



Transmission and Substation Subcommittee Updates

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- TSS is a technical advisory subcommittee under PC
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 - TSS Chair: Mr. Shashi Patel, PSE&G
 - Secretary: Jay Liu, PJM
- Maintain technical guidelines for transmission facilities
 - Investigate new technologies and develop associated design guidelines
 - Track best practices of the industry
- Monthly meetings

- TSS Special Session on ***Bare Overhead Transmission Conductor Ratings*** has concluded the work on:
 - Revised TSS Guide Section VI.a (Led by Bob May, BGE)
 - Revised and update the OHL Conductor Rating Calculation Tool
 - 2023 Revision is now posted with enhanced report options and improved calculation efficiency
- TSS team is investigating on additional applicable changes to **TSS Guideline Chapter 6 Rating Guides** to meet the future AAR rating requirement under FERC Order 881.
 - Section VI.e **Outdoor Substation Conductor Ratings** will be revised in 2023 similar to OHL (Led by Michelle Antantis, DL and Shashi Patel, PSE&G)
 - Some equipment sections (Circuit Breaker, Air Switch, Line Trap, Underground Cable, etc.) may need further line up with industry practices including manufacture inputs

- Periodic review of TSS Guideline Chapter 4 Spare Equipment Philosophy in 2023
 - No immediate revision is needed
 - Calls for further input and best practices from TOs on spare equipment related topics, such as
 - Design guide for spare facility '*cold cut-over*' capability if needed
 - Coordination with aging infrastructure replacement
- New design and O&M challenges associated with climate change
- New materials and technologies
- Participations at industry technical forums

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