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Comment Period for Project 2006-08 — Transmission Loading Relief Reference Manual Opens February 8, 2008

The first draft of the *Joint NERC/NAESB System Operator's TLR Reference Manual* is posted for a 45-day comment period through March 29, 2008.

Reliability Standard IRO-006-4 — Reliability Coordination – Transmission Loading Relief provides interconnection-wide transmission loading relief (TLR) procedures that can be used to prevent or manage potential or actual SOL and IROL violations. The requirements in IRO-006-4 only address the reliability-related aspects of transmission loading relief — the business-related aspects of transmission loading relief are addressed in NAESB's TLR Business Practices for the Eastern Interconnection.

The *Joint NERC/NAESB System Operator's TLR Reference Manual* provides a single reference that consolidates the TLR requirements of the NERC reliability standard and the NAESB business practice into a single reference document.

NERC and NAESB are soliciting comments on the manual in an effort to ensure it meets industry needs and is as complete and accurate as possible. The intent is to submit the final version of the manual to the Standards Committee for its approval. If approved by the Standards Committee, the reference manual will be posted as a "Supporting Document," with a link to reliability standard IRO-006-4 — Reliability Coordination – Transmission Loading Relief.

Please use this [comment form](#) to submit comments on the manual.

Standards Development Process

The [Reliability Standards Development Procedure](#) 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. If you have any questions, please contact me at 813-468-5998 or maureen.long@nerc.net.

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