



NERC Staff an opportunity to address remaining issues. Due to the voluminous nature of this filing, NERC submits that good cause exists for the Commission to grant this brief extension of time. The additional time is needed to allow NERC to complete its work, ensure it is accurate, and to finalize the compliance filing. Accordingly, NERC respectfully requests an extension of time up to and including March 5, 2010, for the filing of the compliance filing.

### **III. CONCLUSION**

WHEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, NERC respectfully requests that FERC grant a brief extension of time up to and including March 5, 2010, for the submittal of the VSL guideline analysis compliance filing responding to FERC's June VSL Order and November VSL Orders.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing document upon all parties listed on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Dated at Washington, D.C. this 26th day of February, 2010.

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