

## Implementation Plan

### WECC-0157: PRC-006-5 Automatic Underfrequency Load Shedding Update to the WECC Regional Variance

#### Applicable Standards

- PRC-006-5 Automatic Underfrequency Load Shedding – WECC Regional Variance

#### Applicable Entities Identified in the Standard

- 1) Planning Coordinators
  - As used in the RV, Planning Coordinator is specific to those Planning Coordinators providing Planning Coordinator service(s) to entities within the Western Interconnection, regardless of where the Planning Coordinator is located.
- 2) UFLS entities shall mean all entities that are responsible for the ownership, operation, or control of UFLS equipment as required by the UFLS program established by the Planning Coordinators. Such entities may include one or more of the following:
  - Transmission Owners
  - Distribution Providers
  - UFLS-Only Distribution Providers
  - Transmission Owners that own Elements identified in the UFLS program established by the Planning Coordinators.

#### Background

When the WECC variance to PRC-006 was developed, Requirement R15 language of the NERC Standard that directed Corrective Action Plans to be developed was left out. The update and inclusion of the R15 language in the Regional Variance allows the appropriate entities to collaborate on opportunities to provide effective remediation activities in a timely manner if there are deficiencies noted within an UFLS assessment activity. The goal was to consider how to incorporate the nation-wide Requirement R15 into the WECC Variance that will allow effective mitigation of a UFLS assessment not meeting performance criteria within the WECC Interconnection.

#### Effective Date

The proposed effective date is the **“First day of the first quarter following applicable regulatory approval.”**