

# Standards Announcement

## Project 2015-INT-01 Interpretation of CIP-002-5.1 for Energy Sector Security Consortium (EnergySec)

Final Ballot Open through October 24, 2016

### [Now Available](#)

A 10-day final ballot for the **Interpretation of CIP-002-5.1** is open through **8 p.m. Eastern, Monday, October 24, 2016.**

### Balloting

In the final ballot, votes are counted by exception. Only members of the ballot pool may cast a vote. All ballot pool members may change their previously cast vote. A ballot pool member who failed to vote during the previous ballot period may vote in the final ballot period. If a ballot pool member does not participate in the final ballot, the member's vote from the previous ballot will be carried over as their vote in the final ballot.

Members of the ballot pool associated with this project may log in and submit their vote for the interpretation [here](#). If you experience any difficulties using the Standards Balloting & Commenting System (SBS), contact [Nasheema Santos](#).

*If you are having difficulty accessing the SBS due to a forgotten password, incorrect credential error messages, or system lock-out, contact NERC IT support directly at <https://support.nerc.net/> (Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Eastern).*

### Next Steps

The voting results for the interpretation will be posted and announced after the ballot closes. If approved, the interpretation will be submitted to the Board of Trustees for adoption and then filed with the appropriate regulatory authorities.

### Standards Development Process

For more information on the Standards Development Process, refer to the [Standard Processes Manual](#).

For more information or assistance, contact Senior Standards Developer, [Al McMeekin](#) (via email) or at (404) 446-9675.

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