

## **FORMAL COMMENTS**

Quadrant: Wholesale Electric Quadrant

**Recommendation:** WEQ 2009 AP Item (6.a.2) R08004 "WEQ-011 Consistency

Changes to Include: Introduction and Applicability Sections"

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Midwest ISO would like to offer the following comment for consideration by the Executive Committee prior to taking action on the recommendation WEQ 2009 AP Item (6.a.2) R08004 "WEQ-011 Consistency Changes to Include: Introduction and Applicability Sections."

The Applicability section should be expanded to include Regional Transmission Operators, Independent System Operators, and Reliability Coordinators. (See redline below.) In addition to the entities listed in the recommendation, the Regional Transmission Organizations and Independent System Operators have requirements assigned to them under sections 011-1.4 and 011-1.6. In Section 011-1.5 the Power Plant Operator is expected to send information to the Reliability Coordinator, and the Regional Reliability Coordinator is expected to establish written procedures with the appropriate gas Transportation Service Provider(s) and/or Power Plant Operator(s) under section 011-1.6.

## **Applicability**

This business practice applies to both the WEQ and WGQ specifically Balancing Authorities (BA), Power Plant Operators (PPO), <u>Regional Transmission Organizations</u>, <u>Independent System Operators</u>, <u>Reliability Coordinators</u>, and Transportation Service Providers.