NYISO Self-Certification

Description:

NYSRC Reliability Rule Reference (No. and Name)

H.1: Control Center Communications

NYSRC Requirement(s) for which compliance is being self-certified:

R2. NYISO Communications Under Emergency Conditions

Procedures shall be developed to support data and voice communications between the *NYISO* and *Market Participants* to ensure safe and reliable operations under the following *emergency* conditions:

- a. Failure of data and/or voice communications between the *NYISO* and *Market Participants*.
- b. *Emergency* transfer of control after evacuation of the NYISO Power Control Center.
- c. Continued operations from the NYISO Alternate Control Center.

The procedures shall identify how various systems are monitored for *availability* and include methods of tracking performance measures of system *availability*.

Compliance Monitoring Process

Compliance Monitoring Responsibility:

• M1: RCMS

Compliance Documentation Reporting Frequency:

• M1: In accordance with *NYSRC* Compliance Monitoring Program schedule.

Compliance Reporting Requirements:

• M1: NYISO Self-Certification

Measure No.

X Full Compliance	M1. The NYISO established procedures for NYISO to Market Participant
	communications such that communications are consistent, efficient, and effective during normal and <i>emergency</i> conditions. These procedures included requirements for enabling operation to continue during loss of
	communication facilities, including specific requirements of R1 and R2.

Levels of Non-Compliance

Level 1	M1. Not applicable
Level 2	M1. NYISO operator communications procedures have been developed, but
	they do not include all of the required items.
Level 3	M1. Not applicable
Level 4	M1. There are no NYISO communications procedures in place.

Reliability Rule H.1 R2 Narrative:

The Emergency Operations Manual section 1.4 Communications and 1.5 Emergency Communication Systems speak to non-emergency and emergency communication.

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