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**Background Information**

This project is a request to retire BAL-002-WECC-3 in its entirety. The Drafting Team has put together a white paper that details the rationale for retiring BAL-002-WECC-3 and is soliciting comments about that paper. The hope is to get feedback, gauge support, and then prepare to submit the request to NERC to retire the Standard.

**Questions**

1. Do you agree with the Drafting Team's request for the Standard to be retired? Yes/No with a narrative explanation.
2. Do you agree with the Drafting Team's rationale for requesting the retirement of the Standard? Yes/no with a narrative explanation
3. Do you have any other rationale that the drafting team may not have thought of or included in this document? Yes/No with a narrative explanation