



# M-03B Process Informational Review

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- M-03B - “Transmission Operating Procedures (CEI)” is a CEI supplement to M-03.
- It was split from M-03 – “Transmission Operations” in June 2020 for two main reasons:
  - Separation of Public and CEI documents
  - Allow timely, frequent updating of documented transmission operating procedures in M-03B
- M-03B update process is independent of M-03.
  - M-03 requires SOS, OC, and MRC endorsement. On periodic review.
  - **M-03B does not require approvals. PJM updates as needed. OC and SOS are notified via email when new version of M-03B is published.**

- M-03B is a “Living Document”
  - Coordinated with Transmission Owners; documentation of Transmission Owner procedures at PJM.
  - Member reference guide for PJM driven procedures
- M-03B is not written in stone
  - PJM makes best attempt to update proactively
  - Reactive updates unavoidable as system evolves in unexpected ways (both gradually and suddenly)
  - **PJM may need to deviate from M-03B if documented procedures no longer ensure system reliability**

- Stability limits set by PJM are published in M-03B for member referral
  - Constantly changing, not an exhaustive list
- Known stability limit changes that we can proactively plan for:
  - RTEP upgrades
  - New Unit Interconnections
- Unforeseen stability limit changes that may need reactive M-03B updates:
  - Unit dynamic data model updates (submitted AdHoc by GO)
  - New common system operating conditions (high voltage control needed)

Link to M-03B (CEII secure site):

<https://www.pjm.com/library/manuals/private-m03.aspx>

Requires additional approval (users will be redirected to an Access Request form when first attempting to access)

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