

## Notice of Consultation Project QC-2019-03

July – September 2019

### Notice addressed to:

- Entities listed in the Register of Entities
- North American Electric Reliability Corporation, Inc. (NERC)
- Northeast Power Coordinating Council, Inc. (NPCC)
- NPCC Reliability Coordinators
- Régie de l'énergie du Québec (the "Régie") [Québec energy board]

**Consultation period:** July 26, 2019 to September 6, 2019

### Purpose of the consultation

In accordance with the process established by the Régie in Decision [D-2011-139](#), the Québec Reliability Coordinator (the "Coordinator") is asking Registered Entities and stakeholders for comments on the following standards with a view to their eventual adoption by the Régie:

- BAL-002-3 – Disturbance Control Standard – Contingency Reserve for Recovery from a Balancing Contingency Event
- BAL-005-1 – Balancing Authority Control
- COM-001-3 – Communications
- FAC-001-3 – Facility Interconnection Requirements
- FAC-003-4 – Transmission Vegetation Management

Additionally, the Coordinator will request the retirement of two existing standards:

- BAL-004-0 – Time Error Correction
- BAL-006-2 – Inadvertent Interchange

The Coordinator asks Registered Entities for their opinion on the relevance and impacts of the reliability standards to be adopted or withdrawn. Please provide your comments using the consultation form under this notice on the Public consultation of entities page of the Reliability Coordinator website (<http://www.hydroquebec.com/reliability-coordinator/consultation.html>). Make sure you clearly indicate the document (and document section) to which your comments refer.

You may also send your questions and comments directly to the following address: [fiabilite@hydro.qc.ca](mailto:fiabilite@hydro.qc.ca).

### Documents

- Proposed standards and Québec appendices
- Changes to be made to the Glossary
- Summaries of the standards to be adopted or withdrawn, including preliminary assessments of their relevance and impact