Unofficial Comment Form
Draft 2019-2021 Reliability Standards Development Plan

Do not use this form for submitting comments. Use the Standards Balloting and Commenting System (SBS) to submit comments on the draft 2019-2021 Reliability Standards Development Plan (RSDP) by 8 p.m. Eastern, Friday, August 31, 2018.

Additional information is available on the Reliability Standards Development Plan page. If you have questions, contact Manager, Standards, Soo Jin Kim (via email) or at 404-446-9742.

Background Information
The 2019-2021 RSDP provides insight into standards development activities anticipated at the time of publication so that stakeholders may make available appropriate resources to support the identified standards development objectives. Additional activities, such as Requests for Interpretation and development of Regional Variances, may impact the RSDP, which is a snapshot of activities anticipated for the 2019-2021 period. In order to help the industry understand resource requirements for each project, the RSDP now shows timeframes and anticipated resources for each project under development.

NERC’s considerations of the comments received from the Standards Committee are incorporated in the draft 2019-2021 RSDP.
Questions

1. Are there any items that are missing from the draft 2019-2021 RSDP?

☐ Yes  ☒ No

Comments:

2. Please provide any additional comments here.

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Similar to the scores obtained in the past 3 to 4 years, the final grades for standards graded in the RSDP once again indicate a rather narrow range in the Content Average scores (2.50 to 3.0) and the Quality Average scores (12.25 to 13.0). This narrow range does not seem to provide any insights or clear indication of which standard is of much inferior content or quality compared to the others. We suggest the criteria used in the grading categories be reviewed and modified, where appropriate, to provide more meaningful results that can really help provide clearer indication for prioritization.