

Regional Reliability Standards Announcement

Midwest Reliability Organization Regional Reliability Standards Process Manual

Comment Period Open: August 28 – October 11, 2012

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NERC is posting the proposed Midwest Reliability Organization (MRO) Regional Reliability Standards Process Manual for a 45-day industry review through **8 p.m. Eastern on Thursday, October 11, 2012.**

Regional standards development procedures define a regional entity's process for development, revision, reaffirmation, and withdrawal of regional reliability.

Instructions for Commenting

A formal comment period is open through **8 p.m. Eastern on Thursday, October 11, 2012**. Please use this <u>electronic form</u> to submit comments. If you experience any difficulties in using the electronic form, please contact Monica Benson at <u>monica.benson@nerc.net</u>. An off-line, unofficial copy of the comment form is posted on the <u>Regional Reliability Standards-Under Development Page</u>.

Rules of Procedure

The NERC approval and posting requirements for regional reliability standards development procedures are described in <u>NERC's Rules of Procedure of the Electric Reliability Organization</u>, Section 311.2. The success of the NERC Regional Reliability Standards Development Process depends on stakeholder participation. We extend our thanks to all those who participate.

For more information or assistance, please contact Monica Benson, Standards Process Administrator, at <u>monica.benson@nerc.net</u> or at 404-446-2560.

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