:

- A quorum, which is established by at least 75% of the members of the ballot pool for submitting either an affirmative vote, a negative vote, or an abstention; and
- A two-thirds majority of the weighted segment votes cast must be affirmative.
 The number of votes cast is the sum of affirmative and negative votes, excluding abstentions and nonresponses.

Standards Development Process

The <u>Reliability Standards Development Procedure</u> 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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