

Segments

Segment 1. Transmission Owners

- a. Any entity within the MRO region that owns or controls at least 200 circuit miles of integrated transmission facilities, or has an Open Access Transmission Tariff or equivalent on file with a regulatory authority.
- b. Transmission owners within the MRO region that have placed their transmission under the operational control of an RTO.
- c. Independent transmission companies or organizations, merchant transmission developers, and transcos that are in the MRO region and are not RTOs.
- d. Excludes RTOs, RCs and ISOs (that are eligible to belong to Segment 2).

Segment 2. Regional Transmission Organizations (RTOs), Independent System Operators (ISOs), and Reliability Coordinators

- a. Authorized by appropriate regulator to operate as RTO or ISO within or adjacent to the MRO.
- b. Reliability Coordinators within or adjacent to the MRO.
- c. In cases where the RTO or ISO and the RC have exactly the same geographic boundary, both may belong to this segment as long as they are separate entities.

Segment 3. Load-Serving Entities (LSEs)

- a. Entities within the MRO region serving end-use customers under a regulated tariff, a contract governed by a regulatory tariff, or other legal obligation to serve.
- b. A member within the MRO region of a G&T cooperative or a joint-action agency is permitted to designate the G&T or joint-action agency to represent it in this segment; such designation does not preclude the G&T or joint-action agency from participation and voting in another segment representing its direct interests.

Segment 4. Electric Generators

- a. Affiliated and independent generators within the MRO region.
- b. A corporation that sets up separate corporate entities for each one or two generating plants within the MRO region in which it is involved may only have one vote in this segment regardless of how many single-plant or two-plant corporations the parent corporation has established or is involved in.

Segment 5. Electricity Brokers, Aggregators, and Marketers

- a. Entities serving end-use customers under a power marketing agreement or other authorization not classified as a regulated tariff.
- b. An entity that buys, sells, or brokers energy and related services for resale in wholesale or retail markets, whether a non-jurisdictional entity operating within its charter or an entity licensed by a jurisdictional regulator.
- c. G&T cooperatives and joint-action agencies that perform an electricity broker, aggregator, or marketer function are permitted to belong to this segment.

Segment 6. Electricity End Users

- a. Service delivery taken within the MRO region that is not purchased for resale.
- b. Agents, associations, consumer advocates can represent groups of end users or TDUs.

Segment 7. Federal, State, and Provincial Regulatory or other Government Entities

- a. Does not include Federal PMAs or TVA.
- b. May include PUCs.