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Prerequisite Approvals

• None required

Conforming Changes to Requirements in Already Approved Standards

• IRO-014-2 — Coordination Among Reliability Coordinators

Revision Summary

The Reliability Coordination SDT (RC SDT) recommends retiring Standard IRO-015-1 as a separate standard. The RC SDT recommends moving IRO-015-1 Requirements R1 and R2 into IRO-014-2 and retiring Requirement R3.

Functions that Must Comply with the Requirements in the Standards

None. The RC SDT proposes retiring this standard.

Effective Dates

To be determined.

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Revisions or Retirements to Already Approved Standards

The following table identifies the sections of the approved standard that shall be retired or revised when this standard is implemented. If the drafting team is recommending the retirement or revision of a requirement, that text is blue.

	Already Approved Standard		Proposed Replacement Requirement(s)
IRO-015-1		IRO-014-2	
R1.	The Reliability Coordinator shall follow its Operating Procedures, Processes, or Plans for making notifications and exchanging reliability-related information with other Reliability Coordinators. [Violation Risk Factor: Medium]	R4. T	exchange reliability-related information with impacted Reliability Coordinators using its predefined shall follow its Operating Procedures, Processes, or Plans for conditions that may impact other Reliability Coordinator Areas or other means to accomplish the notifications and exchange of reliability-related information. [Violation Risk Factor: Medium]
	R1.1. The Reliability Coordinator shall make notifications to other Reliability Coordinators of conditions in its Reliability Coordinator Area that may impact other Reliability Coordinator Areas. [Violation Risk Factor: Medium]		
R2.	The Reliability Coordinator shall participate in agreed upon conference calls and other communication forums with adjacent Reliability Coordinators. [Violation Risk Factor: Lower]		
R2	.1. The frequency of these conference calls shall be agreed upon by all involved Reliability Coordinators and shall be at least weekly. [Violation Risk Factor: Lower]		
R3.	The Reliability Coordinator shall provide reliability-related information as requested by other Reliability Coordinators. [Violation Risk Factor: Medium]		

Notes: The RC SDT recommends moving IRO-015-1 Requirements R1 and R2 into IRO-014-2 and revising as shown above.

The RC SDT proposes retiring IRO-015-1 R3 as it is redundant with other requirements in standards. Reliability Coordinators already have several requirements aimed at providing data or information to other Reliability Coordinators in support of Reliability Coordinator responsibilities. For example, Reliability Coordinators provide reliability-related information to other Reliability Coordinators as part of IRO-010-1, R3 – they share information as they try to confirm the existence of operating issues as part of IRO-014-2 R5, etc.

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