

**APPA-NRECA Proposed
WEQ Definitions And Subsegments
May 29 - 30, 2002 WEQ Meeting**

- 1 - Transmission:** Any entity engaged in the activity of owning, operating or controlling bulk electric transmission facilities in North America.
- RTOs, ISOs and RRCs
 - Single-Purpose Transcos and Independent Transmission Companies
 - Transmission owners and operators that are integrated or affiliated with Market Participants.
- 2 - Generators:** Any entity engaged in the activity of owning and/or operating wholesale electric generation facilities in North America.
- Generation owners and operators affiliated with an LSE or also an LSE,
 - Unaffiliated generation owners and operators,
 - Distributed generators and renewable generators
- 3 - Marketers/Brokers:** Any entity engaged in the activity of buying and selling wholesale electric power in North America on a physical or financial basis.
- Market Administrators/Operators
 - Wholesale Marketers integrated with the Generation function of Vertically Integrated Utilities
 - Non-integrated wholesale marketers/brokers with or without generation; risk management services
- 4 - Distribution/Load Serving Entities:** Any entity engaged in the activity of electric power supply and delivery to end use customers in North America, including any municipal joint action agency or generation and transmission cooperative that is contractually obligated to meet all or a portion of the power supply needs of such entities on a long term basis.
- Investor-Owned Utilities with an obligation to serve retail customers
 - Federal, state, municipal and cooperatively-owned utilities, including G&T Cooperatives and Municipal Joint Action Power Supply Agencies
 - Retail aggregators/marketers participating in retail choice markets
- 5 - Customers:** *[The definition below was written on the chart at the session-end on May 9 as a suggestion to begin discussion. APPA-NRECA changed wholesale to retail:]* Any entity that is eligible to receive electric energy at retail ~~wholesale~~; and entities that represent customer interests including trade organizations, local, state, federal, provincial, etc. regulators and other companies or individuals not otherwise eligible for membership in another segment.
- Large commercial/industrial customers
 - Residential, small commercial and consumer advocates
 - State economic regulators and siting authorities

Note: this document utilizes the segments and segment definitions completed as of closing of the May 8-9 WEQ Meeting.