

# Regional Reliability Standards Announcement

## Texas Reliability Entity | BAL-001-TRE-2

Comment Period Open through January 6, 2020

### [Now Available](#)

The Texas Reliability Entity (Texas RE) requested that NERC post Regional Reliability Standard **BAL-001-TRE-2** for industry review and comment in accordance with the NERC Rules of Procedure.

### Background

Texas RE received a Standard Authorization Request seeking: (i) to remove the governor deadband and droop setting requirements for steam turbines in a combined cycle train and (ii) clarification of the responsible entity for Frequency Measurable Event exclusion requests.

The Texas RE drafting team summarized all of the revisions made to Regional Reliability Standard BAL-001-TRE-2, including template edits, in the [Summary of Changes](#).

### Commenting

Use the [Standards Balloting and Commenting System \(SBS\)](#) to submit comments. Contact [Wendy Muller](#) regarding issues with the SBS. The form must be submitted by **8 p.m. Eastern, Monday, January 6, 2020**. An unofficial Word version of the comment form is posted on the [Regional Reliability Standards Under Development](#) page.

- *Contact NERC IT support directly at <https://support.nerc.net/> (Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Eastern) for problems regarding accessing the SBS due to a forgotten password, incorrect credential error messages, or system lock-out.*
- *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.*

### Regional Reliability Standards Development Process

Section 300 of [NERC's Rules of Procedures of the Electric Reliability Organization](#) governs the regional reliability standards development process. Although the technical aspects of this Regional Reliability Standard have been vetted through WECC's Regional Standards development process, the final approval process for a Regional Reliability Standard requires NERC publicly to notice and request comment on the criteria outlined in the unofficial comment form.

Documents and information about this project are available on the [Texas RE Standards](#) page.

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