



AESO Reliability Standards Monthly Report

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FAC-003-2 – Vegetation Management

Purpose:

Draft 3 Standard, posted for comment.

Current Standard:

FAC-003-1 was approved by the NERC Board of Trustees on February 7, 2006.

Proposed Standard:

The project is an update to FAC-003-1, which was approved in 2006. The items identified for revision include the incorporation of FERC Order 693 comments related to applicability, procedural repairs to conform to the current standards format and development procedure, technical updates and guidance to address stakeholder suggestions, and the elimination of “fill-in-the-blank” components.

This is also the first posting of a “Results-Based” standard, which will become the format of most standards in the future.

Applicability:

Reliability Coordinator, Transmission Operator

Current Status:

The standard was posted for comment until March 31. The AESO submitted comments as a member of the SRC, which can be seen using the link below.

NERC Link:

[Vegetation Management](#)