

Consultation notice Project QC-2017-02 – Phase 1

September—November 2017

In accordance with the process established by Régie de l'énergie du Québec's decision [D-2011-139](#), the Reliability Coordinator for Québec (the "Coordinator") is seeking comments from registered entities and stakeholders on reliability standards PRC-004-5(i), PRC-005-6 and PRC-026-1.

This public consultation is the first phase of the QC-2017-02 public consultation. This first phase addresses the scope of application of reliability standards PRC-004-5(i), PRC-005-6 and PRC-026-1. The second phase addresses the reliability standards impacted by the notions of dispersed power producing resources and remedial action schemes.

For standards PRC-004-5(i) and PRC-026-1, the Régie has already adopted them in its decisions [D-2017-015](#) and [D-2017-076](#), respectively, but requested the assessment of their scope of application. The Coordinator would like to see the entities to express themselves regarding the extension of the scope of application of these standards to the main transport system (RTP).

For standard PRC-005-6, the Coordinator plans to file this standard for adoption and already requests the entities to express themselves with respect to the scope of application of this standard.

Notice addressed to:

- Entities listed in the Register of Entities Subject to Reliability Standards
- North American Electric Reliability Corporation, Inc. (NERC)
- Northeast Power Coordinating Council, Inc. (NPCC)
- NPCC Reliability Coordinators
- Régie de l'énergie du Québec

Consultation period: September 29, 2017, to November 3 10, 2017

- Comments must be received no later than November 3 10, 2017, at 23:59.

Documents submitted for consultation

The purpose of the current public consultation is to analyze the scope of application of three standards.

- Adopted standards:
 - PRC-004-5(i) – Protection System Misoperation Identification and Correction
 - PRC-026-1 – Relay Performance During Stable Power Swings
- New version:
 - PRC-005-6 – Protection System, Automatic Reclosing, and Sudden Pressure Relaying Maintenance

The Coordinator seeks your feedback on the relevance of extending the scope of application of these three reliability standards to the RTP and asks you to assess the impact of this new scope of application. For this purpose, please use the online forms available on the consultation page of the Coordinator's Web site (<http://www.hydroquebec.com/transenergie/reliability/consultation.html>), making sure to clearly

identify the scope of application and the standard to which your comments pertain.

You may also send your questions and feedback directly to the following address: fiabilite@hydro.qc.ca.

Supporting documents

- Information document comprised of the following elements:
 - Standards
 - Appendices for Québec
 - Modifications to be made to the glossary