

## NERC CIP Gap Analysis



With the average NERC fine now averaging well into the 6-figures (SPP CIP Audit \$235,000 penalty, WECC CIP Audit \$200,000, WECC CIP Audit \$205,000, WECC CIP Audit \$160,000) it is imperative that as a NERC Responsible Entity you know where your compliance program is at all times. Abidance Consulting can assist you with this.

Regardless of your needs, Reliability (693) or CIP (706), Abidance Consulting has the staff necessary to ensure that you receive an accurate assessment of your current status and what is necessary to achieve total compliance with the NERC requirements.

The Gap Analysis will provide you a detailed view of all requirements and their findings, a management “snap-shot” that gives a high-level overview for your upper-management and then there is a detailed report that pinpoints what is required to achieve compliance in chronological order.

The Abidance Consulting compliance team will consider evidence provided and generally determine the audit status of the evidence/documents presented and samples of audit acceptable evidence styles, structure and content will be provided to your team.

CIP compliance for Medium & High Impact entities is here and now is the time to make sure that your compliance program will hold up to the scrutiny of a NERC audit. You can conduct your own in-house audits, but at the end of the day, will you know where you truly stand?

The experts at Abidance are members of the NERC Standards Development Team (SDT) and are fully knowledgeable of the CIP requirements and what is expected.



The fixed-fee pricing for the NERC CIP Gap Analysis depends on your registry type, number of facilities and Gap Analysis needs (Low, Medium or High Impact etc)

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