

# North American Energy Standards Board

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#### NAESB AT A GLANCE: MONTHLY UPDATE

**UPDATE ON PARALLEL FLOW VISUALIZATION:** Mr. Skiba, co-chair of the WEQ BPS subcommittee, provided the update. The subcommittee continues to work on developing a long-term solution. The <u>interim solution</u> was voted out of the WEQ EC in October and is currently out for ratification. The interim solution is intended to address some of the key issues with transmission load relief, such as the use of static data in native and network load calculations. He also noted that this effort involved the greatest amount of coordination of any project between NERC and NAESB. The NERC IDC work group targeted implementation of testing in November of 2010. The WEQ BPS anticipates completion of the permanent solution in the second quarter of 2011, which will allow time for NERC to complete the field test.

#### **UPDATE ON DSM-EE EFFORTS:**

Wholesale Demand Response: The wholesale demand response work group completed its phase 2 recommendation, which was sent out for informal comments due October 29. Three sets of comments were received from the ISOs, Southern California Edison and EnerNOC. The ISO and SCE comments were reviewed by the wholesale demand response work group on November 5 and the EnerNOC comments will be reviewed on November 12. This recommendation will be voted on by the DSM-EE subcommittee at its December 1, 2010 subcommittee meeting.

Wholesale Energy Efficiency: The wholesale energy efficiency work group presented their draft recommendation at the September 29 DSM-EE subcommittee meeting. After completing a review of the recommendation on October 8, the wholesale energy efficiency recommendation was submitted for an informal comment period, which ended Monday, November 8. Comments were received from WPPI Energy, Westar Energy, EM&V Forum and the ISOs. The recommendation and comments will be reviewed by the wholesale energy efficiency work group on Monday, November 15 and Thursday November 18, prior to a vote by the DSM-EE subcommittee on December 1.

Retail Demand Response: The retail and wholesale DR groups completed work to harmonize glossary terms. There are some slight differences in a few cases, however. These relate to differences between the 2 industries. For example, WEQ uses the term "System Operator", where Retail uses "Program Administrator". The revised definitions have been incorporated into the recommendation for the retail DR Phase 2 work, and will be presented for approval at the full DSM-EE Subcommittee meeting on December 1

<u>Retail Energy Efficiency</u>: The retail energy efficiency work group continues to draft <u>its recommendation</u>. They currently have a draft glossary and several participants have begun to draft language for the model business practices, including sections on baseline estimates for measurement burnout vs. early retirement, energy efficiency programs, general evaluation plan requirements and select gross savings approaches.

**UPDATE ON SMART GRID ACTIVITIES:** Mr. Booe, NAESB counsel, provided an update on the ongoing Smart Grid activities. On October 14 the subcommittee voted out the phase 2 efforts for PAP03, PAP04 and PAP09. The PAP10 recommendation was approved by the WEQ EC on October 22, and is currently out for member ratification.

**UPDATE ON THE WEQ OASIS EFFORTS:** JT Wood, co-chair of the OASIS subcommittee, provided the update. OASIS has focused on <u>NITS</u> on OASIS; in particular, it has reviewed the informal comments submitted. The WEQ-001 standards are complete. The subcommittee is now focusing on the technical aspects of NITS for WEQ-002, WEQ-003 and WEQ-013. In the meantime, a task force has begun to



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address the SAMTS scope developed by the WEQ EC, with an anticipated completion date of first quarter, 2011.

**UPDATE ON THE BOARD CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE**: Mr. Hurley, chair of the committee, provided the <u>update</u>. The committee has focused on the cyber security bill which senate staff is currently consolidating. The committee has primarily discussed the direction the bill is taking and the legislation it may impact.

**UPDATE ON THE WGQ PUBLICATION SCHEDULE:** Ms. Rager noted that the WGQ Version 2.0 was scheduled to be published on November 30.

**NEXT CONFERENCE CALL:** The next Monthly Update Call is scheduled for January 26, 2011 from 1-2 PM Central. The agenda and any work papers will be posted on the Monthly Update page of the NAESB website: <a href="http://www.naesb.org/monthly\_update.asp">http://www.naesb.org/monthly\_update.asp</a>. We hope you can join us. If there are particular topics you would like to see covered or would like to receive additional information, please contact the NAESB Office (713)356-0060, <a href="maesb@naesb.org">naesb@naesb.org</a>.



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