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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> UNITED STATES OF AMERICA <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) [2218] <b>Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</b> Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: <a href="mailto:usatbtep@nist.gov">usatbtep@nist.gov</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], 3.2 [ ], 7.2 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Frequency and voltage protection settings for synchronous generators, type 1 and type 2 wind resources, and synchronous condensers; Solar energy engineering (ICS code(s): 27.160); Wind turbine energy systems (ICS code(s): 27.180); Fuses and other overcurrent protection devices (ICS code(s): 29.120.50); Switchgear and controlgear (ICS code(s): 29.130); Rectifiers. Converters. Stabilized power supply (ICS code(s): 29.200); Control equipment for electric power systems (ICS code(s): 29.240.30)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Reliability Standards for Frequency and Voltage Protection Settings and Ride-Through for Inverter-Based Resources; (8 page(s), in English)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Notice of proposed rulemaking - The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) proposes to approve proposed Reliability Standards PRC-024-4 (Frequency and Voltage Protection Settings for Synchronous Generators, Type 1 and Type 2 Wind Resources, and Synchronous Condensers) and PRC-029-1 (Frequency and Voltage Ride-through Requirements for Inverter-Based Resources), which the North American Electric Reliability Corporation submitted in response to Commission directives. The Commission seeks comments on all aspects of the proposed approval.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Quality requirements; Harmonization; Cost saving and productivity enhancement
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> 90 Federal Register (FR) 6845, 24 January 2025; <a href="#">Title 18 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 40:</a> <a href="https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-01-21/html/2025-00263.htm">https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-01-21/html/2025-00263.htm</a>

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This action is identified by Docket Number RM25-3-000. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](#) by [4pm Eastern Time](#) on 24 March 2025. Comments received by the Enquiry Point within the comment period will be transferred using the FERC's comment system <https://ferconline.ferc.gov/QuickComment.aspx>.

- 9. Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  
**Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined

- 10. Final date for comments:** 24 March 2025

- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**

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