

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

OFFICE OF ELECTRIC RELIABILITY

North American Electric
Reliability Corporation
Docket No. RM07-3-002

May 29, 2008

North American Electric Reliability Corp.
1120 G Street, N.W., Suite 990
Washington, D.C. 20005-3801

Attention: Rebecca J. Michael, Attorney

Re: Compliance Filing of the North American Electric Reliability Corporation in Response to Paragraph 135 of Order No. 705 – Facilities Design, Connections, and Maintenance Reliability Standards – Submission of Revised Violation Risk Factors

Dear Ms. Michael:

On April 1, 2008, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) filed revised Violation Risk Factors for Facilities Design, Connections, and Maintenance Reliability Standards approved in Order No. 705.¹ This filing was submitted to comply with Paragraph 135 of Order No. 705 directing NERC to revise 10 Violation Risk Factor assignments identified in Appendix A of that order.

Notice of this filing was issued on April 11, 2008 with comments, protests or motions to intervene due on or before April 22, 2008.

Notices of intervention and unopposed timely motions to intervene are granted pursuant to the operation of Rule 214 of the Commission's Rule of Practice and Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 385.214 (2007)). Any opposed or untimely filed motion to intervene is governed by the provisions of Rule 214. No protests or adverse comments were filed.

¹ *Facilities Design, Connections, and Maintenance Reliability Standards*, Order No. 705, 121 FERC ¶ 61,296 (2007).

NERC's uncontested filing is approved pursuant to the relevant authority delegated to the Director, Office of Electric Reliability under 18 C.F.R. § 375.314.

This action shall not be construed as accepting any other contingency plan pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 375.314(a)(1)(i) or any other data or report pursuant to 19 C.F.R. § 375.314(b)(3)(iv). This action shall not be construed as approving any other application including Electric Reliability Organization or Regional Entity rules or procedures pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 375.314(a)(2)(i). Such acceptance or approval shall not be deemed as recognition of any claimed right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance or approval is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or which may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now or pending or hereafter instituted by or against NERC.

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Sincerely,

Joseph H. McClelland, Director
Office of Electric Reliability

cc: All Parties

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