

Alberta Reliability Standard Under Voltage Load Shedding Program Data PRC-021-AB1-1

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1. Purpose

The purpose of this *reliability standard* is to ensure data is provided to support the *WECC* database maintained for *UVLS* programs.

2. Applicability

This reliability standard applies to:

- (a) the legal owner of a transmission facility that owns an under voltage load shed system;
- (b) a *market participant* receiving service under Rate DTS of the *ISO tariff* that owns an *under voltage load shed* system; and
- (c) the *ISO*.

3. Definitions

Italicized terms used in this *reliability standard* have the meanings as set out in the *Consolidated Authoritative Document Glossary*.

4. Requirements

- **R1** The ISO must update its UVLS data annually to support the WECC UVLS database.
- **R2** The *ISO* must provide the following data to the *WECC* for each installed *UVLS* system in Alberta that is in the *WECC UVLS* database:
 - Size and location of *load*, or percent of connected *load*, to be interrupted;
 - Corresponding voltage set points and overall scheme clearing times;
 - Time delay from initiation to trip signal;
 - · Breaker operating times; and
 - Any other schemes that are part of or impact the UVLS programs, including without limitation related generation protection, islanding schemes, automatic load restoration schemes, UFLS and RAS (identified as special protection systems by WECC).
- R3 Each *legal owner* of a *transmission facility* and *market participant* must, upon request by the *ISO*, provide *UVLS* data to the *ISO*. The *legal owner* of a *transmission facility* or *market participant* may meet this requirement R3 by providing *UVLS* data in accordance with *ISO* rules.
- R4 The ISO must provide its UVLS data to the WECC within 30 calendar days of a written request to do so from WECC.

5. Processes and Procedures

No procedures have been defined for this reliability standard.

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6. Measures

The following measures correspond to the requirements identified in Section 4 of this *reliability standard*. For example, MR1 is the measure for R1.

- **MR1** Evidence that the *UVLS* data update process was completed within 12 months of the previous update.
- MR2 Written confirmation from WECC that UVLS data was received.
- MR3 Written confirmation from the ISO that UVLS data was received.
- **MR4** Written confirmation from *WECC* that data was received within 30 calendar *days* of a request.

7. Appendices

No appendices have been defined for this reliability standard.

8. Guidelines

No guidelines have been defined for this *reliability standard*.

Revision History

Effective	Description
2013-01-02	Administrative update – "TFO" and "demand customers" replaced with "legal owner of a transmission facility" and "market participant receiving service under Rate DTS of the ISO tariff"; and other minor cleanup items.
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