



# AESO Reliability Standards Monthly Report

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## Violation Severity Levels – Eight EOP Standards

### **Purpose:**

Posting of revised VSLs.

### **Current Standards:**

The current standards use terminology that is not acceptable to FERC

### **Proposed Standards:**

The ballot for the VSLs for the eight Emergency Preparedness and Operations (EOP) reliability standards that was conducted in 2008 failed to meet the required two-thirds majority of the weighted segment votes cast in the affirmative. As a result, the NERC Board of Trustees directed the Standards Committee to take the necessary steps needed to expedite the development of a revised group of EOP VSLs for filing with FERC.

### **Applicability:**

Balancing Authorities, Transmission Operators, Reliability Coordinators, Load-Serving Entities, Generator Operators, Generator Owners, Regional Reliability Organizations

### **Current Status:**

Posted for ballot until August 10, 2009.

### **NERC Link:**

[EOP VSLs](#)