



Eastern Interconnection Planning Collaborative

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# Update on Current Activities

**National Council on Electricity Policy  
Annual Meeting and Workshop  
May 8-9, 2018  
Denver, Colorado**

# EIPC Purpose

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- Develop an open and transparent process through an interactive planning dialogue with industry stakeholders
- Foster additional consistency and coordination in the Eastern Interconnection
- Provide an interface with other interconnections
- Provide policy makers and regulators with current and technically sound transmission planning information

# EIPC, EISPC and DOE

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- EIPC won a 2010 DOE grant, under ARRA funding, to perform interconnection-wide analysis of various energy policy options
- The grant lasted 5 years in three parts: Phase 1, Phase 2, and Gas-Electric Interface
- EISPC (Eastern Interconnection States' Planning Council) also won a grant from DOE and took a leadership role on the Stakeholder Steering Committee established for the study

# Current EIPC Work (1 of 2)

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- Performing analyses of the frequency response of the Eastern Interconnection to provide input to NERC's Long Term Reliability Assessments
- Implementing a new, simplified approach to sharing CEII information for FERC Order 1000 and NERC MOD 32 purposes
- Developing an EIPC-reviewed production cost data base

# Current EIPC Work (2 of 2)

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- Discussing with NERC the possibility that EIPC would take a leadership role in the power flow and dynamics case development for the Eastern Interconnection
- Continue to discuss with NCEP possible studies and other activities of common interest

# Questions and Discussion

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