

Announcement

NERC Opens New Headquarters Office in Atlanta

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ATLANTA – The North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) is pleased to announce the official opening of its headquarters in Atlanta. The new office is in the Atlanta Financial Center’s North Tower in the Buckhead section of Atlanta and is accessible by commuter train from the Atlanta airport terminal.

“Opening our Atlanta office is an important step toward fulfilling NERC’s long-term strategy of excellence,” said Gerry Cauley, president and chief executive officer of NERC. “Besides an exceptional economic and business environment, Atlanta provides a more accessible travel location for stakeholders and provides us with the opportunity to better recruit and retain highly qualified employees -both key to being successful as the electric reliability organization.”

NERC departments in the new headquarters include the Executive staff, Standards, Reliability Assessments and Performance Analysis, Compliance Operations, Training, Situation Awareness and Events Analysis, Human Resources, Information Technology and Finance.

NERC also is moving its office in Washington, D.C., to 1325 G Street Northwest in the beginning of 2012. This relocation will take place when renovations are completed, which is expected to be during the 4th quarter of 2011 or early 2012. The departments in the DC office are Legal, Governmental Affairs, Critical Infrastructure and Compliance Enforcement; giving employees there close proximity for frequent interaction with governmental and regulatory authorities.

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The North American Electric Reliability Corporation’s mission is to ensure the reliability of the North American bulk power system. NERC is the electric reliability organization (ERO) certified by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to establish and enforce reliability standards for the bulk-power system. NERC develops and enforces reliability standards; assesses adequacy annually via a 10-year forecast, and summer and winter forecasts; monitors the bulk power system; and educates, trains and certifies industry personnel. Learn more at www.nerc.com

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