

**Draft BAL-502-RFC-02 Draft (Planning Resource Adequacy Analysis, Assessment and Documentation) Implementation Plan**

**Implementation**

The currently approved BAL-502-RFC-01 (approved by the ReliabilityFirst Board on March 9, 2006) will remain in effect until the revised BAL-502-RFC-02 standard is approved by the ReliabilityFirst Board. Implementation of BAL-502-RFC-02 will be effective based on the effective date listed in the BAL-502-RFC-02 Standard. The proposed standard effective date would only be applicable to ReliabilityFirst members on approval by the ReliabilityFirst Board and the enforcement mechanism would be as a “Term Of Membership” under the ReliabilityFirst By-Laws (no financial penalties). Only after both NERC and FERC approval will the standard be effective to all applicable entities within the ReliabilityFirst footprint with the possibility of financial penalties.

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**Impact on Existing Standards and Other Standards Under Development**

Upon approval by the ReliabilityFirst Board and implementation of BAL-502-RFC-02, the following ReliabilityFirst Standard will be retired in its entirety:

- 1 - BAL-502-RFC-01 (Resource Planning Reserve Requirements)

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