

Final Rule Strengthens Reliability Standards for Monitoring Electric Grid Cyber Systems



FERC's final rule strengthens the cybersecurity of the grid by directing the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) to develop and submit Reliability Standards requiring internal network security monitoring for high-impact bulk electric system cyber systems and medium-impact systems with high-speed internet connections. News Release | Presentation



Chairman Phillips Announces Environmental Justice Roundtable

One of FERC Chairman Willie L. Phillips' first acts was to announce a Commissioner-led roundtable on environmental justice and equity on March 29. Phillips, <u>named</u> acting Chairman of FERC by President Biden, said the roundtable will help further the goals of the Commission's Equity Action Plan, issued last year, which aims to reduce barriers to meaningful participation by underserved communities. Look for the public notice of the roundtable in coming weeks. News Release



Chairman Phillips Announces Leadership Team Appointments

Chairman Phillips announced three major appointments to his FERC leadership team during his first meeting as Chairman: Ronan Gulstone is Chief of Staff to the Commission; Karin Herzfeld is Senior Transmission Counsel; and Stacey Steep is Senior Legal Advisor focusing on energy projects and permitting. News Release



FERC, NERC Open Joint Inquiry into Winter Storm Elliott

FERC, NERC and Regional Entities are conducting a joint inquiry into the operations of the bulk-power system during the extreme winter weather conditions that occurred during Winter Storm Elliott over Christmas weekend 2022. News Release



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February 15, 2023

- 1:30 pm 4 pm | Sixth Meeting Of The Joint Federal-State Task Force On Electric Transmission February 16, 2023
 - 10 am 11 am | Open Commission Meeting







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