

Consultation notice Project QC-2016-03

December 2016

In accordance with the Régie de l'énergie du Québec's decision [D-2011-139](#), the Reliability Coordinator for Québec (the "Reliability Coordinator") is soliciting comments from registered entities and stakeholders on reliability standards and other documents to be filed with the Régie de l'énergie du Québec for adoption or approval, depending on the nature of each document.

Notice recipients

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

Consultation period: December 23, 2016 to January 20, 2017.

- Comments must be received no later than January 20, 2017 at 23:59.

Documents submitted for consultation

The purpose of the current public consultation is to harmonize the reliability regimes in Québec and the United States. The Coordinator presents one new standards, ten new versions and two modified definitions. Details of these standards can be found in the supporting document that accompanies each standard. In addition, the Coordinator proposes the withdrawal of twenty standards.

- New standards or versions :
 - IRO-001-4 – Reliability Coordination – Responsibilities;
 - IRO-002-4 – Reliability Coordination – Monitoring and Analysis;
 - IRO-008-2 – Reliability Coordinator Operational Analyses and Real-time Assessments;
 - IRO-009-2 – Reliability Coordinator Actions to Operate Within IROs;
 - IRO-010-2 – Reliability Coordinator Data Specification and Collection;
 - IRO-014-3 – Coordination Among Reliability Coordinators;
 - IRO-017-1 – Outage Coordination;
 - TOP-001-3 – Transmission Operations;
 - TOP-002-4 – Operations Planning;
 - TOP-003-3 – Operational Reliability Data;
- Modification to the "Operational Planning Analysis" and "Real-time Assessment" definitions.

Standards or requirements to be retired upon enforcement:

- IRO-001-1.1
- IRO-002-2
- IRO-003-2
- IRO-004-2
- IRO-005-3.1a
- IRO-008-1
- IRO-009-1
- IRO-010-1a
- IRO-014-1
- IRO-015-1
- IRO-016-1
- PER-001-0.2
- TOP-001-1a
- TOP-002-2.1b
- TOP-003-1
- TOP-004-2
- TOP-005-2a
- TOP-006-2
- TOP-007-0
- TOP-008-1

The Reliability Coordinator solicits your feedback on the reliability standards and the proposed new definition for the Glossary of Terms and Acronyms used in the Reliability Standards (Glossary). For this purpose, please use the online form available on the consultation page of the Reliability Coordinator's website (<http://www.hydroquebec.com/transenergie/reliability/consultation.html>), making sure to clearly identify the document (and the section of the document) to which your comments pertain.

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

Supporting documents

- Summary informational document comprised of the following elements:
 - A preliminary assessment of the relevance and impact of the proposed standards;
 - Modification to other standards or to the glossary;
 - Applicability and provisions specific to Québec;
 - Proposed effective dates.