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Matt,

As requested before, the IEEE/PES Switchgear Committee would like to have the ability to roll definitions into C37.100 without having to ballot C37.100. The document is a compilation of terms from all switchgear related standards and guides. There are 3 different technical committees which have been approved to write C37 documents and contribute definitions to the document: Switchgear, Substation and Power System Relaying Committees.

The basis for wanting to administratively insert definitions into C37.100 is the following. When a standard or guide is created or revised, the definitions of terms are created and revised accordingly and balloted along with the document. Since these definitions have already been balloted and approved the committee doesn't see the need to reballot these definitions again. The present process of having to ballot C37.100 to update it opens the definitions up for comment and could result in different wording than the original approved definition.

We desire to continue to have C37.100 as a compilation of switchgear related definitions, but don't want to ballot the same definition twice. Therefore, we respectfully request that the IEEE-SA change the status of C37.100 to a compendium of terms, like IEEE 100, so that definitions may be administratively inserted into the document.

Thanks for your attention to this matter. We hope to be able to discuss this further with you at our AdsCom meeting in Milwaukee the first week of October.

Hope to see you there.

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