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Project 2019-03 Cyber Security Supply Chain Risks

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Additional information is available on the [project page](http://nercdotcomstage/pa/Stand/Pages/Project2019-03CyberSecuritySupplyChain-Risks.aspx). If you have questions, contact Senior Standards Developer, Alison Oswald (via email), or at 404-446-9668.

## Background Information

On October 18, 2018, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) issued Order No. 850 directing NERC to develop modifications to the Supply Chain Standards. FERC directed NERC to submit modifications to address EACMSs, specifically those systems that provide electronic access control to high and medium impact BES Cyber Systems. FERC directed NERC to submit the modified Reliability Standard including the directed revisions for approval within 24 months from the effective date of Order No. 850. In addition, NERC also recommends revising the Supply Chain Standards to address Physical Access Control Systems (PACS) that provide physical access control (excluding alarming and logging) to high and medium impact BES Cyber Systems. The modifications to address PACS do not have a regulatory deadline, but will be addressed by this project.

## Questions

1. Do you agree with the proposed scope as described in the SAR? If you do not agree, or if you agree but have comments or suggestions for the project scope please provide your recommendation and explanation.

[ ]  Yes

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Comments:

1. Provide any additional comments for the SAR drafting team to consider, if desired.

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