## Alberta Reliability Standard Reliability Coordinator Data Specification and Collection IRO-010-AB-1a



### 1. Purpose

To prevent instability, uncontrolled separation, or **cascading** that adversely impacts the reliability of the **Interconnection** by ensuring the **ISO** has the data it needs to monitor and assess the operation of its area.

### 2. Applicability

This reliability standard applies to:

(a) the ISO.

### 3. Requirements

- R1 The ISO must have a documented specification(s) for data and information to build and maintain models to support real-time monitoring, operational planning analyses, and real-time assessments of its area to prevent instability, uncontrolled separation, and cascading. The specification must include the following:
  - R1.1 list of required data and information needed by the ISO to support real-time monitoring, operational planning analyses, and real-time assessments;
  - R1.2 mutually agreeable format;
  - R1.3 timeframe and periodicity for providing data and information (based on its hardware and software requirements, and the time needed to do its operational planning analyses); and
  - **R1.4** process for data provision when automated **real-time** system operating data is unavailable.
- R2 Intentionally left blank.
- R3 The ISO must provide data and information, as specified upon, to each reliability coordinator with which it has a reliability relationship.

### 4. Measures

The following measures correspond to the requirements identified in section 3 of this reliability standard. For example, MR1 is the measure for requirement R1.

- **MR1** The **ISO** may have evidence that could include, but is not limited to, a documented specification(s) for data and information that contains all specifications identified in requirement R1.
- MR2 Intentionally left blank.
- MR3 The ISO may have evidence to confirm that it provided data and information, as specified and mutually agreed upon in requirement R3. This evidence could include, but is not limited to, dated operator logs, dated voice recordings, dated computer printouts, dated SCADA data, or other equivalent evidence.

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## **Revision History**

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