

Standards Announcement Project 2008-06 Cyber Security Order 706 (CIP Version 5)

Recirculation Ballot Results

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Twelve recirculation ballot windows for the following 10 CIP standards, the associated implementation plan, and a set of new and revised NERC Glossary definitions, concluded on Monday, November 5, 2012.

The non-binding poll of the associated VRFs/VSLs for all 10 CIP standards has been extended by one additional day in order to achieve a quorum. Please take this opportunity to submit an opinion if you have not already done so. If you do not intend to cast a supportive or negative opinion, please cast an abstention to help us achieve a quorum.

Voting statistics for each ballot are listed below, and the [Ballot Results](#) webpage provides a link to the detailed results. Once a quorum is reached on the non-binding poll, a separate announcement will be sent with the results.

Ballot	Results
CIP-002-5 Cyber Security — BES Cyber System Identification	Quorum: 85.33% Approval: 78.59%
CIP-003-5 Cyber Security — Security Management Controls	Quorum: 85.33% Approval: 92.75%
CIP-004-5 Cyber Security — Personnel and Training	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 89.73%
CIP-005-5 Cyber Security — Electronic Security Perimeter(s)	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 93.73%
CIP-006-5 Cyber Security — Physical Security	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 95.53%
CIP-007-5 Cyber Security — Systems Security Management	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 91.79%
CIP-008-5 Cyber Security — Incident Reporting and Response Planning	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 95.47%
CIP-009-5 Cyber Security — Recovery Plans for BES Cyber Assets and Systems	Quorum: 85.33% Approval: 94.60%
CIP-010-1 Cyber Security — Configuration Change Management	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 88.99%

Ballot	Results
CIP-011-1 Cyber Security — Information Protection	Quorum: 85.54% Approval: 95.67%
CIP V5 Implementation Plan	Quorum: 83.47% Approval: 94.91%
CIP V5 Definitions	Quorum: 83.47% Approval: 93.23%

Next Steps

The standards will be presented to the Board of Trustees for adoption and then filed with the appropriate regulatory authorities.

Background

In 2008, [FERC Order No. 706](#) directed the ERO to develop modifications to Version 1 of the NERC CIP Cyber Security Standards to address a range of concerns in various areas of the Version 1 standards.

Version 5 of the NERC CIP Cyber Security Standards is intended to address all remaining standards related issues of FERC Order No. 706.

The SDT believes the NERC Version 5 CIP Cyber Security Standards provide a cyber security framework for the categorization and protection of BES Cyber Systems to support the reliable operation of the Bulk Electric System. These standards recognize the differing roles of each entity in the operation of the Bulk Electric System, the criticality and vulnerability of the cyber systems needed to support Bulk Electric System reliability, and the risks to which they are exposed. Additional information about the project is available on the [project webpage](#).

Standards Development Process

The [Standard Processes Manual](#) 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.

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