

## **CREPC Business Meeting: Resource Assessment and Adequacy Action Items and Next Steps--October 21, 2004**


CREPC should support:

- An RA proposal using the “Voluntary Targets” conceptual approach;
  - Inclusion of the seven elements described in this paper in any RA proposal;
  - WRAT presentation of the seven strawman elements and associated implementation provisions within the WECC RA process; and
  - Work to achieve a consensus WRAT/RAWG RA proposal for CREPC by April 2005.
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- WECC release of load forecasts and reiteration of CREPC request for public forecasts directly to WECC Board
  - Chair request to the WECC Board to conduct review of data and informational disclosure policies
  - States requiring jurisdictional LSEs to provide public reconciliation of the data submitted to WECC and the data submitted to commissions
  - States requesting public power to provide comparable reconciliation of data

WGA should:

- Continue development of independent capability to evaluate results of resource adequacy assessments;
- Encourage state/provincial regulators and local boards to develop increased understanding of assessment and resource adequacy challenges;
- Explore developing independent load forecasting ability at the regional level.

WECC should:

- Support renovation of existing assessment processes to ensure consistency among all reports addressing adequacy topics;
- Refrain from drawing conclusions of adequacy w/o formally established resource adequacy metrics and associated targets; 
- Institute Board review of all supply adequacy submissions to NERC;
- Undertake efforts to ensure that within the WECC Board and state commissions there are consistent expectations for analysis needed to inform the selection of adequacy targets/benchmarks;
- Initiate necessary coordination efforts to create a process for the WECC Board and states to select mutually acceptable benchmarks for resource adequacy metrics; and
- Modify Load & Resource Instructions periodically to implement improved assessment and adequacy evaluation.