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Via Posting

TO: NAESB Wholesale Electric Quadrant (WEQ) Market Standards Subcommittee (MSS) Participants

FROM: Rae McQuade, Executive Director

RE: Request For Comments on Draft MSS Mission Statement

DATE: January 14, 2003

Dear Market Standards Subcommittee Participants,

During the MSS conference call yesterday, the subcommittee determined to request comments on the draft mission statement:

“The Market Standards Subcommittee (MSS) develops business practice standards, communication protocols and model business practices to advance the efficiency of the wholesale electric power market. The catalyst for such standards/protocols/practices by NAESB (through the MSS) will often be FERC actions, such as the future Standard Market Design final rules (RM01-12), generation interconnection final rules (RM02-01 and RM02-12), regional transmission organization orders, and other future market-related initiatives not yet identified. The MSS will provide an open, collaborative forum for the wholesale electric industry to develop business practice standards associated with these and other market design initiatives. The MSS will also coordinate and communicate with FERC and other standards setting organizations as need to fulfill its mission.”

Please forward your comments by January 31, 2003 to the NAESB Office using the attached form. Your comments will be posted and reviewed by the MSS at its next conference call scheduled for February 24, 2003.

Best Regards,

NAESB Office



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North American Energy Standards Board Wholesale Electric Quadrant Market Standards Subcommittee Draft Mission Statement Request For Comments January 14, 2003

1. Commenter Name: _____
Title: _____
2. Organization/Company: _____
3. Contact Information: email: _____
Phone: _____
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4. Comments on the draft mission statement:

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