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**TO:** Interested Industry Parties

**FROM:** Caroline Trum, Director, Wholesale Electric Quadrant

**RE:** Wholesale Electric Quadrant Coordinate Interchange Scheduling Meeting Agenda – April 22, 2025

**DATE:** March 5, 2025

Dear NAESB WEQ CISS Participants,

A meeting of the WEQ CISS has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 22, 2025 from 1:00 – 3:00 PM Central to continue the consideration and development of standards to help streamline the management of bidirectional resources, including the creation of new e-Tag transaction type. To assist with these discussions, the chairs have asked participants provide feedback on current entity and/or regional practices regarding the management of bidirectional resources, including descriptions of any encountered or anticipated issues in the use of e-Tags to manage transactions of these resource types. Any documents will be posted as a work paper and discussing during the meeting. An agenda for this meeting can be found on the following page.

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All participants are encouraged to read the NAESB Antitrust and Other Meetings Policies prior to the meeting: <http://www.naesb.org/misc/antitrust_guidance.doc>.

Best regards,

Caroline Trum

**WHOLESALE ELECTRIC QUADRANT**

**WEQ CISS**

**Conference Call**

**April 22, 2025 from 1:00 – 3:00 PM Central**

**DRAFT AGENDA**

1. Welcome

* [Antitrust and Other Meeting Policies](http://www.naesb.org/misc/antitrust_guidance.doc)
* Introduction of Attendees
* Adoption of Agenda
* Adoption of Draft Minutes
  + February 6, 2025

1. Continue to Discussion on 2025 WEQ Annual Plan Item 2.b – Consider and develop modifications to the WEQ Business Practice Standards and the NAESB WEQ Electronic Tagging Functional Specification to include a transaction type specially designed to accommodate Bi-directional resources (batteries)

* Discuss Entity/Regional Management of Bidirectional Resource Transactions
  + Review Any Submitted Work Papers
  + Create Work Paper to Identify Commonalities and Regional Differences in Management of Bidirectional Resources

1. Next Steps and Future Meetings
2. Other Business
3. Adjourn

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