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Standards Announcement

Recirculation Ballot Window Open

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Now available at: <https://standards.nerc.net/CurrentBallots.aspx>

Project 2010-09: NUC Implementation Plans for CIP Version 2 and Version 3

A recirculation ballot window for Nuclear Implementation Plans for CIP Version 2 and CIP Version 3 standards is now open **until 8 p.m. Eastern on July 2, 2010.**

Instructions

Members of the ballot pool associated with this project may log in and submit their votes from the following page: <https://standards.nerc.net/CurrentBallots.aspx>

Recirculation Ballot Process

The Standards Committee encourages all members of the ballot pool to review the consideration of comments submitted with the initial ballots. In the recirculation ballot, votes are counted by exception only — if a ballot pool member does not submit a revision to that member's original vote, the vote remains the same as in the first ballot. Members of the ballot pool may:

- Reconsider and change their vote from the first ballot.
- Vote in the second ballot even if they did not vote on the first ballot.
- Take no action if they do not want to change their original vote.

Next Steps

Voting results will be posted and announced after the ballot window closes.

Project Background

FERC recently approved NERC's filing of an implementation plan for the version 1 CIP standards, CIP-002-1 through CIP-009-1, specific to U.S. nuclear power plant owners and operators in accordance with FERC Order 706-B. The purpose of this project is to address the implementation timeline for U.S. nuclear power plant owners and operators for versions 2 and 3 of NERC's CIP standards. Members of the original version 1 Cyber Security Drafting Team, which developed the version 1 implementation plan for U.S. nuclear power plant owners and operators, developed the language included in the revised implementation plans for the version 2 and 3 CIP standards.

Project page:

http://www.nerc.com/filez/standards/Cyber_Security_Order706B_Nuclear_Plant_Implementation_Plan.html

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.

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